

KAVITHA FIRES RS 1.4K-CR FUND SALVO AGAINST BRS

BRS under fire as Kavitha raises Rs 1,400-cr fund allegation. Calls for distribution of alleged party funds to families of Telangana martyrs

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TELANGANA Rakshana Sena president Kalvakuntla Kavitha on Thursday demanded that the alleged Rs 1,400 crore corruption funds of the BRS be allocated to the families of martyrs (Amaraveerulu).

The TRS leader said that she would never return to the BRS.

She made these comments during her visit to Kothagudem on Thursday. Addressing a massive gathering, Kavitha made it clear that despite systematic, state-sponsored intimidation, her fight for the people, the martyrs, and the working class of Telangana remains unstoppable.



Striking at the very core of the BRS leadership, Kavitha demanded that the Rs 1,400 crore currently sitting in the BRS party account, which she labelled as illicit proceeds accumulated through

systemic corporate quid pro quo; be immediately confiscated and distributed to the families of Telangana martyrs at Rs 1 crore each.

She levelled grave corruption allegations against KTR

and Harish Rao, exposing how public assets were systematically traded for corporate favours.

Kavitha exposed how KTR abused his ministerial powers to orchestrate a mas-

sive quid pro quo deal with his close associate, Pradeep Constructions, granting illegal building permissions for mega-structures.

She further alleged that Rs 188 crore of these ill-gotten funds were recently used by KTR to acquire The Pioneer English newspaper in a desperate bid to buy out the mainstream media narrative and suppress TRS's grassroots anti-corruption exposés.

Kavitha branded Harish Rao as "anaconda of corruption" behind the Kaleshwaram and Palamuru Lift Irrigation projects.

She lambasted the BRS for continuing to project a leader whose tenure left permanent stains of corruption on the state.



Arvind demands CBI probe into Kavitha's charges on KCR family

The delay in handing over the case to the Central agency will give impression that Cong and BRS in cahoots

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BJP MP Arvind Dharmapuri has demanded that Chief Minister Revanth Reddy immediately order a CBI investigation into the corruption and quid pro quo allegations made by Kavitha against the KCR family and Harish Rao.

The Nizamabad MP said that the allegations made by Kalvakuntla Kavitha on BRS party funds, quid pro quo transactions, alleged agreements with Pradeep Con-

structions, political support to Phoenix, and land allocations to Andhra contractors by the previous and current governments are very serious. He urged Chief Minister Revanth Reddy to order a CBI investigation without any doubt on these allegations. Arvind stated that the delay in handing over the investigation into the corruption in the Kaleshwaram project to the CBI, protecting KTR from investigating despite evidence of corruption in the e-car race, and the

failure to take action against those responsible for the phone tapping scam so far have already made people doubt the sincerity of Chief Minister Revanth Reddy, and that people believe that the two parties, Congress and BRS, are in cahoots.

Therefore, he said, to maintain the trust of the people, the government should immediately hand over this matter to the CBI, bring the truth to light with complete transparency and take strict action against the accused.

Centre keen to strengthen Singareni Collieries: Kishan

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UNION Minister for Coal and Mines G Kishan Reddy received a grand welcome on his arrival at the Rajiv Gandhi International Airport (RGIA) on Thursday and reiterated that the Central government's goal is to strengthen Singareni Collieries and it is committed to workers' welfare. Addressing the party cadre and leaders, who gathered in good numbers on his arrival at Rajiv Gandhi International Airport (RGIA) on Thursday to greet him, after the Union Government decided to allocate the Tadicherla coal mine to the Singareni Collieries.

A large number of BJP leaders, activists, Singareni workers and fans, who arrived at the Rajiv Gandhi International Airport (RGIA) welcomed him. The workers, who believe that the allocation of the Tadicherla coal mine to Singareni, will improve employment opportunities for thousands of workers and the company will recover financially.

BJP workers showered him with flowers while raising slogans like Jai Shri Ram and Bharat Mata Ki Jai. Local BJP leaders expressed that this allocation will positively impact the future of Singareni and Telangana's coal sector.

