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### Telangana State Regional News

<p><b>Heat waves</b></p>	<p><b>Why in news?</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Telangana has followed Kerala and Tamil Nadu in officially recognizing heatwaves as a 'State-specific disaster' and has increased the ex-gratia amount for the families of victims to ₹4 lakh.</li> <li>This decision comes after the India Meteorological Department issued a warning that both average temperatures and the frequency of heatwaves are expected to rise across all climate scenarios.</li> </ul> <p><b>Key Points:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Heat waves are prolonged <b>periods of excessively hot weather</b> that can cause adverse impacts on human health, the environment, and the economy.</li> <li>In India IMD defines heatwave based on the following criteria.</li> <li><b>Physiography of regions</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Plain</b>– The maximum temperature recorded at a station is 40 degrees Celsius or more.</li> <li><b>Coast</b>- The maximum temperature recorded at a station is 37 degrees Celsius or more.</li> <li><b>Hills</b>- The maximum temperature recorded at a station is 30 degrees Celsius or more.</li> </ul> </li> <li><b>Based on Departure from Normal Temperature</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Heat Wave</b>- Departure from normal is 4.5°C to 6.4°C</li> <li><b>Severe Heat Wave</b>- Departure from normal is &gt;6.4°C</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<p><b>Telangana Bhu Bharati (Record of Rights) Act</b></p>	<p><b>Why in news?</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Following the launch of the Telangana Bhu Bharati (Record of Rights in Lands) Act 2025, the state government on Tuesday released the details of GO Ms No 39, outlining the rules for implementing the Act.</li> <li>Through the Telangana Bhu Bharati (Record of Rights in Lands) Rules, 2025, the government issued guidelines to Revenue department officials, detailing their jurisdiction and the procedures for handling land transactions and related disputes.</li> </ul> <p><b>Key Points:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The new Act has provision for <b>creation of Bhudhar, record for all land parcels across the State and issuance of Bhudhaar cards for protecting the ownership rights as well as ensuring access to the land details with a click of mouse.</b></li> <li>This bill aims to amend the existing Record of Rights (RoR act) Act, replacing the outdated Dharani portal with the</li> </ul>



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	<p>innovative <b>Bhumata portal</b> as an online platform to improve land registration process.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bhudhaar” means the land parcel unique identification number assigned to any parcel of land, as contained in the Record of Rights, in such manner as may be prescribed which includes – <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ <b>“Temporary Bhudhaar”</b> - a Bhudhaar assigned to indicate that the Geo-referencing of the parcel of land or lands appurtenant to the property has not been completed.</li> <li>○ <b>“Permanent Bhudhaar”</b> - a Bhudhaar assigned to indicate that the Geo-referencing of the parcel of land or lands appurtenant to the property has been completed.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b>Bhudhaar Card”</b> means a document prepared or generated and maintained in an electronic form in such format as may be prescribed describing a parcel or parcels of land as contained in the Record of Rights, and specifying the Bhudhaar Number or Numbers assigned to such parcel or parcels.</li> </ul>
India Meteorological Department (IMD)	<p><b>Why in news?</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• According to the India Meteorological Department's (IMD) first long-range forecast for 2025, Telangana is expected to receive above-normal rainfall during the southwest monsoon season (June to September).</li> </ul> <p><b>Key Points:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• IMD was established in <b>1875</b>.</li> <li>• It is the <b>National Meteorological Service</b> of the country and the <b>principal government agency</b> in all matters relating to meteorology and allied subjects.</li> <li>• The <b>Director General of Meteorology is the Head</b> of the India Meteorological Department.</li> <li>• There are 6 Regional Meteorological Centres, each under a Deputy Director General with headquarters at <b>Mumbai, Chennai, New Delhi, Calcutta, Nagpur and Guwahati</b>.</li> <li>• Its headquarter is in <b>New Delhi</b>.</li> <li>• At present, IMD is under the <b>Ministry of Earth Sciences (MoES)</b>.</li> <li>• <b>The IMD uses 4 color codes are:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ <b>Green (All is well):</b> No advisory is issued.</li> <li>○ <b>Yellow (Be Aware):</b> Yellow indicates severely bad weather spanning across several days. It also suggests that the weather could change for the worse, causing disruption in day-to-day activities.</li> <li>○ <b>Orange/Amber (Be prepared):</b> The orange alert is issued as a warning of extremely bad weather with the potential of disruption in commute with road and rail</li> </ul> </li> </ul>



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	<p>closures, and interruption of power supply.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ <b>Red (Take Action):</b> When the extremely bad weather conditions are certainly going to disrupt travel and power and have significant risk to life, the red alert is issued.</li> </ul>
<b>Indiramma housing scheme</b>	<p><b>Why in news?</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Beneficiaries of the Indiramma Housing Scheme in Telangana, who have completed the construction of the basement, were credited ₹1 lakh each into their bank accounts.</li> <li>• This is the first of the four installments. Each beneficiary would be provided with ₹5 lakh in total to construct a house.</li> </ul> <p><b>Key Points:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• To provide housing facilities to <b>all the homeless citizens of the state the Telangana state government introduced the Indiramma Housing Scheme 2025.</b></li> <li>• Under this, the government will provide <b>Rs 5 lakh financial assistance to construct the house to those who already owned a housing plot.</b></li> <li>• <b>A piece of land and Rs 5 lakh will be given as a housing scheme benefit to the poor who did not possess the plot..</b></li> </ul>
<b>Self Help Group (SHG)</b>	<p><b>Why in news?</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Deputy Chief Minister Mallu Bhatti Vikramarka announced that the government had set a target of providing Rs 20,000 crore in interest-free loans to Self-Help Group (SHG) women, but it has surpassed this goal, disbursing over Rs 21,000 crore.</li> </ul> <p><b>Key Points:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A Self Help Group is a <b>self-governed, peer-controlled information group of people with similar socio-economic backgrounds</b> and a desire to collectively perform a common purpose.</li> <li>• An SHG normally <b>consists of not less than five persons (with a maximum of twenty)</b> of similar economic outlook and social status.</li> <li>• <b>Government Initiatives and Policies Supporting SHGs:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Deen Dayal Antyodaya Yojana – National Rural Livelihoods Mission (DAY-NRLM)</li> <li>○ SHG-Bank Linkage Programme (SBLP)</li> <li>○ Mission for Financial Inclusion (MFI)</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

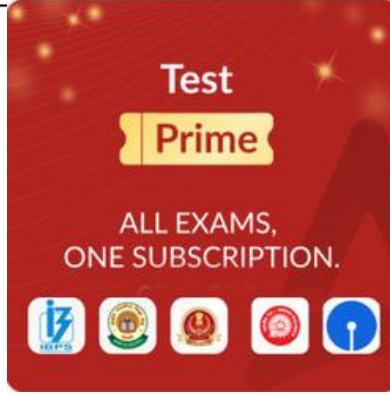


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