

EVERYDAY CURRENT AFFAIRS - MARCH 30, 2025

SCHEMES

Vazhndhu Kattuvom 3.0



- ✓ Following the success of the Vazhndhu Kattuvom 2.0 scheme, the Tamil Nadu government will implement the Vazhndhu Kattuvom 3.0 scheme at a cost of ₹1,000 crore, with assistance from the World Bank, in 120 blocks across the State, Deputy Chief Minister Udhayanidhi Stalin told the Legislative Assembly on Friday (March 28, 2025).
- ✓ It aims to promote rural enterprises, access to finance, and create employment opportunities in selected blocks of Tamil Nadu.

INTERNATIONAL

- > Myanmar Earth Quake 2025
- ✓ Two back-to-back earthquakes of magnitudes 7.7 and 6.4 struck Myanmar. ❖
 Thailand's capital, Bangkok, has been declared a disaster area.



- ✓ Myanmar's military government declared a state of emergency in six regions and states.
- ✓ Earlier in Myanmar, six strong quakes of magnitude 7 or higher struck from 1930 to 1956 near the Sagaing Fault. India has launched the Operation Brahma, an emergency relief mission aimed at providing disaster relief, search and rescue operations in Myanmar

DEFENCE

- > IAF Joined INIOCHOS-25 Air Exercise in Greece
- ✓ The Indian Air Force participated in Exercise INIOCHOS-25 in Greece from March
 31 to April 11, 2025, with Su-30 MKI fighters and support aircraft.



- ✓ The biennial multinational exercise aims to enhance air force skills, tactical knowledge, and international cooperation among 15 countries.
- ✓ IAF aims to improve operational capabilities and strengthen strategic defence partnerships.

