

Collector signs pledge for eye donation



Tirupati: Aug 29
District Collector Dr S Venkateswar called on the people to come forward for eye donation to give sight to scores of people, who lost vision. On Thursday, he released posters brought out on the occasion of National Eye Donation Fortnight, a nation-wide campaign to encourage people for eye donation. The Collector said by donating eye, a person can give sight to two persons by cornea transplantation.

He on his part signed a paper pledging for eye donation and also his father's eyes. He wanted renewed efforts to promote eye donation in a big way. And observed that people should make eye donation as a family tradition which would help a person give sight to others after his death. Joint Collector Subham Bansal, DMHO Dr Balakrishna Naik, Ruia Superintendent Dr Radha, Ramesh were present.

Stalin to leave for UK, Germany today to attract investments into TN, to unveil iconic Periyar statue at Oxford

Chennai, Aug 29 (UNI) Tamil Nadu Chief Minister M K Stalin today said he will be embarking on a week long visit to UK and Germany tomorrow to attract fresh investments into the State as part achieving the ambitious goal of making TN a USD One Trillion economy by 2030. Speaking at the marriage function of DMK Rajya Sabha MP and senior advocate N R Elango here, Mr Stalin said ever since the ruling DMK's Dravidian Model governance assumed office, the state government has attracted investments to the tune of Rs ten lakh crore. This showed the keenness being shown by the investors and industries in investing in Tamil Nadu, he added. Stating that he would share the details of his foreign tour before emplaning for UK, the Chief Minister proudly announced that he would be unveiling the statue of Drvidiain icon and social reformer Periyar E V Ramasamy at the prestigious Oxford University. Stating that he was feeling with immense joy and happiness, Mr Stalin said though Periyar was born in Tamil Nadu, spoke and wrote in Tamil, his thoughts were for this world and common to all. His views on self-respect, equity, women liberation,

self-belief and preventing discrimination in status and that all are equal, has no boundaries and has been accepted by the people all over the world."It's an honour for Tamil Nadu that this highly respected scholar is being recognised by the world", he added. About the Chief Minister's foreign visit, officials said this would be the fifth foreign tour to be undertaken by Mr Stalin with the primary objective of attracting fresh industrial investments and strengthen Tamil Nadu's position as one of India's leading destinations in business and manufacturing and other emerging sectors. Official sources said during his visit to Germany and UK, the Chief Minister will hold talks with prominent industrialists, corporate leaders and potential investors, and urge them to set up their business operations in Tamil Nadu. Apart from unveiling Periyar's statue at Oxford, Stalin is also slated to address the students and academics at the prestigious King's College London, highlighting the state's economic progress, industrial growth, and opportunities for collaboration in technology, education, and research. Germany, known for its advanced manufacturing and engineering expertise, is expected to be a key stop

for attracting potential investments on automobile, renewable energy and other high-tech sectors. During his visit Mr Stalin was also expected to hold meeting meetings with the Tamil diaspora. According to the state government, in March 2022, he visited the UAE during which MoUs committing investments to to the tune of Rs 6,100 crore and providing 15,000 jobs were inked. It was followed by his visit to Singapore and Japan In May 2023 during which MoUs for investments worth Rs 1,342 crore, expected to produce job opportunities for over 2,000 people, were signed. The Mr Stalin visited Spain in early 2024 and were signed MoUs for investments worth Rs 3,440 crore and during his last foreign visit to the US in August-September 2024, he met top executives of tech giants like Google and Apple. During the visit he signed MoUs with attracting sizeable investments to the tune of Rs 7,616 crore, which would give employment opportunities for 11,516 people, the government said, adding the CM's foreign visits were aimed at urging MNCs to infuse substantial investments in to the state to achieve the abitious target of making TN a trillion dollar economy by 2030.

Kadiri hospital clash was alcohol-induced, not political: SP Ratna



Kadiri:Aug 29
District SP V Ratna on Thursday visited Kadiri Government Hospital to investigate a clash that broke out between two youth groups allegedly under the influence of alcohol. She clarified that the incident was not politically motivated and assured strict action against those, who attacked hospital staff and security personnel. The clash, which originated between two groups from Kutagula village under Kadiri municipality limits, led to several injuries. The injured were brought to the government hospital, where a few individuals assaulted doctors, medical staff, and security guards on duty. The SP interacted with the injured victims and their families, who confirmed that the fight stemmed from a drunken brawl and had no political connections.

