PRESS NOTE

Department: Agriculture & Cooperation (Agri.III) Department

Date of decision : 2018

The Council of Ministers in its meeting held on _______ has approved the proposal to accord permission to Acharya N.G. Ranga Agricultural University to collect the affiliation fee @ Rs. 15 Lakhs per annum from each private agricultural college in the state and to review the same after 2 years.

Signature:

Name: (B. RAJSEKHAR)
Special Chief Secretary to Government (FAC)
Agriculture & Cooperation (Agri.III) Dept.,
Mobile No. 9652225255
AGRICULTURE & COOPERATION (Mktg.II) DEPARTMENT

Press Note

The Cabinet hereby approved to De-notification of “Fruits & Vegetables” i.e. II-Fruits group, III-Vegetables group (i.e., waving of market fee and de-listing /de-notification of fruits and vegetables from market regulations) and issuance of Final Notification amendment to schedule II of G.O.Ms.No.2095, F&A (Agri.IV) Department, Dt.29-10-1968 under Section 3 of the Andhra Pradesh (Agricultural Produce & Livestock) Markets Act, 1966.

(B.Rajasekhar)
Special Chief Secretary to Government (Agri.) (FAC)
Agriculture & Cooperation (Mktg.II ) Dept.,
Mobile No. 9652225255.
4. PRESS NOTE

Department: Agriculture & Cooperation (Agri.II) Department

Date of decision: December, 2018.

1.1 Government of Andhra Pradesh intends to scaling up of Andhra Pradesh Climate Resilient ‘Zero-Budget’ Natural Farming Programme” to the entire state by 2024.

1.2 Main objectives of the project is:-

i. Ensure farmers’ welfare, by reducing their costs and risks and improving their yields and resilience to climate change through natural farming (Zero-budget Natural Farming (ZBNF)).

ii. Produce more food, safe food and nutritious food to consumers.

iii. Provide chemical free natural/organic agriculture produce.

iv. Protect the environment from the climate change impact through chemical free farming based on the principles of agroecology.

1.3 Since the requirement of funding is around Rs.16,000 Crs in the next 6 years the Government is scouting for various avenues and KfW is one such.

1.4 Approval of the Council of Ministers is solicited for sending the proposal to the Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare/DEA, Government of India for implementation of the Project “Andhra Pradesh Climate Resilient ‘Zero-Budget’ Natural Farming Programme” with an estimated cost of Rs.2046 Crores, by the Rythu Sadhikara Samstha (RySS), Department of Agriculture, Government of Andhra Pradesh with bilateral financial cooperation of KfW Development Bank.

Signature:

Name: (B.RAJEKHAR)
Spl.C.S to Government
Agriculture & Cooperation
(Adri .II) Department,
Mobile No.9652225255
PRESS NOTE

Department: Animal Husbandry, Dairy Development & Fisheries Department

Date of decision: 17-12-2018

Title: Issue of Letter of Intent (LOI) to M/s Uddi Raju Ananda Raju Educational Foundation (UAREF) Bhimavaram for establishment of Andhra Pradesh Fisheries and Ocean University at Bhimavaram West Godavari District under PPP mode (Government as stake holder) subject to fulfilment of certain conditions.

Decision: Approved by the Council of Ministers.

Major impact:

Andhra Pradesh is the leading State in Aqua-sector in the Country. To provide quality skilled manpower for the Aqua-sector and also to provide high quality, research oriented and industry relevant higher education in the aqua sector and ocean science improving access and equity in higher education in order to enhance the gross enrolment ration (GER) etc., it is proposed to establish Andhra Pradesh Fisheries and Ocean University at Bhimavaram, West Godavari District in PPP mode (Government of A.P as a stake holder) as per the provisions of Andhra Pradesh Fisheries and Ocean University (Establishment and Regulations) Act, 2017. This will be not only help aqua section to grow at the desired rate but also ensure that youth of the state become highly skilled and employable as per the standards of the aqua-industry.