BRICS TUFS Summit: Roadmap for future-ready workforce

Summit under India's chairmanship to discuss social security, AI transformation, skill development and women's participation

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BRICS Trade Union Forum Summit (TUFS) Chairman S Malleshm said that the forthcoming BRICS TUFS in the city will be a pivotal step towards shaping the future of work in a rapidly changing global landscape.

He said on Thursday that, under India's chairmanship, it will put forward a special agenda highlighting four critical issues for deliberation among member nations. Recognising the vital role of employees' voices, the forum aims to foster multilateral co-operation and social justice in the world's leading emerging economies.

As part of the proposed agenda for the summit, "The universalisation of social security and international portability" will be on the agenda. As migration corridors actively connect several BRICS countries, the continuity of

social security benefits for cross-border workers has become increasingly important

"Building on the 2016 BRICS Labour and Employment Ministers' Declaration and subsequent discussions," the forum, during the ensuing summit, seeks to advance policies that ensure migrant workers can access and transfer social security entitlements seamlessly, regardless of their country of employment, he added. This would provide much-needed stability and protection to the growing migrant workforce within BRICS nations.

Malleshm said the second issue on the agenda is the rapid digital transformation of workplaces driven by artificial intelligence, automation, and digitalisation. Against this backdrop and as the BRICS nations experience significant changes in labour dynamics, "The forum calls for a debate on human-centric technology and the responsible govern-



ance of AI in the workplace."

This was with a view to achieving a goal "to ensure that technological advancements respect workers' rights, promote fair employment practices, and are implemented in a way that benefits both businesses and employees. This discussion is particularly timely, given the global debates on balancing innovation with ethical, inclusive policies," he said.

The BRICS TUFS Chairman stated that skill development will also be discussed, as it is emerging as the third focal point. The Forum emphasises the trade unions'

proactive role in driving continuous, state-supported acquisition of vocational, sector-specific, and digital skills. "The objective was to address labour shortages and surpluses collaboratively among BRICS members, ensuring that workers are equipped for the demands of the new digital economy." Besides, Mutual recognition of qualifications and the ability to pivot to new skill sets are seen as key to both national and international economic resilience.

Given the overall expectations from the ensuing summit, he said, the forum will reaffirm the bedrock principle of inclusive labour markets by proposing a special discussion on "Women and Future of Work." Equal opportunities for all, irrespective of gender, are essential for social justice and sustainable economic progress. The BRICS Trade Union Forum is committed to gender equality and a more inclusive future of work.

HC grants bail to Bandi's son in POCSO case

Bageerath was arrested on May 16 and was subsequently remanded to judicial custody

HYDERABAD

THE Telangana High Court on Thursday granted conditional bail to Union Minister Bandi Sanjay Kumar's son, Bageerath, who was arrested in connection with a POCSO case registered against him.

The High Court on July 6 reserved its orders in the bail petition filed by Bageerath. The court allowed Bageerath's plea on furnishing two sureties of Rs One lakh each and other conditions, including directing him to cooperate with the investigation.

Earlier, Public Prosecutor Palle Nageshwara Rao had opposed the granting of bail to the accused and argued that he may influence the witnesses and tamper with evidence, if released on bail. The police are going to file a chargesheet, he further submitted. The petitioner's counsel argued that Bageerath had been in judicial custody for more than 40 days and sought for granting bail. Bageerath



was arrested on the night of May 16 in the POCSO case and was subsequently remanded to judicial custody. The case was registered on May 8 under relevant sections of the BNS and the POCSO Act at Petbashaerabad police station, based on a complaint lodged by the mother of a 17-year-old girl.

She alleged that Bageerath had been in a relationship with her daughter and had sexually harassed her. After recording the girl's statement, more severe charges under the BNS and POCSO Act were subsequently invoked. Bageerath also filed a

counter-complaint, alleging that the girl had introduced herself to him and had invited him to family functions and group gatherings. In his complaint, he stated that, believing her family to be trustworthy, he accompanied them on visits to certain religious sites as part of a group.

