

# Kovur MLA slams Amarnath over remarks against HM Anitha

- **MLA Vemireddy Prashanthi Reddy strongly condemns personal attacks on women leaders' appearance and attire, stating that political rivalry should be fought strictly on policy and governance matters**
- **Highlights Home Minister Anitha's inspiring rise from a teacher to the state's Home Minister, calling derogatory attacks against a self-made Dalit woman a national insult**
- **Warns that such regressive statements undermine the joint efforts of the Central and State governments to bring women into public life via 33% reservation**
- **Warns that continuous personal mudslinging will discourage the next generation of women from entering politics**



Kovur MLA Vemireddy Prashanthi Reddy addressing a media conference at her camp office in Nellore city on Tuesday

Prashanthi Reddy on Tuesday slammed former YSRCP Minister Gudivada Amarnath for his highly objectionable comments targeting State Home Minister Vanagalapudi Anitha.

Addressing a press conference at her camp office in Nellore, Prashanthi Reddy stated that turning political opposition into personal mockery regarding a woman's appearance, attire, or makeup is a shameful low. She emphasized that robust political debates must remain strictly centered

around policy decisions, public welfare, and institutional governance. The legislator highlighted that Home Minister Vanagalapudi Anitha is a self-made leader who rose from a modest background, beginning her career as a school teacher before rising to head the state's law and order wing

through sheer merit. She noted that launching personal tirades against a Dalit woman leader who achieved success through grit sends a dangerous, regressive signal to society. Prashanthi Reddy underscored that both Prime Minister Narendra Modi and Chief Minister N Chandrababu Naidu are actively driving women's political integration by championing the 33% legislative reservation. She warned that attempts by political rivals to belittle women in public life would completely fail. Reminding opposition leaders that everyone has mothers, wives, and sisters in their households, she urged politicians to maintain absolute restraint and respect to ensure more women feel safe entering the democratic mainstream.

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STRONGLY condemning the growing trend of misogyny in political discourse, Kovur MLA Vemireddy

## Alliance govt scraps Land Titling Act TO ISSUE 1 CRORE PASSBOOKS BY YEAR-END

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HIGHLIGHTING a balanced approach between massive rural infrastructure and social welfare, Endowments Minister Anam Ramanarayana Reddy on Tuesday declared that the state government has successfully restored land security and accelerated employment generation during its two years in office.



Endowment Minister Anam Ramanarayana Reddy lighting the Ceremonial lamp on the occasion of two years TDP led coalition government's Vijayostava Sabha in Nellore on Tuesday

been handed over following extensive record corrections across 6,700 villages. The convention served as a showcase of massive regional progress. Nellore MP Vemireddy Prabhakar Reddy praised the joint leadership of Chief Minister N. Chandrababu Naidu and Deputy CM Pawan Kalyan, while various legislators listed breakthrough statistics. Gudur MLA Pasam Sunil Kumar highlighted works worth Rs 3,000 crore in his segment, while Udaya-

giri MLA Kakarla Suresh announced an upcoming Rs 2,500-crore defence manufacturing facility near Duttalur. On the spiritual front, Minister Anam announced a major Rs 808-crore allocation for the renovation of 684 temples statewide, coupled with Rs 73.99 crore under the Dhoopa Deepa Naivedyam Scheme for 6,100 shrines. The grand meeting was closely supervised by District Collector Himanshu Shukla and Joint Collector Mogili Venkateswarlu.

## Kanipakam temple fully integrates 'Mana Mitra' for instant UPI booking



Devotees visiting the Sri Varasiddhi Vinayaka Swamy Temple can now book darshan, arjitha sevas, and prasadam via the state government's 'Mana Mitra' WhatsApp platform.

