

Bid to smuggle rice to UK via Kochi port foiled

Customs seizes long-grain rice from eleven containers bound for the UK in one month

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CUSTOMS has seized shipments of long-grain white rice being sneaked out of Kochi port passed off as salt. Officers stumbled upon the ruse while inspecting purported salt shipments bound for the United Kingdom. In just the past month, they nabbed 230 tonnes of rice from 11 containers at Vallarpadam terminal.

To curb the price rise in the domestic market, India imposed a ban on the export of non-basmati white rice and set a minimum export price (MEP) of \$1,200 per ton on basmati rice shipments two years ago. The MEP was reduced to \$950/ton last October.

counts for nearly 40% of global rice exports. Exploiting this surge in demand, exporters are resorting to smuggling rice for hefty profits.

"Most of the shipments originated from exporters in Tamil Nadu. Attempts have also been made to smuggle white and basmati rice from Kozhikode. Anticipating more such attempts, we're intensifying checks of containers carrying food grains and products," a senior customs officer said.

The modus operandi involves booking containers for salt transport. "The containers filled with rice sacks are topped off with a layer of salt sacks. Exporters assume that only basic checks are conducted at freight stations. However, we now meticulously scrutinise every container to thwart smuggling," the officer stressed.

Container freight stations have been alerted. "We've observed that the price of basmati rice and long-grain white rice has tripled abroad since the export ban. All seized containers were bound for London," he added.



T'gana politics heat up as Naidu talks TDP revival

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ANDHRA Pradesh Chief Minister N Chandrababu Naidu on Sunday left political analysts trying to figure out implications of his comments that the Telangana unit of the TDP will be reactivated, and revived to its past glory. Earlier, Deputy Chief Minister K Pawan Kalyan had spoken about dabbling in Telangana politics, heating up the political climate in the state.

A day after his meeting with Telangana Chief Minister A Revanth Reddy, Naidu on Sunday announced plans to reactivate the TDP in Telangana. This announcement, made at

NTR Trust Bhavan, marked Naidu's first visit to Hyderabad and the party office since becoming the chief minister for the fourth time. Naturally, the statement created a stir, as the TDP has been largely inactive in Telangana for several years.

While visiting the Kondagattu temple, Jana Sena Party (JSP) supreme Pawan Kalyan had said the BJP and JSP would work as allies in Telangana. The TDP, JSP and BJP alliance is already in power in Andhra Pradesh, having defeated the YSRCP in the recent elections. Historically, the TDP and BJP had an alliance in Telangana until the 2014 Assembly Elections, having contested together in 1994, 1999 and 2004.

The current political dynamics bode well for a reunion of these parties in Telangana, with the JSP joining the alliance. This raises questions about the future of the main Opposition party in Telangana, the Bharat Rashtra Samiti (BRS).

A former minister from the BRS claimed that Telangana residents would not accept Naidu, who opposed the state's formation and was perceived as unjust during his tenure as chief minister of undivided AP. Meanwhile, Congress leaders believe that any TDP revival would benefit their party by splitting votes between the alliance ruling Andhra Pradesh and the BRS.



Andhra Pradesh Chief Minister Nara Chandrababu Naidu at NTR Bhavan in Hyderabad | EXPRESS

SI who attempted suicide a week ago succumbs at hosp

HYDERABAD: A Sub-Inspector of Police working in Bhadradi Kothagudem district, who attempted suicide a week ago due to alleged harassment by his colleagues, died while undergoing treatment at a hospital here in the early hours of Sunday, police said. Sriramulu Srinu, an SI at Aswaraopet Police Station, attempted to end his life in Mahabubabad district on June 30 by consuming herbicide and was shifted to a hospital in Hyderabad where he died while undergoing treatment today, they said.

eta village of Warangal district.

A purported video in which the SI accused four constables and a Circle Inspector (CI) of Aswaraopet Police Station of harassment was widely circulated on social media on Sunday. A case was registered earlier against the four constables and the CI based on the complaint lodged by the SI's wife, who had accused them of harassing her husband.

(Assistance for those having suicidal thoughts is available on TN's helpline 104 and Sneh's suicide prevention helpline 044-24640050) PTI

The SI belongs to Scheduled Caste and was from Narakkap-



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SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES
APPENDIX- IV-A" [See proviso to rule 8 (6)]

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso 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 property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the Symbolic possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of Indian Bank, below branches, Secured Creditor, will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" on 24-07-2024 for recovery of below amounts due to the Indian Bank, below branches, Secured Creditor, from below borrowers.