Signature: 

Name: Gopal Krishna Dwivedi
Mobile Phone: 9542016666.
PRESS NOTE

Date of decision : 19th December, 2018

Ratification of the orders issued in G.O.Ms.No.26, B.C.Welfare (C) Department, Dated.03.12.2018 modifying the eligibility criteria under Adarana Programme.

Decision :

- Government in G.O.Ms.No.26, B.C.Welfare (C) Department, Dated.03.12.2018 have modified the eligibility criteria under Adarana Programme as follows :
  “The beneficiaries availing financial support under Adarana Scheme for the year 2018-19 shall also be eligible for any other economic support scheme for further years also”.
- Government have ratified the action in modifying the eligibility criteria under Adarana Programme.
- This scheme will provide financial assistance to the practicing artisans belonging to BCs for acquiring improved handset tools and gadgets for sustained income generation and economic development.
- This financial assistance will enable to improve their productivity, minimizing human drudgery, improving product / service quality and help modernize process operations.
- The ultimate goal of the scheme is to contribute to increased income levels and improve standards of livelihood of Artisans.
Through the scheme, 4,02,500 BC beneficiaries will be covered for financial assistance.

The scheme will boost the satisfaction and happiness index of the Society.

Expenditure involved: Rs.750.00 Crores as Subsidy + 10% beneficiary contribution.

Number of beneficiaries: Approximately 4,02,500 BC beneficiaries will be covered under this scheme for the financial year 2018-19.

(B.UDAYA LAKSHMI)
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
Date of decision : 21st December, 2018

Enhancement of subsidy from 70% to 90% to the beneficiaries under Adarana Programme duly amending the G.O.Ms.No.1, B.C.Welfare (C) Dept., Dated.10.03.2018

Decision :

- Government in G.O.Ms.No.1, BC Welfare (C) Dept., dt. 10-03-2018 while issuing the guidelines for implementation of Adarana Programme, it was ordered that the pattern of assistance to the beneficiaries was fixed, subsidy as 70%, NBCFDC Loan component is 20% and beneficiary contribution is 10%.

- Government have approved to enhance the subsidy from 70% to 90% to the beneficiaries under Adarana Programme duly amending the G.O.Ms.No.1, B.C.Welfare (C) Department, Dated.10.03.2018.

- This scheme will provide financial assistance to the practicing artisans belonging to BCs for acquiring improved handset tools and gadgets for sustained income generation and economic development by capitalizing on the concept of “low hanging fruits”.

- This financial assistance will enable to improve their productivity, minimizing human drudgery, improving product / service quality and help modernize process operations.
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(B.UDAYA LAKSHMI)
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
PRESS NOTE

Department: ENVIRONMENT, FORESTS, SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY

Date of Decision: 21.12.2018


Decision:

i. The firm i.e., M/s. Patanjali Ayurved Limited is permitted to lift the material upto 30.04.2019 subject to entering into supplementary agreement with APFDC Limited.

ii. The ground rent in respect of M/s. Patanjali Ayurved Limited, as per the Special Terms and Conditions of tender document is exempted. However, other incidental charges upto the date of actual lifting of the material including other statutory dues (Access Benefit Sharing (ABS) fee & GST etc.,) shall be collected from the purchaser.

G. ANANTHA RAMU
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
ENERGY, INFRASTRUCTURE & INVESTMENT (PORTS.I) DEPARTMENT

PRESS NOTE

Government have approved for establishment of an umbrella organization called “Andhra Pradesh Maritime Infrastructure Development Corporation Limited” (APMIDCL) under the Companies Act, 2013 for establishment of Ramayapatnam Port and development of other allied Maritime Infrastructure in the State.

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(AJAY JAIN)
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

Hon'ble Minister (I&PR)
PRESS NOTE

For implementation of BharatNet Phase-II Project, Government have approved the 9.1% rate of difference over the estimated cost i.e., Rs.787.86 crores and to issue LoA to the following eligible bidders.