**HANS NEWS SERVICE KANIPAKAM**  
DEVOTEES visiting the Sri Varasiddhi Vinayaka Swamy Temple can now book darshan, arjitha sevas, and prasadam via the state government's "Mana Mitra" WhatsApp platform. By texting "Hi" to 9523300009 or scanning on-site QR codes, pilgrims can choose slots, pay via UPI, and receive PDF tickets instantly on their phones. Temple Executive Officer

Penchala Kishore stated that these digital tickets grant entry through special queue lines. To assist visitors, dedicated Mana Mitra help desks have been established across the temple premises. Temple Executive Officer Penchala Kishore stated that Mana Mitra help centres have also been set up across the temple premises to assist devotees in using the WhatsApp-based booking facility and to ensure a hassle-free pilgrimage experience.

## Tirupati district hopes to vaccinate 2.59 lakh children during Pulse Polio campaign

- **National Pulse Polio programme to be conducted in Tirupati district from June 28 to 30**
- **A total of 1,937 Pulse Polio booths, 84 mobile teams and 57 transit centres will be established**
- **Mobile vaccination centres to be set up at bus and railway stations**



District Collector Dr S Venkateswar, DM&HO Dr V Balakrishna Naik and others releasing Pulse Polio awareness posters in Tirupati on Tuesday

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DISTRICT Collector Dr S Venkateswar on Tuesday directed officials to ensure the successful conduct of the National Pulse Polio Programme scheduled to be held across the district on June 28, 29 and 30.

Chairing a meeting of the District Task Force Committee at the Collectorate on Tuesday along with District Medical and Health Officer Dr V Balakrishna Naik, the Collector reviewed arrangements for the immunisation drive. Discussions focused on setting up polio booths, deployment of staff, awareness campaigns, vaccine storage, transportation and monitoring mechanisms. The Collector said that every child below five years

of age must be administered two drops of the polio vaccine during the campaign. Children in urban areas and tourist locations are more likely to miss vaccination and instructed officials to pay special attention to such cases. He also directed the establishment of special mobile vaccination centres at bus stations and railway stations in addition to regular polio booths. Dr Venkateswar asked officials to identify eligible children through Anganwadi centres and schools and ensure that they receive the vaccine. The need for coordination among all departments to achieve 100 per cent coverage of children below five years of age in the district was stressed. The DM&HO said that 1,937 Pulse Polio booths,

84 mobile teams and 57 transit centres would be set up across Tirupati district. The district has set a target of administering polio drops to 2,59,843 children under the age of five. He said mobile teams would visit high-risk locations such as temporary settlements, brick kilns and construction sites to ensure that all eligible children are covered under the programme. The Collector along with officials unveiled Pulse Polio campaign banners and posters to create awareness about the programme. District Immunisation Officer Dr Santha Kumari, DCHS Ananda Murthy, District Educational Officer KVN Kumar, ICDS Project Director Vasanthabai, programme officers, municipal officials and DRDA officials attended the meeting.

## Citizens perform asanas at Ramathirtham beach during grand pre-yoga day celebrations



Vemireddy Prabhakara Reddy, MLA Vemireddy Prashanthi Reddy and Collector Himanshu Shukla participating in the Yogandhra-2026 mass yoga programme organized at Ramathirtham Beach in Vidavalur mandal on Tuesday

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AS part of the state's prestigious Yogandhra-2026 initiative, a spectacular mass yoga session was conducted at Ramathirtham beach in Vidavalur mandal on Tuesday. The mega pre-Yoga Day event witnessed enthusiastic

participation from Nellore MP Vemireddy Prabhakar Reddy, Kovur MLA Vemireddy Prashanthi Reddy, and District Collector Himanshu Shukla. Renowned instructor Dr Swapna guided the hundreds of participants through various asanas against the scenic backdrop of the Bay of Bengal.

