

ವಿಜಯ ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ

ಕೇರಳ ಚಿತ್ರನಟಿಗೆ ಲೈಂಗಿಕ ಕಿರುಕುಳ ಪ್ರಕರಣ: ನಟ ದಿಲೀಪ್‌ಗೆ ಕೊನೆಗೂ ಸಿಕ್ಕಿತು ಜಾಮೀನು

ಹೈದರಾಬಾದ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ಸೋಮವಾರದಿಂದ ಅನ್ಯಾಹತವಾಗಿ ಮಳೆ ಸುರಿಯುತ್ತಿದ್ದು ಮೂವರು ಪ್ರಾಣ ಕಳೆದುಕೊಂಡಿದ್ದಾರೆ

ದುರ್ಗಾ ಪೂಜೆ ವೇಳೆ ಸಿಂಧೂರ್ ಖೀಲಾದಲ್ಲಿ ಭಾಗವಹಿಸಿದ ನಟಿ ರಿತುಪರ್ಣಾ ಸೇನ್‌ಗುಪ್ತಾ

ಸಹ್ಯಾದ್ರಿ ಎಂಬಿಎ ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿಗಳಿಂದ ಪ್ರಕಾಶ್ ಕಮ್ಮರಡಿ ಜತೆ ಸಂವಾದ

ಮಂಗಳೂರು: ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಕೃಷಿ ಬೆಲೆ ಕಮೀಷನ್ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷ ಬೆಂಗಳೂರಿನ ಡಾ.ಟಿ.ಎನ್. ಪ್ರಕಾಶ್ ಕಮ್ಮರಡಿ ಅವರು ಸಹ್ಯಾದ್ರಿ ಎಂಬಿಎ ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿಗಳೊಂದಿಗೆ ಕೃಷಿ ಕ್ಷೇತ್ರದಲ್ಲಿನ ಹೊಸ ಮಾದರಿಗಳ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಇತ್ತೀಚೆಗೆ ಸಂವಾದ ನಡೆಸಿದರು.

ಕೈಗಾರಿಕೆ ಮತ್ತು ಕೃಷಿಗಳ ನಡುವಿನ ದೊಡ್ಡ ಅಂತರ ಇರುವುದರಿಂದ ಅನೇಕ ಪದವೀಧರರು ಕೃಷಿಯನ್ನು ತಮ್ಮ ವೃತ್ತಿಜೀವನವಾಗಿ ಮಾಡುವುದಿಲ್ಲ. ಕೃಷಿಯ ಮತ್ತು ಉದ್ಯಮದ ನಡುವಿನ ಪ್ರಮುಖ ವ್ಯತ್ಯಾಸವೆಂದರೆ ಭೂಮಿ, ಕಾರ್ಮಿಕ, ಬಂಡವಾಳ ಮತ್ತು ಸಂಘಟನೆಯ ಮಹತ್ವವನ್ನು ಅಧರಿಸಿರುತ್ತದೆ ಎಂದು ಅವರು ಹೇಳಿದರು.

ಕೈಗಾರಿಕೆ ಅಗತ್ಯಕೃಂತ ಹೆಚ್ಚಾಗಿದೆ. ಇದರಿಂದ ಕೃಷಿಯ ಕಡೆಗೆ ಯುವ ಮನಸ್ಸುಗಳನ್ನು ತಿರುಗಿಸುವುದು ಈಗ ಅಗತ್ಯವಾಗಿದೆ. ಪ್ರಕೃತಿಯ ಮೇಲೆ ನಮ್ಮ ಅವಲಂಬನೆಯನ್ನು ಕಡಿಮೆಗೊಳಿಸುವ ಕಲ್ಪನೆಗಳ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಒತ್ತು ನೀಡಬೇಕು ಎಂದು ಅವರು ತಿಳಿಸಿದರು.

ಬ್ಯಾಂಕ್‌ಗಳು ಸಬ್ಸಿಡಿ ದರದಲ್ಲಿ ಸಾಲವನ್ನು ನೀಡುತ್ತಿರುವ ಕಾರಣ ಕೃಷಿ ಕ್ಷೇತ್ರದಲ್ಲಿ ಇಂದು ಹೆಚ್ಚು ಅವಕಾಶಗಳಿವೆ. ಕೃಷಿ ಉತ್ಪನ್ನಗಳ ವಿತರಣೆ ಮತ್ತು ಮಾರುಕಟ್ಟೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಎಪಿಎಂಸಿ ಕೂಡಾ ಉತ್ತಮ ಪಾತ್ರ ನಿರ್ವಹಿಸುತ್ತದೆ ಎಂದು ತಿಳಿಸಿದರು.