1. M/s Telecommunications Consultants India Limited
2. M/s Larsen & Toubro
3. M/s Tera Software Limited

AJAY JAIN
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
ENERGY, INFRASTRUCTURE AND INVESTMENT DEPARTMENT
Mobile: 9848882211
PRESS NOTE

Introducing new Andhra Pradesh Wind-Solar Hybrid Power Policy-2018 taking into consideration the National Wind Solar Hybrid Policy, to encourage hybrid renewable energy power projects for optimal utilization of transmission infrastructure and also reduce variability in renewable power generation and achieving better grid stability in the State of Andhra Pradesh.

(AJAY JAIN)
Prl.Secy., Energy, I&I
ENERGY, I&I (Power.II-A2) DEPARTMENT

PRESS NOTE


(AJAY JAIN)
Prl.Secy., Energy, I&I
DEPARTMENT: General Administration (SC.F) Dept.

Date of decision:

Title: Sanction of (5) additional posts namely two (2) Legal Advisors-cum-Special Public Prosecutors, two (2) Junior Stenos / Typists and one (1) Office Subordinate to present the cases on behalf of the A.C.B., in the newly created Special Court for trial of SPE & ACB cases at Rajahmundry.

Decision: Government have sanctioned (5) additional posts to the existing cadre strength viz., two (2) Legal Advisors-cum-Special Public Prosecutors, two (2) Junior Stenos / Typists and one (1) Office Subordinate to present the cases on behalf of the A.C.B., in the newly created Special Court for trial of SPE & ACB cases at Rajahmundry.

Major impact: (5) additional posts viz. two (2) Legal Advisors-cum-Special Public Prosecutors, two (2) Junior Stenos / Typists and one (1) Office Subordinate sanctioned to present the cases on behalf of the A.C.B., in the newly created Special Court at Rajahmundry for the purpose of speedy trial of offences under the Andhra Pradesh Special Courts Act, 2016.

Expenditure involved: Rs.39.73 Lakhs per annum additionally.

Number of beneficiaries: (05) Five

Districts covered: ACB Ranges of Two Districts viz., East Godavari District and West Godavari Dist.

Likely questions and answers:

Signature: 

Name: (SRIKANT NAGULAPALLI)

Mobile No: 9866148811
(PRESS NOTE)

DEPARTMENT: General Administration

Date of decision:

Title: Ratification of the action in having issued the orders in G.O.Ms.No.149,
G.A. (Poll.A) dept., dt:27.11.2018 for Creation of posts in the Peshies of
(02) New Ministers.

Decision:

Government have ratified the action taken in having orders issued vide
in the Peshies of (02) New Ministers.

Major impact: (16) posts viz. two (2) Private Secretary (Gazetted), two
(2) Personal Assistants (Non-Gazetted) (OR) one Addl. Private
Secretary (Gazetted) one Personal Assistant (Non-Gazetted), one
(1) Addl. Driver, one (1) Jamedar and three (3) Office
Subordinates created temporarily w.e.f. 11.11.2018 F.N. on co-
terminus with the tenure of the Ministers concerned or till the
necessity for the post ceases whichever is earlier.

Expenditure involved: Rs.1,18,33,224 per annum

Number of beneficiaries: (16) Sixteen

Districts covered:

Likely questions and answers:

Signature:

Name: (SRIKANT NAGULAPALLI).

Mobile No: 9866143811.
PRESS NOTE

Department: Higher Education

Date of decision: 19/12/2018

Title: Creation of (80) Teaching positions in the cadre of i.e, 1. Professors-9, 2. Associate Professors-18, 3. Assistant Professors-53 and Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry, Humanities/Social Sciences, Library Science and Physical Director in newly establishment 3rd constituent Engineering College of JNTUK at Narasaraopet, Guntur District enacted by Act 30/2008 and fill up on regular basis.

Decision: for sanction of the teaching posts at University College of Engineering, JNTUK, Narasaraopeta, Guntur District is agreed to Finance Department.

Major impact: At present few faculty have been appointed on contract basis. The regular faculty needs to be filled in the above departments.

