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SEBI: buybacks via exchanges

PM-VBRY Rs 2,400 crore.
VB-G RAM G rollout.

10 days

GARUDA FUNDRAISE

Rs 2,400
cr

PM-VBRY

Rs 95,692
cr

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SEBI

Board decisions.

PM-VBRY

Jobs incentive.

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Editor's briefing and contents

SEBI Board decisions, an employment incentive disbursal and the VB-G RAM G rollout lead this edition.

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Reading guide

3 verified stories, each linked to its source. Earlier developments are explicitly carried forward. Not every possible update is covered. The separate 8-question test uses this same dataset. Original practice, not an actual previous-year paper.



Economy and Finance

SEBI Board reintroduces open-market buybacks via exchanges; green channel GARUDA for AIFs

19 June 2026 | The Hindu (PTI); SEBI press release listed

The Hindu (PTI) reported that the SEBI Board on Friday, 19 June 2026 approved proposals including reintroduction of open-market share buybacks through stock exchanges with a faster timeline, relaxation of intraday borrowing norms for mutual funds, and simpler securities transfer after an investor's death.

The Board also decided to set up a green-channel mechanism called GARUDA, allowing Alternative Investment Funds (AIFs) to begin fundraising within 10 working days of filing placement memorandums, against 30 days now, and approved measures to revive agricultural commodity derivatives trading. SEBI's own page 'Key decisions taken in the SEBI Board Meeting dated 19th June, 2026' exists, but only its title could be read for this edition.

Key facts

Open-market buybacks via exchanges: reintroduced, faster timeline

GARUDA green channel for AIFs: fundraising within 10 working days (earlier 30)

MF intraday borrowing norms relaxed

Agricultural commodity derivatives: revival measures approved

Exam takeaway: SEBI Board decisions shape securities market regulation; AIFs are privately pooled investment vehicles.

One-minute recall: SEBI Board 19 June 2026: buybacks via exchanges, GARUDA for AIFs (The Hindu/PTI).

The Hindu (PTI); SEBI press release listed

Government Schemes

PM disburses about Rs 2,400 crore under PM Viksit Bharat Rozgar Yojana (PM-VBRY)

19 June 2026 | Press Information Bureau

PIB said that on 19 June 2026 Prime Minister Narendra Modi disbursed approximately Rs 2,400 crore in incentives through Direct Benefit Transfer, in the main event at Vigyan Bhawan, New Delhi, to mark the implementation of the Pradhan Mantri Viksit Bharat Rozgar Yojana (PM-VBRY), run by the Ministry of Labour and Employment.

The release says the initiative is set to formalise and secure employment for over 15 lakh persons. Karnataka hosted regional events at 24 venues. An earlier PIB note (18 June) had said first-time employees receive an incentive of up to Rs 15,000, with events at about 200 locations.

Key facts

Scheme: PM Viksit Bharat Rozgar Yojana (PM-VBRY)

Disbursed: about Rs 2,400 crore via DBT, 19 June 2026

Target: over 15 lakh persons

First-time employee incentive: up to Rs 15,000 (PIB, 18 June)

Exam takeaway: PM-VBRY gives employment-linked incentives, paid through DBT.

One-minute recall: PM-VBRY: about Rs 2,400 crore disbursed on 19 June 2026 (PIB).

Press Information Bureau

VB-G RAM G rollout: 100+ Area Officers, Rs 95,692 crore central share ahead of 1 July 2026

19 June 2026 | Press Information Bureau

PIB said the Ministry of Rural Development will deploy more than 100 Area Officers to support

States and UTs ahead of the VB-G RAM G Act, 2025 coming into force on 1 July 2026. The officers will act as facilitators and resource persons during the rollout.

The release headline states that 27 States/UTs have made budgetary provisions and Rs 95,692 crore has been allocated as Central Share.

Key facts

Act: Viksit Bharat - Guarantee for Rozgar and Aajeevika Mission (Gramin) Act, 2025

In force: 1 July 2026

Area Officers: more than 100

Central share allocated: Rs 95,692 crore; 27 States/UTs with budget provisions

Exam takeaway: VB-G RAM G is the rural employment law that replaces the earlier MGNREGS from 1 July 2026, as covered in earlier editions.

One-minute recall: VB-G RAM G rollout: 100+ Area Officers, Rs 95,692 crore central share (PIB, 19 June).

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Buyback: Company repurchasing its own shares.

AIF: Alternative Investment Fund.

GARUDA: SEBI green-channel for AIF schemes.

DBT: Direct Benefit Transfer.

Central share: Centre's portion of scheme cost.

Rapid-revision prompts

What did SEBI decide?

What is PM-VBRY?

When does VB-G RAM G start?

Sources and publication information

Every figure comes from the linked source page for that story. Where an official page was not read, the story names the publication that reported it. Items we could not verify, or whose outcome was not settled, were left out. This edition has 3 stories because that is what we could verify for the day.

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