The specific details of the property intended to be brought to sale through e-auction mode are enumerated below:

NAME OF THE BORROWERS / GUARANTORS / MORTGAGORS / TOTAL LIABILITIES

OMALUR BRANCH, Dharmapuri Main Road, Omalur - 636 455. Ph : 04290-220228

S.No.1 : M/s. CS Coir Industry (Prop : Mr. C.Selladurai, S/o. Chinnugounder), 2/246, Kombukuttai Kadu, Omalur Tk, Salem.
Total liabilities as on 05-07-2024 : Rs. 6,05,27,362/- (Rupees Six Crore Five Lakhs Twenty Seven Thousand Three Hundred and Sixty Two Only) with further interest and cost.
DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY : Land and building - Salem west registration District, Omalur SRO, Omalur Taluk, Vellalapatti Village, Survey No : S.No 26/2B(part), 26/5(part) & 27/5(part), Sub division S.No.26/1B1B, 26/5A2 & 27/5A2, Patta No. 677, Area-1.0 Acre, having the boundaries and extends are as under : East by : Sri Periyasamy Property, West by : Vattakadu Road, North by : Smt. Arul Selvi Property, South by : Sri. Periyasamy Property.

Encumbrances on property : NIL, Reserve Price : 2,50,00,000/-, EMD Amount : Rs.25,00,000/-, Bid incremental amount : Rs.25,000/- Date and time of e-auction : 24-07-2024 between 10.00 am to 4.00 pm, Property ID No. ID1800000868351

S.No.2 : Mrs. Shanthy (W/o. Mr. Thangaraj.C), Mr. Thangaraj.C (S/o. Chithuraj) and Mr. T.Dharunraj (S/o. Mr. Thangaraj.C) D.No.3/60, Mettupatti, Kottamettupatti Post, Omalur Taluk, Salem District, Tamilnadu - 636455.
Total liabilities as on 05-07-2024 : Rs. 68,98,289/- (Rupees Sixty Eight Lakhs Ninety Eight Thousand Eight Hundred Eighty Nine Only) with further interest and cost.
DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY : Land and Building - In Salem District, Salem west registration District, Omalur SRO, Omalur Tk, Kullanaickenpatti Village, Survey No:50/1, Patta No:547, Punja Hec. 0.79.00 i.e., Acre 1.95, Cess/Assesment Rs.3.05, In this eastern part of land to the extent of acre 1.34, in which part of land to the extent of acre 0.21 having the boundaries and extends are as under: East of : Land of purchased by deepa, West of: Land of Sakthi, North of : Remaining land of vendors K.Mahalingam and 2 others, South of : Land of Krishnan and santhi in between the above, punjai acre 0.21 of agricultural land along with the rights to use and/or take cattle, cart, vehicle through the roads left therein and all other pathway rights and easement rights as prescribed in sale/title deed and its parent title deed.

Encumbrances on property : NIL, Reserve Price : 1,16,30,000/-, EMD Amount : Rs.11,63,000/-, Bid incremental amount : Rs.25,000/- Date and time of e-auction : 24-07-2024 between 10.00 am to 4.00 pm, Property ID No. ID1800000805117

SANKARI BRANCH, 1-14/B4, Bhavani Main Road, Sankari, Salem Dt Pin-637301.

S.No.3 : 1) Mr. G.Jayakumar S/o.Gopal, (Borrower) D.no: 42 Maravampalayathankadu, Padaiveedu (Po), Namakkal Pin - 637303, 2) Mrs.J.Vijaya, W/o.Jayakumar (Co-Borrower) D.No:42, Maravampalayathankadu, Padaiveedu (Po) Namakkal Pin 637303 3) Mr G Vengatachalam S/o Gopal (Guarantor) D no:41D Maravampalayathankadu, Padaiveedu (Po), Namakkal Pin 637303 4) Mr. Muthusamy Palanisamy S/o Palanisamy (Guarantor) 29A, Maravampalayathankadu, Padaiveedu, Tiruchengode Tk, Namakkal Dt: 637303
Total liabilities as on 05-07-2024 : Rs.22,33,466/- (Rupees Twenty Two Lakhs Thirty Three Thousand Four Hundred Sixty Six Only) with further interest and cost.
DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY : Survey No.82/1 Bharathi Nagar Maravampalayathankadu, Padaiveedu Village Tiruchengodu (Tk) Namakkal dist, Sankari sub Reg office with the following boundaries South of 25.0" wide East-West Road North of plot no : 9 & plot no:12, purchased by shanmugasundaram, East of Athiyannan land West of property to be purchased by G.Shanmugham With all appurtenances, accessories and all passage and easement rights attached therein Area of Land and building-1400 Sqft.