Expenditure involved: 7.11 crores

Number of beneficiaries: - 1200 (60X5X4= 1200)

Districts covered: Guntur, Krishna, East Godavari, West Godavari, Visakhapatnam, Vizianagaram and Srikakulam

Progress if already running: Yes

Likely questions and answers: Nil

Signature:
Name: K. DAMAYANTI
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY
PRESS NOTE

Department: Higher Education

Date of decision: 21-12-2015

Title: Up-gradation of the existing post of Deputy Director in A.P. State Council of Higher Education as Joint Director and promote the existing Deputy Director as Joint Director as a special case.

Decision: The Council of Ministers have approved the proposal for Up-gradation of the existing post of Deputy Director in A.P. State Council of Higher Education as Joint Director and promote the existing Deputy Director as Joint Director as a special case, additional expenditure which is approximately Rs.48,000 per annum, will be incurred by the Council from its existing Grants or internal resources of funds.

Major impact:

Expenditure involved: Rs.48,000 per annum.

Number of beneficiaries:

Districts covered:

Progress if already running: No

Likely questions and answers: Nil

Principal Secretary to Government
HIGHER EDUCATION DEPARTMENT
A.P. SECRETARIAT, VELAGAPUDI,
GUNTUR DIST.-522 503,AMARAVATI
PRESS NOTE

Department: Higher Education

Date of decision: 21/12/2018

Title: Higher Education - Establishment of Private Universities in Andhra Pradesh State – Issue of Letter of Intent (LoI) to Sponsoring Body of Apollo Hospitals Education and Research Foundation to establish The Apollo University in Murukambattu, Chittoor, the sponsoring body of Centre for Developmental Education to establish Global Digital University in Tirupati, the sponsoring body of Techno India Group to establish Techno India University in Kappuluppada, Visakhapatnam, the sponsoring body of Anisha Education Society to establish Anisha Rubika United World University in Intelligent Global Hub for Digital Pedagogy (IGHDP), Visakhapatnam and the sponsoring body of VED Society to establish Om Sri Gayatri Viswakarma University in Ongole under A.P. Private Universities (Establishment & Regulation) Act, 2016 from the academic year 2019-20 - Reg

Decision:- The Council of Ministers have approved the proposal regarding Establishment of Private Universities in Andhra Pradesh State for Issue of Letter of Intent (LoI), to Sponsoring Body of Apollo Hospitals Education and Research Foundation to establish the Apollo University in Murukambattu, Chittoor, the sponsoring body of Centre for Developmental Education to establish Global Digital University in Tirupati, the sponsoring body of Techno India Group to establish Techno India University in Kappuluppada, Visakhapatnam, the sponsoring body of Anisha Education Society to establish Anisha Rubika United World University in Intelligent Global Hub for Digital Pedagogy (IGHDP), Visakhapatnam and the sponsoring Body of VED Society to establish Om Sri Gayatri Viswakarma University in Ongole under A.P. Private Universities (Establishment & Regulation) Act, 2016 from the academic year 2019-20, subject to the condition that they make their own arrangements for land within 2 years.

Major impact: The establishment of these Universities will bring an investment of Rs.3,743.36 crores in 10 years and increase students enrolment by 91,904 in 10 years.

Expenditure involved: NIL

Number of beneficiaries: Students covered in 3 districts
Districts covered: Chittoor, Visakhapatnam, Prakasam
Progress if already running: No
Likely questions and answers: Nil

Signature:
Name: K. DAMAYANTHI
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY
PRESS NOTE

The Council of Ministers has approved for Establishment of new Primary Health Centre with an estimated expenditure of Rs. 191.19 lakhs at Darga Honnuru, Bommanahal Mandal, Ananthapur District along with sanction of following posts and permitted to outsource other services such as Multi Purpose Health Assistant (F), Pharmacist Grade-II, Lab-Technician Grade-II, Junior Assistant and Sanitary Attender cum Watchman but not individuals.

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POONAM MALAKONDAIAH
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNEMNT
PRESS NOTE

Department: Health, Medical & Family Welfare Department

Date of decision: December, 2018

Headline (Subject): Creation of one post of Research Chemist on supernumerary basis in Government Medical College, Guntur for accommodating Sri K.Nagi Reddy, Research Chemist.