## Collector expresses concern over slow voter list mapping progress



District Collector S Venkateswar speaking at a virtual meeting from Tirupati on Tuesday

**HANS NEWS SERVICE TIRUPATI**  
DISTRICT Collector Dr S Venkateswar expressed concern over the slow progress of voter list mapping work in some polling booths in Tirupati district. He directed officials to speed up the Special Intensive Revision (SIR)-2026 programme and complete the process within the deadline set by the Election Commission of India. During a virtual review meeting on Tuesday, the Collector said the responsibility of completing the voter list mapping process within the stipulated time rests with the concerned officials. Officials who are lagging

behind in the work were instructed to improve their performance immediately. Dr Venkateswar directed officials to conduct door-to-door verification of voters and carefully update voter details. Special attention should be given to ensuring that the electoral rolls are free from errors, duplicate entries and names of illegible persons.

He asked officials to complete mapping, household surveys and data updation activities within the prescribed time frame. Daily targets should be fixed and achieved without fail, he said. The Collector warned that departmental and disciplinary action would be taken against officials and staff who neglect their duties.

## CPI threatens direct action against food adulteration in temple town



CPI leaders staging a protest in Tirupati on Tuesday

**HANS NEWS SERVICE TIRUPATI**  
EXPRESSING grave concern over escalating public health hazards, the Communist Party of India (CPI) has demanded immediate criminal action against hotel managements in Tirupati found selling rotten, infested, and adulterated food to the public. Led by CPI City Secretary J Viswanath, party activists staged a massive dharna at the Tirupati Municipal Corporation office on Tuesday. Speaking on the occasion, CPI State Executive Member A Ramanaidu and District Secretary P Murali alleged that a cross-section of eateries, ranging from street-side stalls to prominent star hotels, are actively serving spoiled meat. They claimed that inspections by citizens revealed shocking instances of stale chicken and mutton being stored for days in insect-infested freezers before being reheated and sold. Ramanaidu launched a sharp attack against the local municipal and food safety departments, charging officials with absolute complacency and alleging that several high-profile hoteliers enjoy

the backing of local political heavyweights. The leaders reminded authorities that Tirupati accommodates an average floating population of over 75,000 pilgrims daily, making food safety an uncompromisable public responsibility. They added that the menace is not restricted to non-vegetarian joints, as multiple vegetarian restaurants are routinely using rotten vegetables and fruits. The CPI urged the District Collector, Municipal Commissioner, and District SP to initiate continuous monitoring of meat markets and eateries, warning that failure to enforce strict penal actions would compel the party to mobilize public agitations directly outside of-fending hotels.

## Drug-free Chittoor is the goal: Police intensify crackdown on ganja trade

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SUPERINTENDENT of Police Tushar Dudi has said that the Chittoor district police are taking continuous steps to curb the use, transportation and sale of ganja and other narcotic substances. In a statement, he said the police have been conducting special raids, vehicle checks, surveillance operations, awareness programmes and drug detection tests across the district as part of their anti-drug campaign. Sharing details of the

- **SP Tushar Dudi says police continuing special drive against ganja and narcotic substances**
- **Seizes 151 kg of ganja worth about Rs 28 lakh from January**



Chittoor SP Tushar Dudi were arrested. Police also seized five vehicles worth about Rs 8 lakh used in drug-related activities. To prevent youth from falling victim to drug abuse, the district police have been

conducting drug detection tests in hostels, public places and other suspicious locations. Of the 260 persons tested, 18 were found positive. The SP said legal action is being taken against them while counselling and rehabilitation support is also being provided. Dudi said drug abuse is a serious social problem that affects individuals, families and society. He warned that strict action would be taken against those involved in the cultivation, transportation, sale or consumption of ganja and other narcotic substances.

The police are using technical surveillance, intelligence gathering and interstate coordination to break the drug supply network in the district. He added that awareness programmes are being organised in schools, colleges and other places frequented by youth to educate them about the harmful effects of drugs. Appealing for public support, the SP urged citizens to share information about ganja and drug-related activities with the police, assuring that the identity of informants would be kept confidential.

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