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## VPA INKS Rs.300 CRORES PROJECT WITH RAIL VIKAS NIGAM LIMITED (RVNL)

Strategic Infrastructure Development to Enhance Traffic Flow at Vizag Port



Visakhapatnam Date 02.01.2025: Visakhapatnam Port Authority (VPA) has marked a significant milestone by signing a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with M/s Rail Vikas Nigam Limited (RVNL), a Government of India enterprise, for a Rs.300 crore project aimed at enhancing traffic management and cargo evacuation.

The MoU was exchanged on 2nd January 2025 in the presence of Dr. M. Angamuthu, IAS, Chairperson, VPA. The agreement focuses on the construction of a state-of-the-art flyover bridge connecting Sea Horse Junction to the Dock area at Visakhapatnam Port.



This vital infrastructure project will eliminate 11 level crossings that currently hinder traffic, ensuring uninterrupted movement of road and rail traffic at key convergence points between the Port and the City. The flyover is expected to significantly ease congestion, improve cargo flow efficiency, and provide seamless access for port-bound traffic.

Key highlights of the project include:

- Total bridge length: 3.341 km, including approaches and ramps.
- Carriageway width: 7 meters for two lanes and 10.5 meters for three lanes.
- Estimated cost: Rs.300 crore.

Present at the occasion were Shri Durgesh Kumar Dubey, IRTS, Deputy Chairperson, VPA, along with Heads of Departments and other senior officials.

Shri T. Venu Gopal, Secretary, VPA, shared this development with the press and media, emphasizing the importance of this project for the future growth and efficiency of Visakhapatnam Port.