He further alleged that the girl and her parents later pressured him to marry her, and when he declined, they demanded money and threatened to file false complaints against him if he refused to pay. An FIR was registered based on his complaint as well.

'Cordon and search' operation conducted

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HYDERABAD: With an objective to eradicate illicit drug trafficking and anti-social activities in the city, the Hyderabad City Police executed a massive joint cordon and search operation, named 'Operation Thunderbolt', in the early hours of Thursday in Mangar Basti in Habeeb Nagar, and 15 drug offenders and 50 suspect property offenders were taken into custody.

Police also seized illegal items, including 150 sachets of ganja, 32-cough syrup bottles, one kg dry ganja and liquor bottles. According to police, the operation was executed with high tactical precision in Mangar Basti under the guidance of Hyderabad City Police Commissioner VC Sajjanar.

Furious Surekha wants TPCC to take action against Kadiyam

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TELANGANA Forest and Endowments Minister Konda Surekha has intensified her efforts against turncoat BRS MLA Kadiyam Srihari, demanding action against him. The minister met TPCC chief Mahesh Kumar Goud on Thursday and submitted a complaint seeking immediate action. She is also scheduled to meet Con-

TPCC chief assures examination of complaint and appropriate action after reviewing facts

gress in-charge Meenakshi Natarajan soon.

Surekha explained the issues she has been facing due to Srihari. Responding to her complaint, Goud assured her that he would examine the matter in detail and take appropriate steps after discussions.

The minister stated that she and her husband had resided in an attempt to resolve the dispute, but the MLA was not willing to settle the issue or reconcile. She said she would meet Meenakshi Natarajan on July 14 to discuss the matter

further. Surekha questioned Srihari for holding a meeting with Endowments officials without informing her. She said the officials explained that they had attended the meeting as Srihari had been pressuring them for the past three months.



She added that she had already brought the issue to the notice of Chief Minister A Revanth Reddy and TPCC chief Mahesh Kumar Goud. Both leaders, she said, assured her that action would be taken after examining all the facts.

The minister also reacted to the issue of donations collected in the name of the Ayodhya Ram Mandir. She said that Lord Sri Rama would punish those who misused his name and exploited devotees for personal gains.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Public in General are notified that Sri Kamshetti Kumaraswamy, S/o. Raji Reddy, R/o. # 16-2-107, Mothukullagudem, H/o. Jammikunta, has purchased the below mentioned part of the schedule property to an extent of 160.00 Sq.yds. from its previous owners: (1) Vijayagiri Rakesh, S/o. Yadagiri, (2) Uppala Karthik, S/o. Santhosh Babu, (3) Uppala Kalyan, S/o. Santhosh Babu, through registered Sale Deed Doc. No. 1412/2022, dated 06-04-2022, at SRO Huzurabad and that he obtained house construction permission from the Jammikunta Municipality. And that he approached SBI, Jammikunta for housing loan by mortgaging the schedule property at the same time, he informed the original link documents pertaining to part of the schedule property: (1) 3139/1992, dt. 19-10-1992, (2) 3681/2010, dt. 28-07-2010 of SRO, Huzurabad have been lost on 25-05-2026 while he was proceeding from his house to Xerox Center at Jammikunta and searched for it and could not find and that he also lodged a complaint before Police, Jammikunta in this regard and the concerned police also made efforts to trace it out, but in vain. Accordingly, the Police, Jammikunta had also issued a certificate bearing No. 15202705261134365940, dated 27-05-2026. Schedule Property: All that the open plot in Sy. No. 755F to an extent of 320.00 Sq. Yards, situated in Mothukullagudem, H/o. Jammikunta V/Md. Karimnagar Dist. within the boundaries: East: H.No. 2-7-56 of Bachu Veeramallu Industry, West: Huzurabad to Jammikunta R&B Road, North: Plot of Damerashetty Vijayalakshmi, W/o. Venkata Rajesham, South: Plot of Chandupatla Sunitha. Therefore, if anybody having any claim or right or title over the schedule property or on the above said lost documents No. 3139/1992 or 3681/2010 of SRO, Huzurabad may approach the undermentioned address with all necessary documents within (7) seven days from the date of this notice, otherwise the Bank will initiate necessary loan proceedings after the stipulated time by the SBI, Jammikunta.