SP Ratna also met with the assaulted hospital staff and promised a thorough investigation. She confirmed that three cases have been registered — two relating to the group clash and one specifically for the attack on hospital personnel. Condemning the incident as unfortunate, the SP stated that measures will be taken to prevent such occurrences in the future. She urged the public to immediately call 100 in emergencies for quick police response. To strengthen safety at government hospitals, SP Ratna announced plans to increase police outpost staffing across the district. She appealed to media outlets to report responsibly and not sensationalize non-political incidents. RDO Sharma, DSP Shiva Narayanawamy, CI Narayana Reddy, CI Niranjana Reddy, SI Nagendra and others were present.

Siddaramaiah recalls 1991 fraud amidst Rahul's yatra

Bengaluru, Aug 29 (UNI) The irony of Karnataka Chief Minister Siddaramaiah's political journey was on full display as he lauded a legal mentor in Bengaluru while his own party leadership campaigns in Bihar under the banner of "Vote Adhikar." The BJP National IT Chief Amit Malviya highlighted the paradox in a tweet today, noting: "The irony is so thick you could cut it with a knife. Karnataka CM Siddaramaiah is in Bihar for a 'Vote Adhikar' rally, marching with the same Congress he once accused of electoral fraud in the 1991 Koppal Lok Sabha polls against Basavraj Patil Anwari." Malviya pointed out that while Siddaramaiah had faced defeat in 1991 and challenged the process through legal channels, the Congress leadership today appears to be questioning democratic outcomes despite India's robust and unhackable EVM system. Speaking at a felicitation of former Advocate General Prof Ravivarma Kumar at the Vidhana Soudha, Siddaramaiah recalled the crucial support he received during his early legal and political career. "In 1991, during my second term in the Lok Sabha elections, I lost due to deceit. Prof Ravivarma Kumar stood by me, providing pro bono legal assistance when senior advocates were unavailable. His support enabled me to continue serving the people," the Chief Minister said. Siddaramaiah praised Prof Kumar's lifelong dedication to social justice and mentorship for underprivileged communities. "His example continues to

inspire young lawyers and reinforces the values of fairness, integrity, and socialism," he added, urging younger generations to follow the path of service exemplified by Prof Kumar. The felicitation, held at Advocates' Hall in the Vidhana Soudha premises, saw participation from senior advocates including HM Revan, SP Narendra Prasad, Shashikiran Shetty, as well as youth leaders and law students who recalled Prof Kumar's guidance and mentorship. Siddaramaiah emphasised the importance of legal guidance in both political and social work, congratulating the Bar Association for recognizing the enduring contributions of senior advocates. Political analysts noted that Siddaramaiah's reflection on 1991 inadvertently undercuts the narrative of the Congress leadership in the ongoing Vote Adhikar Yatra. By highlighting his own legal recourse and acceptance of democratic outcomes, the Chief Minister drew attention to the contrast between past and present political rhetoric. Observers described the episode as a masterclass in political irony: a felicitation ceremony intended to honor a legal mentor also served as a subtle rebuke of Rahul Gandhi's claims of "electoral fraud." Malviya added that the episode underscores a broader lesson in democracy—one where political defeats are addressed through established processes, not rhetoric or mass mobilization campaigns, reinforcing the legitimacy of India's electoral system.

53.87pc of pending files cleared under ‘File Adalat’ in Kerala



Thiruvananthapuram, Aug 29 (UNI) More than half of the pending files across government departments in Kerala have been cleared under the ongoing 'File Adalat' initiative, launched on July 1, with the overall disposal rate reported at 53.87 per cent.As per the latest official data, 46.63 percent of files were cleared in the Secretariat, 55.7 percent in Directorates, and 73.03 percent in Public Utility and Regulatory institutions. Of the 304,960 files pending in the Secretariat, 142,201 have been disposed of. In the Directorates, 506,718 files were cleared from a total of 909,678, while 20,668 of the 28,301 pending files were settled in other institutions.Chief Minister Pinarayi Vijayan, in a message, said that 11 Secretariat departments have cleared more than 60 percent of their backlog, while 30 departments recorded progress between 40 and 50 percent. Eight

