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Sugarcane Prices in Haryana Highest in the Country

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Why in News

Recently Haryana Agriculture and Farmers Welfare Minister JP Dalal has decided to increase the sugarcane price by Rs 12. Now it will be Rs 362 per quintal.

Key Points

- With this, **Haryana has become the highest paying state for sugarcane** in the country.
- JP Dalal said that now a price of **Rs 362 per quintal will be given for early variety of sugarcane** and **Rs 355 per quintal for late variety**, which was earlier Rs 340 per quintal.
- It is noteworthy that the recovery of all private and cooperative sugar mills of last year has decreased by 0.34% due to poor quality of sugarcane. The recovery that has come this time has come down from 10.58 to 10.24.
- Agricultural scientists have developed a **new variety named 15023 of sugarcane**, whose recovery is expected to be up to 14%.