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Why Should We Care About Development Finance? ...because it's our money!

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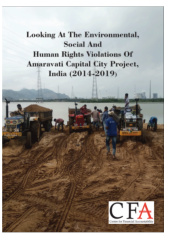
Over 250 CSOs Ask Governments and IFIs to Stop Funding Hydropower

"We live in an age of urgency… We cannot remain silent onlookers while corporate profiteers, financiers, and their allies peddle false solutions for addressing climate change and implementing sustainable development," declared the joint statement issued by over 250 Civil Society Organisations (CSOs) on the occasion of 2019 World Hydropower Congress, which was recently organised in Paris by the industrial lobby of the International Hydropower Association (IHA) in partnership with UNESCO. Read more...



Looking At The Violations In Amaravati Capital City Project

This brief report aims to throw light on the critical lapses and breaches which have been committed during the design, pre-appraisal and Strategic Environmental and Social Assessment procedures for the Amaravati Sustainable Capital City Development Project. The report also shares the recent updates from the communities of the project area ear-marked for building the capital city. Read more...

Snippets from the World of National Financial Institutions - May 2019

This is a monthly column to look at the developments in the world of National Financial Institutions. In the first column, we look at the NPAs created after the ILFS went bankrupt; haircut arising out of Jet Airway's fall; RBI's pilot study on the customer's reaction to bank charges; charges on the UPI transactions; and NPAs of Videocon and Essar. Read more...

Bank Charges Must Go Now!

Bank charges come in multiple forms: non-maintenance of minimum balance, cash withdrawals and deposits at bank branches and ATMs, cash deposit at Cash Deposit Machines, balance inquiry and mini-statements from ATMs, annual charge on debit cards, regeneration of ATM PIN from bank branches, SMS alerts, change of address or mobile number, changes in KYC related documents etc. All of these directly hurt the poor most. Act Now...

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