Encumbrances on property : NIL, Reserve Price : 24,00,000/-, EMD Amount : Rs.2,40,000/-, Bid incremental amount : Rs.10,000/- Date and time of e-auction : 24-07-2024 between 10.00 am to 4.00 pm, Property ID No. ID1800000920728

NAAL ROAD BRANCH, 130, Deepam Complex, Omalur Road, Salem - 636007. Ph : 0427-2417600. Mobile No. 9442700035

S.No.4 : 1. J.Revathi W/o Jayakumar (Borrower), 227, Kattur Settiyan Kottai, Kanjanaiyakkampatty, Salem-636305. 2. S.Jayakumar S/o Srinivasan (Guarantor), 227, Kattur Settiyan Kottai, Kanjanaiyakkampatty, Salem-636305.
Total liabilities as on 05-07-2024 : Rs. 53,33,407.00/- (Rupees Fifty Three Lakhs Thirty Three Thousand Four Hundred and Seven Only) with further interest and cost.
DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY : Property - I : In Salem West R.D., Omalur S.R.D., In Kadayampatty Taluk at Kanjanaickenpatty vill, Patta No.3112 S.No.46/17A Dry Hect.0.08.0 in this acre 0.09 i.e., 3924 sq ft within the boundaries : East of S.No 46/16A West of Share of Rajendran North of Share of Srinivasan South of Share of Ramasundaram. The above House site and the Building that may be constructed thereon. The pathway for this is the 10 feet width pathway adjoining Eastern Border of the land of Jayakumar in the same Sy No branching from the recently formed Panchayat tar Road. Doc No: 1878/2015 Dated 12.03.2015 In Favour of J.Revathi. Property - II : In Salem West R.D., Omalur S.R.D. In Kadayampatty Taluk at Kanjanaickenpatty Vill. 1. Patta No.2341 S.No.45/1D Dry Hect.0.02.0 in this acre 0.01 within the boundaries East of acre 0.01 belonging to Narayanan by way of Release West of the land of Pachiyammal purchased from Ramasamy North of land of Jayakumar purchased from Ranganathan South of Panchayat Road. 2. Patta No: 3112, S.No.46/17A Dry Hect.0.08.0 in this acre 0.09 within the boundaries (including cart way portion) East of S.No.46/16A&46/16B West of Share of Rajendran North of Panchayat Road South of land of Revathi purchased from Ranganathan. 3. Patta No.3724, S.No.69/3 Dry Hect0.26.0 in this acre 0.22 within the boundaries : East of the land of Narayanan by way of Release West of S.No.69/7A North of S.No.45/7, 69/5A, 69/5B, 69/5C, 69/6 & 69/4 South of Property of Govindaraj in S.No.69/2. Common half share out of Common half share in common well share amounting to Common 1/16 share in common well portion, well, Uththulalai, Vari, Vaikal in S.No.45/3 Dry hect.0.02.5 - acre 0.06. The above said land and easement right of cart way appertaining the same. The Pathway for the portion in S.No.69/3 is the 10 feet width cart way branching from the panchayat road proceeding towards south remaining on the east of S.No.45/1G and on the west of the common well upto S.No.45/4D and the East of S.No.45/2B belonging to Ayyammal and then the 12 feet width south North Cart way in S.No.45/5B belonging to Narayanan as per the Notarized pathway agreement dated 07.01.2020 executed between the Mortgage - Jayakumar and Narayanan Sons of late Srinivasan. Doc No: 6243/2016 Dated 16.09.2016 In Favour of S.Jayakumar. Property - III : In Salem West R.D., Omalur S.R.D., In Kadayampatty Tk at Kanjanaickenpatty village, patta No.3045 S.No.69/1 Dry Hect 0.21.00 in this acre 0.10 within the boundaries : East of the common well, West of the remaining land of Revathi North of the land of Govindaraj South of Lands of Ayyammal and Padmavathi The said land and building that may be constructed thereon. The said land and easement right of cart way thereon. Doc No: 6845/2019 dated 09.09.2019 in favour of Jayakumar