ಡಾ.ಪ್ರಕಾಶ್ ಕಮ್ಮರಡಿ ಅವರ ಪತ್ನಿ ತೇಜಸ್ವಿನಿ ಈ ಸಂದರ್ಭ ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿಗಳೊಂದಿಗೆ ಹೂವಿನ ಕೃಷಿ ಮತ್ತು ಲಂಬ ಕೃಷಿಗೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಿಸಿದ ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿಗಳ ಅನೇಕ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳಿಗೆ ಉತ್ತರಿಸಿದರು.

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VTU partially bans film shoots in engineering colleges

Jagadish Angadi

BENGALURU: Film shooting has been partially banned in engineering colleges coming under Visvesvaraya Technological University (VTU).

The decision was taken considering its impact on academic activities.

Of late, directors have been preferring engineering colleges to shoot films dealing with college life considering the attractive ambience there.

In a circular to its 220 affiliated colleges, VTU has directed college managements not to let out campuses for shooting.

"In fact, it was a demand by many faculty members. We've taken the decision to partially ban shooting based on their demand," HN Jagannath Reddy, registrar, VTU told *DH*.

Teachers from engineering colleges especially in Bengaluru, Mysuru and Mangaluru had requested VTU to

ban shooting as it affected the academic process.

"Students would skip classes and go out to watch the shooting. The noise and equipment of the crew also affected learning. In some colleges, classes were suspended, while teachers couldn't complete the syllabi," Reddy added.

Teachers found it difficult to cope up with the situation as VTU's academic calendar is extremely engaging.

However, VTU has partially permitted colleges to rent out their campuses.

"We don't mind campuses being used for shooting during vacations.

"The circular states that campuses could be used for shooting only during vacations," Reddy clarified.

In the past two years, many engineering students themselves took up short film projects using campus facilities.

Two private colleges in Bengaluru that became autonomous in 2013 are most

preferred locations for directors.

"We have just one batch attached to the VTU left and the rule doesn't concern us. We discourage activities that affect learning," the principal of a college said.

College managements rent out their campuses on a daily basis. In some instances, the managements want producers to pay for some funds, instead of rent.

Rajendra Singh Babu, president, Karnataka Chalanachitra Academy (KCA) admitted that shooting affected academics and welcomed VTU's stand.

"Campuses should be used without affecting students and teachers," he said.

Rakshith Shetty, actor-director, termed the VTU's decision as unfair.

"We shot Kirik Party (2016) in an engineering college in Hassan without affecting the daily schedule. VTU's rule is not fair," he said.

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VTU not amused as student hacks its website to expose poor security

BENGALURU, DHNS: Visvesvaraya Technological University (VTU), Belagavi, does not seem to be very tech-savvy. A final-year engineering student has hacked the VTU's online payment system, exposing chinks in its security features.

Sai K, a student of electronics and communication, claimed to have obtained a photocopy of an answer script without paying the fee by hacking the online payment system. He justified his actions by saying he wanted to draw the university's attention to the security measures of the website.

Sai, however, may face action as the VTU has lodged a complaint with the cybercrime police, Bengaluru. "Unidentified people hacked the online payment facility for revaluation of answer scripts, but not the website as such," H N Jagannath Reddy, Registrar, VTU, told DH. "VTU's is the most secure

Hacked govt sites

- **Feb 16, 2010:** 21 websites of the Andhra Pradesh government hacked.
- **Aug 18, 2010:** Kerala State Road Transport Corporation's website hacked.
- **Aug 28, 2010:** University of Mysore's website hacked.
- **Aug 25, 2016:** RGUHS website hacked.
- **April 25, 2017:** National Aerospace Laboratories (NAL) website hacked.
- **Sept 12, 2017:** Bescom website hacked.

website and can't be hacked. Some miscreants would use the VTU website, create fake circulars and distribute them. I have sought action against such people."

He claimed that external marks of over three lakh stu-

dents and the confidential data of over 17,000 faculty members were highly secure. Following the incident, the VTU has decided to modify the website and its interface.

The hacking has once again exposed the lack of security in websites of government agencies. "Not just VTU's, websites of many government agencies are highly insecure," a cyber expert told this newspaper on condition of anonymity. According to him, lack of expertise in maintenance of websites and fund constraints for regular management trigger the hacking.

The National Informatics Centre (NIC), the national nodal agency for government websites, regularly issues upgrade guidelines which are ignored by government departments because upgrades don't come free. Many departments are headed by e-illiterate bureaucrats who fail to understand

the importance of preventing hacking. The departments also fail to renew software, which contributes to hacking, the expert noted.

An additional director general of police (ADGP), who headed the crime and technical wing, echoed him. "The protection measures of government websites are extremely poor. These websites should have additional firewalls. Government departments should stop using unauthorised software and employ a team to keep a close watch on suspicious activities," he said.

