



Ultra High Pressure Power Substation | Madhya Pradesh | 31 Jul 2021

Why in News

On July 30, 2021, Madhya Pradesh Power Transmission Company energized the 400th ultra high pressure sub-station of the state at Ghansor, Tehsil headquarter of Seoni district.

Key Point

- Madhya Pradesh Power Transmission Company has set up a new 132 kV ultra high pressure substation at Ghansor in Seoni district. Apart from this, 14 sub-stations of 400 KV and 84 sub-stations of 220 KV are functional in the state.
- With the commissioning of the ultra high pressure sub-station, continuous electricity will be provided to about 21 thousand consumers of 350 villages situated amidst dense forests and difficult geographical conditions in the tribal area of Ghansor.
- This will be the fourth ultra high pressure sub station in Seoni district. Earlier, electricity was supplied to the district from 220 KV sub-station Seoni, 132 KV sub-station Seoni and 132 KV Lakhnadaun.

'Area Officer App' and 'Mobile Monitoring System App' | Madhya Pradesh | 31 Jul 2021

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On July 30, 2021, the use of **two new mobile apps 'Area Officer App' and 'Mobile Monitoring System App'** was started for **effective implementation of MGNREGA scheme in Madhya Pradesh**.

Key Point

- Through these apps, the **inspections done** by the officials and the attendance of wages made by the **laborer will be recorded online**.
- **Notes on the quality and usefulness of MGNREGA** works at the time of **checks/visits** by concerned officers will be **uploaded along with geo-tagged photos** from the workplace through the **'Area Officer App'**.
- Similarly, the attendance of workers engaged on works under MGNREGA will be taken through **'Mobile Monitoring System App'** instead of recording them on paper.

- The attendance of the recorded workers from the workplace every day will be available on the MGNREGA portal along with geo-tagged photographs, which will ensure transparency in the implementation of MGNREGA works.

Panna Tiger Reserve | Madhya Pradesh | 31 Jul 2021

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On July 30, 2021, **Panna Tiger Reserve** was awarded the **Conservation Assured Tiger Standards (CAITS) certificate** by the **National Tiger Conservation Authority** for meeting the established international standards for tiger conservation and management.

Key Points

- Panna National Park was established in 1981. It has a geographical extension in the districts of Panna and Chhatarpur. It is spread over an area of about 543 square kilometers.
- This national park was declared a Project Tiger Reserve in the year 1994 by the Central Government.
- UNESCO designated the Panna Tiger Reserve as a Biosphere Reserve on August 25, 2011.
- Madhya Pradesh is considered not only that of the country, but the **world's Tiger Capital**. The management of Kanha and Pench Tiger Reserves has been recognized as the best in the country.