departments managed to dispose of only 20–40 per cent of pending files.In the Directorates, 48 departments achieved over 60 per cent progress, while 36 others cleared at least 40 per cent. The Chief Minister pointed out that the initiative, aimed at disposing of at least 60 per cent of pending files before the Adalat concludes on August 31, had made notable progress with the active cooperation of government employees. He added that the performance of lagging departments, especially those directly dealing with the public, would be reviewed in detail.Progress under the scheme will continue to be monitored in monthly review meetings chaired by the Chief Secretary. The dedicated portal created for the Adalat will be retained as a permanent mechanism, and a fresh review will be undertaken after three months, the Chief Minister added.

KSUM CEO Anoop Ambika launches BuyWalkin Web App

Thiruvananthapuram, Aug 29 (UNI) Expercal Technologies (P) LTD has introduced a unique web application named 'BuyWalkin' designed to seamlessly connect online interactions with real-world experiences. The platform facilitates the creation of virtual connections by allowing users to schedule in-person appointments, access exclusive deals, and engage directly with local businesses.Anoop Ambika, CEO of Kerala Startup Mission (KSUM), who launched the app at an event showcasing Kerala's growing startup ecosystem, said, 'BuyWalkin' aims to enhance community engagement and create meaningful relationships, ensuring a more integrated and interactive experience with a user-friendly interface and robust features.

"In an era where face-to-face interactions are decreasing due to increased screen time and social media addition, the BuyWalkin web app introduces a refreshing concept that emphasises the value of genuine human connections," Ambika said. "By facilitating networking opportunities and promoting local businesses, the app aims to rekindle the warmth of personal relationships. It fosters meaningful human connections and drives real growth for our local economy." Founded by Vineesh Surendran, BuyWalkin helps people discover and join events, meetups, and gatherings while also enabling easy bookings with local businesses. "At BuyWalkin, we are passionate about building stronger communities by turning online connections

into real-world experiences," said Surendran, Founder of BuyWalkin and CEO of Expercal Technologies (P) LTD. "We're proud to launch our web app today with the support of Kerala Startup Mission, and we look forward to building stronger communities together," he added.BuyWalkin also facilitates users in booking appointments and reservations at local venues, building genuine connections with people, hosting, promoting, and managing events with ease, and providing both individuals and businesses with a smarter way to create meaningful social experiences. Local venues and event organisers can use BuyWalkin to boost their visibility, engage with customers more effectively and increase real footfalls and sales.

‘Super six – Super hit’ women’s empowerment rally in Dhone

Dhone (Nandyal district): A massive rally was taken out in Dhone town on Thursday under the banner of Super Six – Super Hit as part of Stree Shakti initiative. Nearly 10,000 women participated in the rally, which commenced from TDP office and proceeded to old bus stand. Later a public meeting was held at Samikyandhra Katta, in which Dhone MLA Kotla Jayasurya Prakash Reddy and former MLA Kotla Sujathamma attended as chief guests. Addressing the gathering, MLA Jayasurya Prakash Reddy stated that Chief Minister N Chandrababu Naidu's six flagship promises were being effectively implemented across the State, leading to their recognition as 'super hit' schemes. He said five of the six schemes had already been launched, including Rs 4,000 monthly pension for the elderly, provision of three free LPG cylinders annually for women, Thalliki Vandanam, Annadatta Sukhibhava for farmers, and free bus travel for women under the Stree Shakti programme. He emphasised that the free travel facility was enabling women across the State to move independently and with dignity. Former MLA Kotla Sujathamma observed that the government's flagship schemes had been designed to ensure women's



empowerment, financial security, and social recognition. She said the Stree Shakti programme, launched on August 15, covered 74 per cent of APSRTC buses, including Pallevelugu, Ultra Pallevelugu, Express, City Ordinary, and Metro Express services. The government would incur an expenditure of approximately Rs.1,942 crore annually to sustain this initiative, from which nearly 25 lakh women were expected to benefit each day. On this occasion, financial assistance of Rs 250.75 crore was released to 296 self-help groups in Don Urban, while Rs 104.34 crore was sanctioned to 1,122 self-help groups in Don Rural. Officials noted that these funds would strengthen the financial base of women's groups and promote self-employment opportunities. The rally concluded with a pledge-taking ceremony. Coalition leaders, public representatives, and large numbers of women participated, marking the programme a grand success.

