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Kaleshwaram Lift Irrigation Scheme (KLIS)	 Why in news? Officials from Telangana Engineering Research Laboratories (TERL) and the State Dam Safety Organisation testified before the Judicial Commission, led by Justice P.C. Ghose, investigating the Kaleshwaram Lift Irrigation Scheme (KLIS). Key Points: The Kaleshwaram Lift Irrigation Scheme of Telangana is a multi-purpose irrigation project on the Godavari River in Kaleshwaram, Bhupalpally, Telangana. The project starts at the confluence point of Pranahita River and Godavari River. The project will also support Mission Kakatiya and Mission Bhagiratha schemes designed to provide drinking water to many villages and improve the capacities of tanks.
AMRUT scheme	 Why in news? BRS working president KT Rama Rao urged the union government to promptly investigate alleged corruption in AMRUT scheme tender allocations in Telangana. Key Points: Atal Mission for Rejuvenation and Urban Transformation (AMRUT) was launched on 25th June 2015 in 500 selected cities across the country, covering around 60% of the urban population. The mission targets enhancing basic infrastructure and implementing urban reforms for selected cities, encompassing water supply, sewerage, drainage, green spaces, non-motorised transport, and capacity building. AMRUT 2.0 aims to promote the circular economy of water through the development of a City Water Balance Plan (CWBP) by recycling/reuse of treated sewage, rejuvenation of water bodies and water conservation.
Economically Weaker Section (EWS)	 Why in news? The Telangana government has extended the 10% reservation for Economically Weaker Sections (EWS) in MBBS and postgraduate (PG) medical admissions for 2024-25. Key Points:











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	 The Economically Weaker Section (EWS) is a category of people in India who have a family income under ₹8 lakh per year and do not belong to the Scheduled Castes (SC), Scheduled Tribes (ST), or Other Backward Classes (OBC). The EWS certificate is an important document that helps people overcome financial and educational barriers. The EWS quota is a 10% reservation in jobs and education for people in the EWS category.
Person in news: Konda Laxman Bapuji	 Why in news? BRS president and former Chief Minister K Chandrashekhar Rao paid tribute to Konda Laxman Bapuji on his death anniversary. Key Points: Konda Laxman Bapuji was an Indian freedom fighter who participated in the Telangana Rebellion and Telangana activist. He participated in the 1952 Non-mulki agitation. He was the first minister in Congress government to resign from his post for Telangana cause on 29 March 1969, and then participated to give impetus to the 1969 Telangana Agitation.



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