

## **Bridge Collapse in Bihar**

## Why in News?

Recently, an under-construction bridge in Bihar's **East Champaran district** collapsed, making it the third such incident in the state in a week.

## **Key Points**

- The 16-meter-long bridge, over a canal in the Ghorasahan block, was being built by the Rural Works Department (RWD) at a cost of Rs 1.5 crore.
  - According to the officials, a **departmental inquiry** has been initiated as a serious issue has arisen, and severe measures will be enforced against the individuals responsible.
  - This incident follows two similar occurrences in the state in **Siwan and Araria district**.

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