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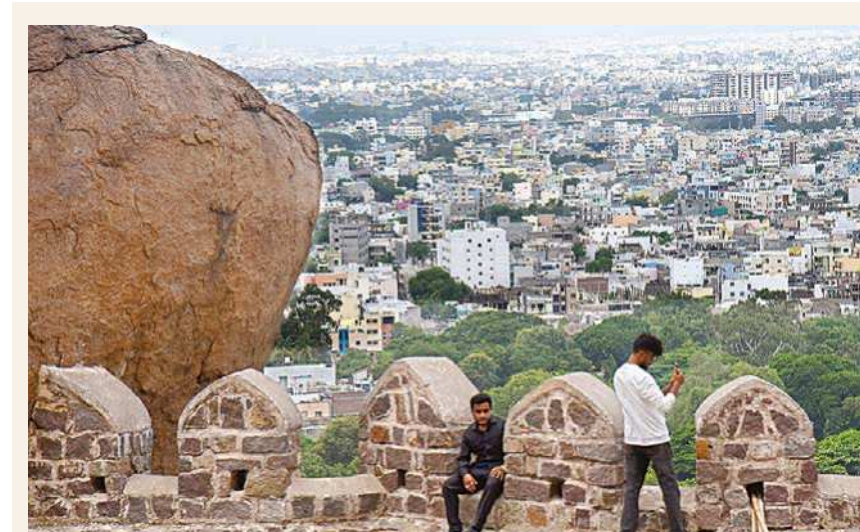
TENDER NOTICE NO.COMM/GWMC/CTN/05/E-PROCUREMENT/2026-27, DATED:- 08-07-2026

I. Fresh Work:- 04 No. of Works costing Rs. 458.00 Lakhs
II. Recall Works:- 11 works costing Rs. 1213.90 L
i) CTN 03/2026-27 (2nd Call) - 01 work costing Rs. 100.00 L
ii) CTN 02/2026-27 (3rd Call) - 05 works costing Rs. 452.90 L
iii) CTN 21/2025-26 (5th Call) - 01 work costing Rs. 86.00 L
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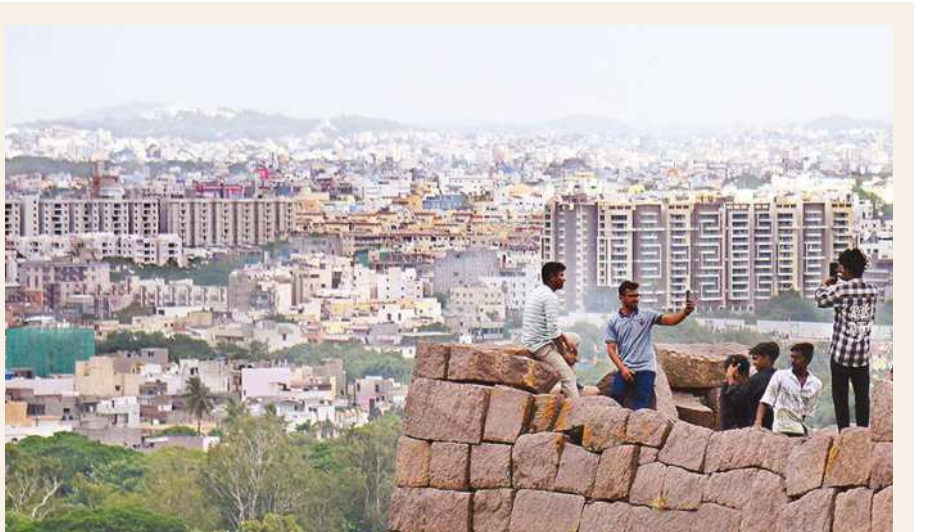
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COMMISSIONER,
GREATER WARANGAL MUNICIPAL CORPORATION

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Visitors capture panoramic views of Hyderabad from the historic Golconda Fort, a popular destination for tourists and photography enthusiasts.



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