The Council of Ministers in its meeting held on 19th December, 2018 has resolved to create one post of Research Chemist on Supernumerary basis in Government Medical College, Guntur for accommodating Sri K.Nagi Reddy, Research Chemist.

And in the event of separation of Telangana State, he is being the Andhra person allotted to A.P. and reported to D.M.E., A.P on 21-07-2016, as there is no Research Chemist Post under control of Director of Medical Education, A.P., Vijayawada and Sri. K. Nagi Reddy requested the Government to post him in suitable post according to his qualifications.

POONAM MALAKONDAIAH
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

Special Chief Secretary to Government
Health, Medical and Family Welfare Department
A.P. Secretariat, Velagapudi,
Amaravati.
File No.: 8444/Prisons & Fire/2015
Department: Home

PRESS NOTE

Department: Home Department

Date of decision: 21.12.2018

Headline (Subject): Establishment of new Fire Station at Darsi (Village and Mandal), Prakasam District with a strength of SFO-1, Leading Fireman-2, Driver Operator-3, Fireman-10 and Junior Assistant-1, total 17 posts at a total cost of Rs. 234.62 Lakhs.

The Council of Ministers in its meeting held on 21.12.2018 has resolved to establish a new Fire Station at Darsi (Village and Mandal), Prakasam District with a strength of SFO-1, Leading Fireman-2, Driver Operator-3, Fireman-10 and Junior Assistant-1, total 17 posts at a total cost of Rs. 234.62 Lakhs to attend Fire and emergency calls.

Darsi Village in Prakasam District is an Assembly Constituency and having a Population of 31,126 in Town and 2,52,987 in Darsi Constituency. There are 70 Villages under the Constituency which are considerable fire prone. There are considerable fire hazards within the proposed Fire Station Limits like Petrol Bunks, Cinema Halls, Timber Depots, Banks, Agricultural Demonstration Office, Thatched houses, Cold Storages, Rice Mills, Gas agencies and Timber Depots.

Currently the nearest Fire Stations are Kanigiri 50 KM., and Addanki 33 KM. There is no Fire Station in Darsi Assembly Constituency. Therefore a New Fire Station is being established at Darsi, in Prakasam District.

Signature: [Signature]

Name: A.R. ANURADHA, I.P.S
Mobile No: 9440627878
PRESS NOTE

Government have approved Upgradation of 2585 posts of Police Constables (Civil) as 2019 Head Constables (Civil) and 566 posts of Asst. Sub Inspector of Police (Civil), in various Police Districts of the State. This will improve their promotion prospects and lead to better performance.

A.R. ANURADHA
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
HOME DEPARTMENT
Mobile No.9440627878

21.12.2018
PRESS NOTE

Department: Industries and Commerce

Date of Decision: 21-12-2018.

Title: consideration of De-notification of Acs. 44.217 cts. land in Brandix India Apparel City, Visakhapatnam,

Decision: Proposal for consideration of De-notification of Acs. 44.217 cts. land in Brandix India Apparel City, Visakhapatnam subject to entering supplemental agreement with a condition that de-notified land will not be sold to anyone and can only be leased. Land to be used only for industrial purpose, for garment and related ecosystem creation.

Major Impact:

Investment:

Employment: Will generate the employment of 60,000 already committed.

District: Visakhapatnam District.

Progress if already running: More Investments will come into the SEZ to create employment.

S. SOLOMON AROKIARAJ
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT & CIP
Department: Industries and Commerce
Date of Decision: 21/12/2018

Title: Ratification of the decisions taken by the SIPB

Decision: Ratification of the decisions taken by the SIPB during the period from 26-9-2014 to 12-6-2018 and orders issued accordingly extending the incentives to Mega Projects and other important projects as per minutes of State Investment Promotion Board under Industrial Development Policy 2015-20 and various Sectoral Policies of the Government.

