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## Daily Current Affairs Encyclopedia

### **13 December 2023**

## **Andhra Pradesh State Regional News**

Advanced	`iStent'	glaucoma
surgery		

### Context:

- The Glaucoma Department of Sankar Foundation Eye Hospital, Visakhapatnam, performed an advanced 'Glaukos iStent Inject Surgery -W Model'.
- This model is a 3rd Generation model of the patented design from Glaukos International, USA.
- The iStent has been **implanted for successful control of pressure** in a glaucoma patient in the hospital.

# Financial assistance to Vizag steel plant

### Context:

• BJP MP GVL Narasimha Rao sought Central government's financial assistance for Visakhapatnam Steel Plant- RINL

### About:

- The Visakhapatnam Steel Plant (VSP), also known as Vizag Steel, is a major integrated steel producer in India.
- It is owned by Rashtriya Ispat Nigam Limited (RINL), a public sector undertaking under the Ministry of Steel.
- It was founded in 1982



# Govt releases Rs. 8 Cr Under YSR Law Nestham Scheme

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### Context:

- AP govt released Rs. 7,98,95,000 towards the second tranche of YSR Law Nestham for the year 2023-24
- It will be benefiting 2,807 junior advocates.
- An amount of Rs.30,000 each, covering the period from July to December 2023, would be credited directly into their bank accounts.

**Note:** Refer previous dated Addapedia to know more about YSR Law Nestham Scheme

# Govt to Procure Wet Paddy from Cyclone-hit Farmers

### Context:

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- AP CM directed the officials to assure the cyclone-affected farmers that the Government would buy wet and discolored paddy
- He said that the Civil Supplies Corporation would purchase the wet and discolored paddy from the farmers



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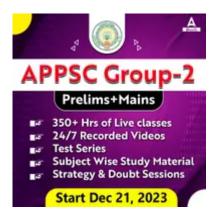


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UGC grants autonomous status to Sri Venkateswara Arts College

### Context:

- The University Grants Commission (UGC) has granted a autonomous status to Tirumala Devasthanams-run Sri Venkateswara Arts College (SVAC).
- Now the university will have the authority to make independent decisions for its development
- This includes choices related to teaching methods, examination process, syllabus adjustments to address global challenges and more.





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