

Recruitment process begin for filling 4,700 vacancies in the Police Dept soon

After a lull caused by the inauspicious month of 'Ashada' and 'moodham', during which weddings and house-warming ceremonies are avoided, the air of festivity returned to the Andhra Pradesh Government Interim Complex here.

Three Cabinet Ministers — P. Narayana (Municipal Administration), N. Chinarajappa (Home), and S. Raghava Rao (Transport) — moved to their offices in Block Nos. 2 and 5 at different 'muhurtams'.

Puja performed

As loudspeakers played Vedic hymns, priests performed puja.

The centrally air-conditioned 'peshis' teemed with officials, political leaders, and kin of the Ministers.

Mr. Narayana was the first to arrive at 9.30 a.m. and perform 'puja' at his office located on the first floor in Block No.2.

He told the media all the Cabinet Ministers would start functioning from the Government Interim Complex from the first week of September.

CM to move soon

Chief Minister N. Chandrababu Naidu would move into his office in Block No. 1 on September 10, and the remaining Ministers would move in on August 10.

The Home Minister arrived in his office at 12.30 p.m. He was greeted by DGP N. Sambasiva Rao, Additional DGP Thakur, and Principal Secretary, Home, Anuradha.

Mr. Chinarajappa said he would start functioning from the new office from the first week of September.

Recruitment to begin soon

The recruitment process for filling 4,700 vacancies in the Police Department would begin soon, he said.