

Madhya Pradesh Government to Introduce Strong Law to Prevent Exam Paper Leaks | Madhya Pradesh | 01 Feb 2024

Why in News?

The Madhya Pradesh government would enact a strong law to stop exam paper leaks.

Key Points

- A stringent law will be made to ensure that no person, including the in charge of examination centres, involved in such malpractices, can escape.
 - No one will be able to make question papers available to students.
- If there is any issue in the government system, it will also come under the purview of this law.
 Such acts will come under the ambit of criminal activity.
- With this law, the MP School Education Department will ensure that students appear for exams in a "tension-free" atmosphere.

Super Speciality Hospital in Rewa & Parbati-KaliSindh-Chambal Link Project | Madhya Pradesh | 01 Feb 2024

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Recently, Madhya Pradesh government has approved Rs 164 crores for the expansion of a super specialty hospital in Rewa.

Key Points

- This decision will benefit the people of Rewa and Shahdol divisions as it is the largest super specialty hospital in those divisions.
- The council of ministers also took an important decision about the startup policy in the state.
 - All the startup people who want to participate in national or international competitions
 will be given a reimbursement of Rs 50,000 by the state government for
 participating in national competitions and Rs 1.50 lakh for participating in
 international competitions.
 - The amount will be given **once in a financial year and up to twice in the entire** tenure for a startup.
- The <u>Parbati-KaliSindh-Chambal Link Project</u> pending for almost two decades, would now be implemented with the initiative of the PM.
 - This would benefit 12 districts of Malwa and Chambal region in the state and 13 districts of eastern Rajasthan.
 - The availability of drinking water will increase in these areas and water will also be

- available for irrigation and industrial use.
- The project worth Rs 75000 crore and the state would invest only 10%, the rest 90% of the amount would be provided by the central government.

Parbati-KaliSindh-Chambal Link Project

- It aims to harvest surplus water available during rainy season in rivers in Southern
 Rajasthan such as Chambal and its tributaries, including Kunnu, Parvati, Kalisindh, and use this water in south-eastern districts of the state, where there is scarcity of water for drinking and irrigation.
- It is planned to meet **drinking and industrial water needs** of the southern and south eastern Rajasthan, for humans and Livestock till the year 2051.
- It **proposes to provide drinking water to 13 districts of Rajasthan** and provide irrigation water for 2.8 lakh hectares of land through 26 different large and medium projects.
 - 13 Districts: Jhalawar, Baran, Kota, Bundi, Sawai Madhopur, Ajmer, Tonk, Jaipur, Karauli, Alwar, Bharatpur, Dausa and Dholpur.