Major Impact: Industrial Development in the State

Beneficiaries: Mega Industries & other Important Industries in the State

Districts covered: Entire State

SOLOMON AROKIARAJ
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT & CIP
Mobile No. 88972 56363
PRESS NOTE

Department: Industries and Commerce

Date of Decision: 21-12-2018

Title: Allotment of 130.00 Acs of Land to M/s Arvind Ltd.,

Decision: Considering allotment to an extent of 130.00 Acs of land at Thatiguntapalli (V), Valmikipuram (M), Chittoor Dist in. favour of M/s. Arvind Ltd., for setting up of Jeans Garment & Fabric manufacturing.

Major Impact:

Investment: Total investment in the project will be Rs.760.00 Crores in 3rd Phase by the end of 2026.

Employment: Will generate the employment for about 9,031 people.

District: Chittoor District.

Progress if already running: New Project.

S. SOLOMON AROKIARAJ
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT & CIP
PRESS NOTE

Department : Industries and Commerce
Date of Decision : 21-12-2018

Title : Proposal for Approval of Stressed Enterprises Policy 2018-20 to mitigate stress and revive stressed MSMEs.

Decision : Approval of Stressed Enterprises Policy 2018-20 to mitigate stress and revive stressed MSMEs.

Major Impact : To mitigate stress and revive stressed MSMEs.

Beneficiaries : All eligible Stressed MSMEs in the State

S.SOLOMON AROKIARAJ
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT & CIP
Mobile No. 88972 56363
PRESS NOTE

Department: Industries and Commerce

Date of Decision: 21-12-2018

Title: Issue of Indemnity Bond

Decision: Incorporation of Indemnity clause in the APIIC's Agreement of Sale of Land to M/s Apollo Tyres Ltd.

Major Impact:

Investment:

Employment:

District: Chittoor District.
Progress if already running: New Project.

S. SOLOMON AROKIARAJ
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT & CIP
GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION & URBAN DEVELOPMENT (D1) DEPARTMENT

PRESS NOTE

The Council of Ministers in its meeting held on 21/12/2018 has ratified and approved the following proposal:

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<td>(i) Ratification of the Council of Ministers to Government Orders issued vide G.O.Ms.No.18, Finance (HR.II) Dept., dated 06.02.2017 and G.O.Ms.No.82, Finance (HR.II) Dept., dated 16.05.2017, for upgradation of 872 posts to that of School Assistants (Language) and School Assistants (Physical Education) in Municipal Schools in the State.</td>
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<td>(ii). Approved by the Cabinet for Upgradation of the posts of Language Pandits (Grade II) Telugu 9, Hindi 8 and Physical Education Teachers 5 as School Assistants, <strong>totalling 22</strong> at Municipal High Schools at Nandyal and Gudivada Municipalities, as it was not upgraded earlier.</td>
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R. KARIKAL VALAVEN
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
**Department:** MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION & URBAN DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

**Date of Decision:** 21.12.2018

**Headline (Subject):**

Waiver of the Layout approval & development charges (i.e., processing fee, land development permit fee, betterment charges, external betterment charges, conversion charges & such other fees) payable to Visakhapatnam-Kakinada Petroleum, Chemical & Petro-Chemical Investment Region Special Development Authority (VK-PCPIR - SDA), Visakhapatnam by M/s Kakinada SEZ Ltd. (KSEZ) (Formerly Kakinada SEZ Private Ltd.) for approval of the Layout & Master Plan towards development of the Industrial Park.

**Decision:**

Waived the Layout approval & development charges (i.e., processing fee, land development permit fee, betterment charges, external betterment charges, conversion charges & such other fees) payable to Visakhapatnam-Kakinada Petroleum, Chemical & Petro-Chemical Investment Region Special Development Authority (VK-PCPIR - SDA), Visakhapatnam by M/s Kakinada SEZ Ltd. (KSEZ) (Formerly Kakinada SEZ Private Ltd.) for approval of the Layout & Master Plan towards development of the Industrial Park...

