

HMR to hand over new police barracks at Goshamahal soon

Each barrack of 50,000 sft to accommodate about 250 police personnel

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HYDERABAD: For having voluntarily given up land in different parts of the city for the cause of the metro rail project, the city police will soon be having a plush and modern police barracks.

Hyderabad Metro Rail Limited (HMR) is getting ready to hand over two new complexes within the next few months starting with Goshamahal where a five storied building which will be completed first.

Other barracks are under construction at Rasoolpura - which could be the next likely building to be handed over to the police for accommodating its personnel and for training purposes - City College and Chelapura. All the buildings are of five stories with the Metro Rail Corporation spending up to Rs. 25.50 crore for all four facilities.

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POLICE BARRACKS BEING CONSTRUCTED



NEW PREMISES: Police Commissioner M. Mahender Reddy and HMR MD N.V.S. Reddy inspecting the layout plan at Goshamahal on Friday. -Photo: By arrangement

<p>Goshamahal(Shah Inayat Gunj) AREA COST Rs. 5.88 Cr. 53,195 Sft 9 Barracks accommodating 250 personnel, 10 Guest rooms and training facilities</p>	<p>City College AREA COST Rs. 6.19 Cr. 49,020 Sft 3 Barracks accommodating 100 personnel, 15 Guest rooms and training facilities</p>
<p>Chelapura AREA COST Rs. 7.09 Cr. 54,768 Sft 12 Barracks accommodating 300 personnel, 15 Guest rooms and training facilities</p>	<p>Rasoolpura AREA COST Rs. 6.34 Cr. 47,360 Sft 12 Barracks accommodating 300 personnel, 14 Guest rooms and training facilities</p>

ing done in lieu of taking over two acres of police quarters land at Rasoolpura and five other police properties in different parts taken for the purpose of alignment, metro rail stations and other works related to the project.

On Friday, Police Commissioner M. Mahender Reddy along with HMR MD N.V.S. Reddy and other senior officials inspected the ongoing

works. Each of the four barracks would be having an average of about 50,000 sft to accommodate about 250 police personnel each.

Mr. Reddy mentioned that the new barracks are strategically located for housing the Central security forces and other rapid action teams that are usually brought here during law and order problems. With training class

rooms and senior officers' accommodation in them, these new facilities would also be used as 'skill development and training centres', he observed. Appreciating the quality of construction, Mr. Reddy said the facilities would be very useful for realising the vision of Chief Minister K. Chandrasekhar Rao to make Hyderabad a 'safe city'.