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- Key rabi crops like wheat, chana, and maize were sold at prices 3–8% below their MSP during the recent harvesting period, with maize experiencing the most significant decline of 24%, while mustard bucked the trend by selling above its MSP.
- Former NITI Aayog member Ramesh Chand advocates for India to transition towards a need-based grain procurement policy and implement the Minimum Support Price (MSP) via price differential payments to stimulate private sector value addition.
- Madhya Pradesh police are investigating a case where subsidized government rice intended for ethanol production was allegedly diverted to a private mill to be fraudulently repackaged and sold back to the government for financial gain.
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