The Indian Computer Emergency Response Team (CERT-In), which comes under the Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology, has issued guidelines on how to deal with cybersecurity threats such as hacking and phishing. Government agencies should follow the guidelines to prevent hacking, he added.

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ವಿಟಿಯು ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿಯಿಂದಲೇ ವಿ.ವಿ. ವೆಬ್‌ಸೈಟ್ ಹ್ಯಾಕ್

ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು, ಅ. 3: ವಿಶ್ವೇಶ್ವರಯ್ಯ ತಾಂತ್ರಿಕ ವಿಶ್ವವಿದ್ಯಾಲಯದ (ವಿಟಿಯು) ಎಲೆಕ್ಟ್ರಾನಿಕ್ ಆಂಡ್ ಕಮ್ಯೂನಿಕೇಷನ್ ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿ ತನ್ನದೇ ವಿಶ್ವವಿದ್ಯಾಲಯದ ವೆಬ್‌ಸೈಟ್ ಹ್ಯಾಕ್ ಮಾಡಿ, ಉತ್ತರ ಪತ್ರಿಕೆಯ ಜೆರಾಕ್ ಪ್ರತಿ ಮತ್ತು ಫೋಟೋ ಕಾಪಿಗಳು ಶುಲ್ಕ ಪಾವತಿಸದೇ ಆರ್ಟ್ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಿದ್ದಾನೆ.

ವಿಟಿಯು ಆಡಳಿತ ಮಂಡಳಿಯಿಂದ ಉತ್ತರ ಪತ್ರಿಕೆಯ ಫೋಟೋ ಕಾಪಿ ಮೇಲ್ ಮಾಡಿದ ಅನಂತರ, ಆ ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿ ವಿವಿಗೆ ಹಣ ಪಾವತಿಸಿದ್ದಾನೆ. ಈ ಪ್ರಕರಣವು ದೇಶದ ಪ್ರತಿಷ್ಠಿತ ವಿಶ್ವವಿದ್ಯಾಲಯದಲ್ಲಿ ಒಂದಾಗಿರುವ ವಿಟಿಯು ವೆಬ್‌ಸೈಟ್ ಯಾರು ಬೇಕಾದರೂ ಹ್ಯಾಕ್ ಮಾಡಬಹುದಾದಷ್ಟು ದುರ್ಬಲವೇ ಎಂಬ ಚರ್ಚೆಗೆ ಗ್ರಾಸವಾಗಿದೆ.

ವಿಟಿಯು ವೆಬ್‌ಸೈಟ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ 3 ಲಕ್ಷ ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿಗಳ ಅಂಕಪಟ್ಟಿ ಫಲಿತಾಂಶ, ಪರೀಕ್ಷೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಪಡೆದ ಅಂಕ ಸಹಿತ ಎಲ್ಲಮಾಹಿತಿ ಲಭ್ಯವಿದೆ. ಗೌಪ್ಯತೆಯ ಅಂಶಗಳನ್ನು ವಿವಿಯ ಆಡಳಿತ ಮಂಡಳಿ ಹಾಗೂ 17 ಸಾವಿರ

ಉಪನ್ಯಾಸಕರು ಮಾತ್ರ ಪಡೆಯಲು ಸಾಧ್ಯ. ಆದರೆ, ವಿಟಿಯು ಅಂತಿಮ ವರ್ಷದ ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿ ಸಾಯಿ ಕೆ. ವೆಬ್‌ಸೈಟ್ ಹ್ಯಾಕ್ ಮಾಡಿದ್ದಾನೆ.

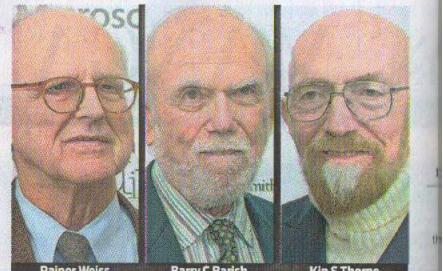
ವೆಬ್‌ಸೈಟ್ ಹ್ಯಾಕ್ ಆಗಿರುವ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಆಡಳಿತ ಮಂಡಳಿಗೆ ಎಸ್‌ಎಂಎಸ್ ಕೂಡಹೋಗಿಲ್ಲ. ಯಾರಾದರೂ ವೆಬ್‌ಸೈಟ್ ಬಳಿಗೆ ಪ್ರವೇಶಿಸಿ, ಗೌಪ್ಯ ಮಾಹಿತಿ ಪಡೆದಾಗ, ಮಾಹಿತಿ ಬದಲಾವಣೆ ಮಾಡಿದಾಗ ಸಂಬಂಧಪಟ್ಟ ಉಪನ್ಯಾಸಕರಿಗೆ ಅಥವಾ ಅಡ್ಮಿನ್‌ಗೆ ಅಲರ್ಟ್ ಸಂದೇಶ ಹೋಗಬೇಕು. ವಿಟಿಯು ವೆಬ್‌ಸೈಟ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ಆ ವ್ಯವಸ್ಥೆ ಇಲ್ಲ.

