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## Chhattisgarh Government and Operation Prahar | Chhattisgarh | 24 Jul 2024

### Why in News?

Since the **first tribal Chief Minister** took office in Chhattisgarh, there has been a **fivefold increase** in the killings, arrests, and surrenders of Naxalites.

- This has been accompanied by serious allegations of **arbitrary state power** and **staged encounters** as part of "Operation Prahar".

### Key Points

- **Operation Prahar:** This is an ongoing **counter-insurgency operation** targeting **Maoists** in Chhattisgarh.
- **Objective and Strategy:** The main goal of **Operation Prahar** is to target and neutralize key **Maoist leaders** who are believed to be brainwashing and recruiting local youth.
  - The operation has been intensified recently and will continue to expand across Chhattisgarh.
- **Impact on Local Population:** While the operation targets Maoist insurgents, there have been concerns about its impact on local Adivasi communities, with reports of non-Maoist Adivasis being affected during the operations.

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## Viksit Bharat Budget Blueprint | Chhattisgarh | 24 Jul 2024

### Why in News?

Chhattisgarh chief minister Vishnu Deo Sai said that a clear glimpse of '**Amritkal Vision - 2047**' is visible in the **Union Budget, 2024**.

### Key Points:

- **Chhattisgarh's Provision:** The budget allocates **Rs.1.52 lakh crore** for agriculture, promising a new revolution in employment and prosperity for farmers.
  - **Mudra Loan and Internships:** The plan includes increasing **Mudra loans from Rs. 10 lakh to Rs. 20 lakh** and providing internships to **5 crore** youth in top companies.
  - **Women and Girls:** **Rs. 3 lakh crore** is allocated for schemes benefiting women and girls, promoting **economic independence** and **social security**.
  - This budget aims to make **Chhattisgarh 'Aatmnirbhar' and prosperous**, aligning with the vision of a developed India.
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