



# Highlights

December 2025

## Hon'ble CM Distributes Appointment Letters to 142 Recruits

At a ceremony held at the Odisha Krushi Shikhya Sadan, Hon'ble Chief Minister Shri Mohan Charan Majhi distributed appointment letters to 142 recruits inducted into the Housing and Urban Development Department.



## Empowering Cities, Enriching Lives...

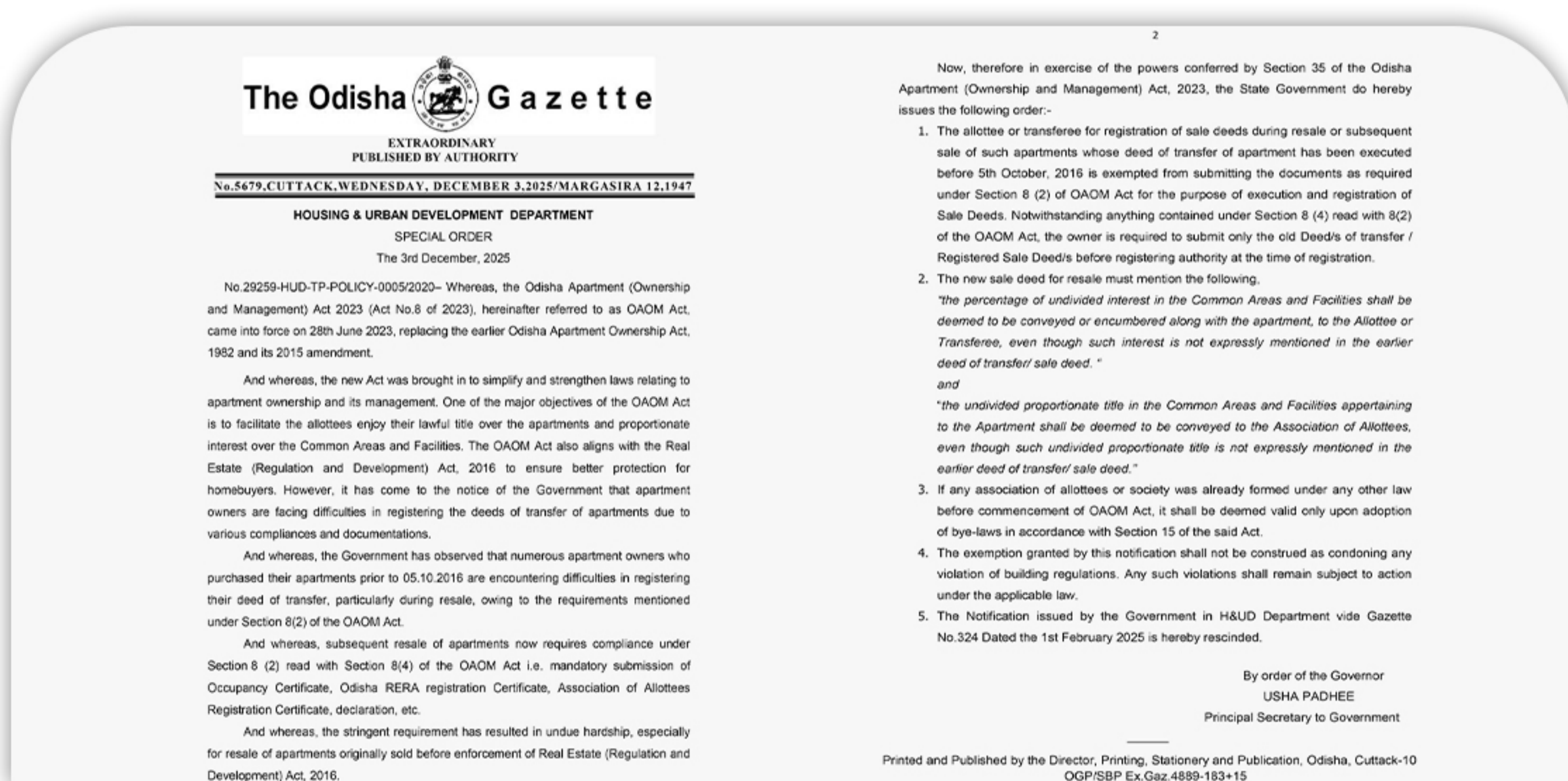
### Launch of 'KALIKA' Crèche at Kharavel Bhawan

In a significant step toward supporting working mothers, Hon'ble Deputy CM Smt. Pravati Parida inaugurated 'KALIKA,' a dedicated crèche facility at Kharavel Bhawan. The facility is designed to provide a safe, joyful, and nurturing environment, allowing staff to focus on their professional duties while ensuring their children are well-cared for within the workplace.



## Simplification of Apartment Ownership Norms

The state government has introduced streamlined procedures for the re-activation and registration of Apartment Owners' Associations. By removing administrative hurdles and ensuring legal clarity, this initiative aims to enhance the "Ease of Living" and restore confidence among apartment owners across Odisha.



## Senior Leadership Inspects Development Projects in Rourkela

Development Commissioner Smt. Anu Garg and Principal Secretary Smt. Usha Padhee conducted an extensive field visit to Rourkela. The team reviewed the progress of the world-class hockey stadium, various housing projects, and key tourism infrastructure to ensure timely completion and quality standards.



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## 27th Board Meeting of Odisha Water Supply & Sewerage Board

Under the chairmanship of Hon'ble Minister Dr. Krushna Chandra Mahapatra, the 27th board meeting of the OWSSB was held at Unnati Bhawan. The board discussed critical issues regarding water infrastructure and sanitation projects with the Principal Secretary and other board members.



## Notification of Five New Municipalities and 24 NACs

Advancing the vision of "Viksit Odisha," the government has officially notified the formation of five new Municipalities and 24 Municipality. This administrative expansion is set to improve urban governance, facilitate planned growth, and bring essential civic services closer to the citizens.



## Strategic Planning for Bhubaneswar-Cuttack-Puri Economic Region

Hon'ble Chief Minister Shri Mohan Charan Majhi led a high-level consultative meeting at Lok Seva Bhawan focusing on the development of the Bhubaneswar-Cuttack-Puri economic corridor. The discussion aimed at synchronizing urban planning with economic growth in this vital region.



## Inauguration of 'Srujana' Multi-purpose Hub at Kharavel Bhawan

Hon'ble Minister Dr. Krushna Chandra Mahapatra dedicated 'Srujana' to the staff of the Secretariat. Located at Kharavel Bhawan, this modern facility combines a multipurpose canteen with a community space, specifically designed to foster creativity, conversation, and collaboration among government employees.