Encumbrances on property : NIL, Reserve Price : Rs.32,50,000/-, EMD Amount : Rs.3,25,000/-, Bid incremental amount : Rs.10,000/-, Date and time of e-auction : 24-07-2024 between 10.00 am to 4.00 pm, Property ID No. ID1800006431998

THEEVATTIPATTI BRANCH - TVC Nagar, Salem to Dharmapuri Main Road, Theevattipatti - 636 351. Ph : 04290-243333

S.No.5 : Mrs. P.Kanakambaram and Mr. C.Palanivel, D.No.119/1, Kallikadu, Kookuttapatti, Kadayampatti TK, Salem Dt.
Total liabilities as on 05-07-2024 : Rs. 24,56,312/- (Rupees Twenty Four Lakhs Fifty Six Thousand Three Hundred and Twelve only) with further interest and cost.
DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY : Land and Residential Building - In Salem R.D. Omalur S.R.D. Kallikadu Kattuvalavu, Kookuttapatti Village, Land and RCC terraced roof ground floor residential building situated at S.No. 11/2A, Dry Hec. 0.18.0 in this the house site of extent of 1744 sq.ft. with the following boundaries : Bounded by North : Palanivel Land, South : Jagana Land, East : Track Road, West : Jagana Land. Owner of the property : Mrs. Kanakambaram.

Encumbrances on property : NIL, Reserve Price : 14,50,000/-, EMD Amount : Rs.1,45,000/-, Bid incremental amount : Rs.10,000/-, Date and time of e-auction : 24-07-2024 between 10.00 am to 4.00 pm, Property ID No. ID180000596228

S.No.6 : M/s. Sri Dhanalakshmi Hardwares and Electricals Prop : Mr. A.Asaihambi, Dharmapuri Main Road, Palayamputhur, Palayam Dharmapuri Dt - 636807.
Total liabilities as on 05-07-2024 : Rs.35,30,281/- (Rupees Thirty Five Lakhs Thirty Thousand Two Hundred and Eighty One Only) with further interest and cost.
DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY : Land and Building situated at Dharmapuri District, Dharmapuri west registration S.R.D. Palayam Village, D No 1/47A, Mel street, Kombai Road, Palayampudur Old S No 77/2 New S No 638/15 Extent 1129 Sqft: East West 30 feet on the North, 31 feet on the south, South-North 37 feet area 1129 square feet within the boundaries : South of the Other House site of Asaihambi North of the South-North Common Way and the remaining land of Kandhan, East of the house of Mani S/o Chinnasamy West of the site of Singaravel.

Encumbrances on property : NIL, Reserve Price : Rs.23,50,000/-, EMD Amount : Rs.2,35,000/-, Bid incremental amount : Rs.10,000/-, Date and time of e-auction : 24-07-2024 between 10.00 am to 4.00 pm, Property ID No. ID1800005932271

S.No.7 : SRI RAJA ENTERPRISES, Prop: A.Rajendran S/o.Arumugam, 245 Ex Serviceman Colony, Block No.3, Reddiyur, Salem
Total liabilities as on 05-07-2024 : Rs.54,91,922/- (Rupees Fifty Four Lakhs Ninety One Thousand Nine Hundred and Twenty Two Only) with further interest and cost.
DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY : Property 1 : Land and Building - Land of 3000 Sqft with Buildings 2000 Sqft situated at Plot no 7&8 in S.No.68/4B2, sub division survey no 68/4B2A4. Kottanikkaran Vattam, Kottagoundampatty, Naranampalayam main road, Kullamanickenpatty village, Omalur Taluk, salem district within the boundaries : East : Irusagounder Property West :6th plot belonging to Rajendran North : 20 feet east-west common road South : 3rd plot belonging lakshmi and 4th plot belonging to Dhanakodi. Property 2 : Land - Vacant Land of 6540 Sqft situated at S.No 107/1B2, kamneri road, pachanampatty village, Omalur Taluk, salem district within the boundaries : East : Manickam property West : Kattavarayan property North : Panchayat road South : Krishnan Property.

Encumbrances on property : NIL, Reserve Price : Rs.36,00,000/-, (For Property-1) & Rs.43,00,000/- (For Property-2), EMD Amount : Rs.3,60,000/- (For Property-1) & Rs.4,30,000/- (For Property-2) Bid incremental amount : Rs.10,000/- Date and time of e-auction : 24-07-2024 between 10.00 am to 4.00 pm, Property ID No.ID1800005994039 (For Property-1) & ID1800005926023 (For Property-2)

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