**Major impact:** to award boost to the Industrial corridor. The Industrial park will provide 3000 employments.

**Expenditure involved:** ----

**Number of beneficiaries:** ----

**Districts covered:** East Godavari District.

**Likely questions and answers:** NIL

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R.KARIKAL VALAVEN
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
Mobile No.: 9989888137
GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH  
MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION & URBAN DEVELOPMENT (J2) DEPARTMENT  

PRESS NOTE

The Council of Ministers in its meeting held on 21.12.2018 has approved the following proposal:

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<td>Government have leased out First floor of Gandhiji Municipal High School at Vijayawada in favour of B.R.G.K.S.V Educational Society, Vijayawada for running Mahila Kalasala under the name and style of “Gandhiji Mahila Kalasala&quot; for a period of 25 years, as per Section 148 (3) of GHMC Act, 1955 as amended vide Act No.15 of 2013, subject to condition that the Educational Society shall provide 25% of seats to Municipal Corporation students and other usual terms and conditions, as per rules in vogue.</td>
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R. KARIKAL VALAVEN  
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
Department: Municipal Administration and Urban Development

Date of Decision: 20-12-2018

Headline (Subject): Proposal for waiver of half of the property tax of Rs.7,33,358/- levied on the school buildings of Vivekananda Vidya Nikethan of Ramakrishna Mission, Putlampalli, for the period from 2010-11 to 2017-18 in Kadapa Municipal Corporation, Kadapa.

Decision: Exemption half of the property tax levied be waived in respect of House tax of Vivekananda Vidya Nikethan of Ramakrishna Mission, Putlampalli, Kadapa Municipal Corporation, Kadapa.

Major Impact: Nil
Expenditure Involved: Nil

Number of Beneficiaries: Vivekananda Vidya Nikethan of Ramakrishna Mission, Putlampalli, Kadapa Municipal Corporation, Kadapa.

District Covered: Kadapa
Likely Questions and answers: Nil

III. ANNOUNCEMENT STRATEGY

R.KARIKAL VALAVEN
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
Department: Municipal Administration and Urban Development

Date of Decision: 21-12-2018

Headline (Subject):

The proposal is to levy and collect 50% of Vacant Land Tax during the construction period of building and also levy Vacant Land Tax @ 0.20% of the capital value in Municipal Corporation duly reducing 0.50% to 0.20% of capital value, to revise the Vacant Land Tax automatically as and when the Market Values are enhanced (or) revised by Stamps and Registration Department and to waive - off the interest on arrears of Property Tax / Service charges on State Government / Central Government Buildings or land Municipalities and Municipal Corporations as one time measure.

Decision:- The above proposal has Agreed by Hon'ble C.M
Major Impact:- Nil
Expenditure Involved: --

Number of Beneficiaries: Public of Municipalities and Municipal Corporations

District Covered: State Government
Likely Questions and answers: Nil

VII. ANNOUNCEMENT STRATEGY

R.KARIKAL VALAVEN
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
Department: PR & RD (RD.III) DEPARTMENT

Date of Decision: 21-12-2018

Headline (Subject): “Allotment of APSIRD & PR ETCs land of Bapatla for an extent of 19.87 acres and Srikalahasthi land for an extent of 8.54 acres to Andhra Pradesh Human Resources Development Institute (APHRDI)”.

Decision:

Council of Ministers have approved the proposal.

Major Impact: For Construction of its Own buildings of APHRDI at Bapatla and Srikalahasthi (regional centre)

Expenditure involved: -------.
Number of beneficiaries: -------
Districts covered: Guntur and Chittoor
Likely questions and answers: -------

SIGNATURE:
Name: Dr.K.S.JAWAHAR REDDY, I.A.S.
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Department: PR & RD (PTS.III)

(PRESS NOTE)

Department : P.R & R.D (Pts.III) Department

Date of decision : 21.12.2018

Headline (Subject) : Transfer of powers and functions of Section 45 (i), (ii), (iii), (iv), (v) & (viii), Section 46 (ii) and Schedule-I (11 & 13) to APIIC in respect of M/s.Kakinada SEZ IALA area of the land measuring to an extent of 8672.40 Acres at Thondangi & U.Kothapalli Mandals in East Godavari District in addition to the Sections already transferred in G.O.Ms.No.27, PR&RD, Dt.31.05.2017 under Section 147 of A.P. Panchayat Raj Act, 1994.

