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## **Telangana State Regional News**

| Telangana Pollution<br>Control Board<br>(TGPCB)                        | <ul> <li>Why in news?         <ul> <li>The TGPCB noted that the AQI in Hyderabad usually stays in the range of good to moderate, which is less than 200.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Key Points:         <ul> <li>It operates under the Department of Health and Family Welfare, Government of the State of Telangana, India.</li> <li>The board is tasked with enforcing laws related to environmental protection.</li> <li>TGPCB was established under Section 4 of the Water (Prevention &amp; Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 and under Section 5 of the Air (Prevention &amp; Control of Pollution) Act, 1981.</li> </ul> </li> </ul> |
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| NDPS Act   | <ul> <li>Why in news?</li> <li>Over the past decade, 5,034 cases were registered under the Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances (NDPS) Act but only 44 resulted in convictions —which is just 0.87%.</li> <li>Key Points:         <ul> <li>The NDPS Act prohibits any individual from engaging in any activity consisting of the production, cultivation, sale, purchase, transport, storage, and/or consumption of any narcotic drug or psychotropic substance.</li> <li>Objectives:</li></ul></li></ul>   |
| National Service and<br>Tracking of<br>Electronic Processes<br>(NSTEP) | <ul> <li>Why in news?</li> <li>A Supreme Court judge has launched the N-Step initiative, emphasizing that delays in trials are weakening the country's justice system.</li> <li>Key Points:</li> <li>The National Service and Tracking of Electronic Processes (NSTEP) is a technology-enabled system that helps in the serving and tracking of summons and other court</li> </ul>  |



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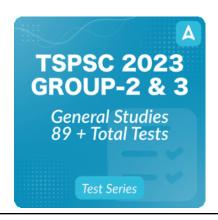
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Implementation: NSTEP has been implemented in 28 states and union territories.









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