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NHRC NOTICE OVER MUDSLIDE DEATHS

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The National Human Rights Commission has taken suo moto cognisance of the media reports of ten people who died in Narayanpet district. The Commission issued a notice to the chief secretary of Telangana to submit a detailed report of the tragic incident within four weeks.

The commission said the contents of the reports, if true, raise a serious issue of violation of rights. The deceased belonged to the poorest strata. The way the embankment collapsed the negligence of the contractor and the department concerned cannot be ruled out.