Decision :

Council of Ministers have approved the proposal.

Major Impact : For better provision of civic amenities in the IALA area of the 8 Gram Panchayats

Expenditure involved : ----- 
Number of beneficiaries : -------
Districts Covered : East Godavari District
Likely Questions and Answers : -------

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Department: WATER RESOURCES (MIG) DEPARTMENT

The proposal is for creation of three categories of posts 35 nos for implementation of Andhra Pradesh Irrigation and Livelihood improvement Project Phase-II (APILIP-II) with JICA Assistance.

Andhra Pradesh Irrigation and Livelihood Improvement Project (APILIP-II) is intended for modernization of 2 Major, 18 Medium and 445 Minor irrigation projects along with other components (1) Participatory Irrigation Management (PIM) (2) promotion of Farmer producer organization (FPOs) (3) Livelihood support programme for Animal Husbandry and Fishery Sector (4) Pilot programme (a) Food value claim for strategic crops (b) Farm Mechanization. APILIP-II is proposed to be taken up under JIICA assistance and project duration is 7 years with an estimated cost of Rs.2000 Crs.

The matter is placed before the cabinet to accord approval for creation of three category of posts 35 nos (13+17+5) i.e., i) Regular Government Employees on deputation (ii) Experts from the market on fixed term contracts (iii) Supporting staff on work contract basis and also for approval of the remuneration proposed for the experts posts, duly fixing the Grade for the purpose of TA rules for implementation of Andhra Pradesh Irrigation and Livelihood Improvement Project Phase-II (APILIP-II) with JICA Assistance.

The Cabinet has approved the above proposal.

(SHASHI BHUSHAN KUMAR)
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
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WATER RESOURCES (Projects.I) DEPARTMENT

PRESS NOTE

The Water Resources Department has placed the proposal for ratification of the orders issued vide Government Memo No. ICD01-19052/196/2018-PROJECTS-I-WRD, dated: 08.11.2018 for 1) Deleting the part of balance work of 387.56 Cr from the original EPC Agency M/s Transstroy- JSC ‘EC’ UES (JV), under clause 60(C) of PS to APDSS and 2) Entrustment of the balance work of fabrication and erection of gates etc. to M/s BEKEM Infra Pvt. Ltd., for Rs. 387.56 Cr at original agreement rates after applying tender discount of (-)14.0555% less under clause 60(C) of PS to APDSS read with PS 60 of Annexure. I of G.O. Ms No. 50, dt. 02.08.2009.

The Cabinet has ratified the above proposal.

(SHASHI BHUSHAN KUMAR)
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
WATER RESOURCES (Projects.I) DEPARTMENT

PRESS NOTE

The Water Resources Department has placed the proposal for ratification of the orders issued vide Government Memo.No.ICD01-MJIROIC28/30/2018-PROJECTS-I-WRD Dated: 19/11/2018 for increasing Special revolving fund from Rs.20.00 Crores to Rs.50.00 Crores in respect of contracting agency (M/s Navayuga Engineer Company Limited) for procurement of diesel at site to expedite the Spill Channel, Coffer Dam and ECRF Dam works subject to the condition that the amount spent shall be recovered in lumpsum from the immediate RA bill.

The Cabinet has ratified the above proposal.

(SHASHI BHUSHAN KUMAR)
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
PRESS NOTE

TABLE ITEM NO. 2

Department: REVENUE

Date of decision: 21-12-2018

Title: Approval of proposed amendment to certain sections of the A.P. Dotted Lands (Updation in Re-settlement Register) Act, 2017 for effective implementation of the said Act.

Decision: Approved the proposal.

Major impact: Sort out the large number of grievances/cases on Dotted lands.

Expenditure involved: NIL

Number of beneficiaries:

Districts covered: 13

Progress if already running: No

Likely questions and answers:

R. KARIKAL VALAVEN
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