RTC bus catches fire in Vizag: no casualties

Visakhapatnam:Aug 29 : An RTC bus was engulfed in flames in Shantipuram of Visakhapatnam after a short circuit ignited the vehicle. The incident occurred when the driver swiftly halted the bus upon noticing the fire, allowing all passengers to evacuate safely. Fortunately, no injuries were reported, although the bus was completely destroyed in the blaze. Authorities are investigating the cause of the short circuit.



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APPENDIX-IV-A [SEE PROVISION TO RULE 8(6)] SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with provision to Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower/s and Guarantor/s that the below described immovable properties mortgaged/ charged to Truhome Finance Limited (formerly M/s Shriram Housing Finance Limited), the Physical Possession of which have been taken by the Authorized Officer of Truhome Finance Limited, will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is" and "Whatever there is" basis in e-auction on 30.09.2025 between 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. for recovery of the balance due to Truhome Finance Limited from the Borrowers And Guarantors, as mentioned in the table.

Details of Borrowers and Guarantors, amount due, Short Description of the immovable property, reserve price and earnest money deposit and date of Inspection are also given as:

Name of Borrowers/ Co-Borrowers/ Guarantors/Mortgagers	Amount of Recovery and date of Demand Notice	Reserve Price (Rs.) & Bid Increment	Date & Time of Auction	Contact Person Details – (AO and Disposal team)
1.MR. MS.Vaddiboyena Pravallika W/O MR.Vaddiboyena Mahesh	DEMAND NOTICE 09-12-2024	Rs.10,00,000/- (Ten Lakhs Only) Bid Increment:	30th Sept., 2025	Mr. SATISH & Anjibabu 9849225412(M) &9966365296
2.MR.Vaddiboyena Mahesh S/O MR. MR.Vaddiboyena Samba siva rao	Rs.1966510/- (Rupees Nineteen Lakhs Sixty Six Thousand Five Hundred and Ten Only) as on 31-12-2024 under reference of Loan Account No.	Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) (Rs.)	Time : 11.00 A.M. to 01.00 p.m.	Property Inspection Date : 29-Sep-2025
R/O 24-17-24 NA 1st Floor Bavaji Peta 4TH Lane Maha Lakshmi Temple Purnanandampet Krishna Andhra Pradesh INDIA 520003.	SHLHVWA0000757 with further interest at the contractual rate, within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.	Rs. 100000/- (Rupees One Lakhs Only)		
Loan Account No. SHLHVWA0000757		Last date for submission of EMD : 29th Sep. 2025 Time 10.00 a.m. to 05.00 p.m.		
Date of Possession & Type				
11th Aug. 2025 & Physical Possession				
Encumbrances known	Not known			
Description of Property				
The property Description of the Property measuring an An extent of 50 sq yards (41-80 Sq.mis) of site in RS.No.59/111, Nearest Door No.43-106-1-58, Vijayawada Village Portion, Vijayawada Municipal Corporation, Vijayawada District -Registry, Vijayawada, N.T.R.District earlier Krishna Dist., being bounded by East: Property of Uppalapati Venugopala Rao , South :Property of Shaik Razak, West : Road, North: Property of Yadala Kumaraswamy.				
1) For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer the website of Truhome Finance Limited (Formerly Shriram Housing Finance Limited) website.				
2) The intending bidders have to submit their EMD amount to be deposited by way of RTGS/NEFT to the account details mentioned herein below: BANK NAME: AXIS BANK LIMITED BRANCH: BANDRA KURLA COMPLEX, MUMBAI BANK ACCOUNT NO. 91102045677633 IFSC CODE: UTIB0000230.				
Place : Vijayawada Date : 30.08.2025		Sd/- Authorised Officer- Truhome Finance Limited (Formerly Shriram Housing Finance Limited)		