₹19,579 K-cr push for Metro Rail Phase 2

Nod to Part-B DPRs; roads too get big fillip

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The Telangana Cabinet, chaired by Chief Minister A. Revanth Reddy at the Secretariat on Thursday. approved the Detailed Project Reports (DPRs) for Phase 2 (Part-B) of the Hyderabad Metro Rail project. The proposed expansion spans 86.1 km and is estimated to cost ₹19,579 crore. The expansion will cover key corridors towards Medchal and Shamirpet and marks a significant step forward in the government's efforts to strengthen urban infrastructure. The DPRs, prepared and cleared by the Hyderabad Airport Metro Limited (HAML) Board on May 8, will now be submitted to the Centre for financial assistance. The project is proposed to be executed jointly with the union government. Speaking to the



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SOPS FOR GOVT. EMPLOYEES

• STATE cabinet showers sops on employees. Clears two DAs out of five pending DAs. Announces new health cards for employees. Approves to clear pending bills and retirement benefits by releasing ₹700 crore per month.

CABINET DEBATES KALESHWARAM

 STATE cabinet debates on Kaleshwaram reports submitted by NDSA and Vigilance Commission.
Irrigation minister N Uttam Kumar Reddy gives power point presentation on both the reports. Decides to wait on the future course of action until Justice Ghose.

media after the cabinet meeting, information and public relations minister Ponguleti Srinivas Reddy said the 24.5 km JBS-Medchal corridor will be fully elevated and have 18 stations. The 22 km

JBS-Shamirpet stretch will include 14 stations, with a 1.65 km underground section near Hakimpet Air Force Station.

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