ವಿಟಿಯು ವೆಬ್‌ಸೈಟ್ ಅತ್ಯಂತ ಸೆಕ್ಯೂರ್ ಆಗಿದೆ. ಅಷ್ಟು ಸುಲಭದಲ್ಲಿ ಯಾರಿಗೂ ಹ್ಯಾಕ್ ಮಾಡಲು ಸಾಧ್ಯವಿಲ್ಲ. ಅತ್ಯಂತ ಆಧುನಿಕ ತಂತ್ರಜ್ಞಾನ ಬಳಸಿ ಸಿದ್ಧಪಡಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ. ವೆಬ್‌ಸೈಟ್ ಉನ್ನತೀಕರಿಸಲು ಇತ್ತೀಚೆಗೆಷ್ಟೆ ನಿರ್ಧಾರ ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಂಡಿದ್ದೇವೆ. ಆ ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿಗೆ ನೋಟಿಸ್ ನೀಡಿದ್ದೇವೆ. ಭದ್ರತೆಗೆ ಬೇಕಾದ ಎಲ್ಲ ಕ್ರಮ ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಂಡಿದ್ದೇವೆ ಎಂದು ವಿಟಿಯು ಅಧಿಕಾರಿಯೊಬ್ಬರು ಹೇಳುತ್ತಾರೆ.



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Lack of amenities plague govt degree colleges

102 out of 412 colleges do not have own building and are run in rented premises

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SEVERAL government-run degree colleges in the state lack basic infrastructure -- academic and administrative -- and need at least ₹2,01,355.52 lakh to provide all the amenities.

As per a survey conducted by the Department of Collegiate Education, of the 412 government-run degree colleges in the state, 102 colleges have no buildings and run in rented buildings or use PU college, high school and primary school buildings to run classes.

Following complaints from faculty members, teachers and other stakeholders, the department conducted a survey covering major infrastructure issues and collected the data directly from college authorities. All 412 colleges were covered under the survey.

"We had asked college authorities to fill a form with details and submit it online. Over 12 major infrastructure issues were covered in the survey, starting from college building to lab equipment

and consumables," said a senior official of the department.

According to department officials, issues like shortage of toilets, no water supply, lack of compound walls need to be addressed immediately.

After the survey was completed, the department then calculated the total estimated cost of providing the infrastructure as identified in the survey.

As per the estimation, ₹2013,55.52 lakh is required to provide infrastructure at all the colleges. "We have submitted the survey and the estimated cost to the government. Once we get approval for the same we will start the work in a phased manner," the official added.

Along with the lack of administrative infrastructure, there are even shortages in academic infrastructure like additional class rooms, desks, podium tables, green/black boards, computers lab tables. For academic infrastructure, the department has pegged the estimated cost at ₹19,830 lakh.

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A senior official

ITEM INFRASTRUCTURE NEEDED	ESTIMATED	COST
Land/Site not available	38	₹7,600
No buildings	102	₹51,000
Shortage of toilets	1,811	₹9,055
No compound wall	251	₹2,510
Shortage of classrooms	3,396	₹57,732
Shortage of labs	703	₹17,575
No water supply	65	₹325
No library building	328	₹13,120
Additional toilet for staff	106	₹530
Additional girls waiting room	187	₹1,870
Shortage of staff room	124	₹2,108
No auditoriums	362	₹18,100

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'Return original documents, to students'

MANGALURU: Deputy Commissioner Dr K G Jagadeesha has warned of filing criminal cases against private educational institutions that fail to return the original documents collected during the admission to the students.

At a meeting convened by Kripa Alva, chairperson of Karnataka State Commission for Protection of Child Rights, he said that as per the guidelines, the mark cards of the students have to be returned back to the students after its verification.

However, several educational institutions have been harassing the students by refusing to hand over the documents.

They are not allowing the students to drop their course in between by asking them to pay the fee for the whole year.

He urged the educational institutions to return the documents to the students within a month. A list of guidelines in this regard will be sent to all the private educational institutions. If the student documents are found with the institutions during the surprise visit, then a criminal case would be filed against such institutions, he warned.

Alva urged the district administration to create a student-friendly atmosphere in the educational institutions and hostels. The authorities should inspect the basic facilities in the hostels.

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