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## WEEKLY CURRENT AFFAIR 16<sup>TH</sup> – 22<sup>ND</sup> MAY 2022

- 1. Hindi @ UN' project.... India Contributes USD 800,000 To Promote the Hindi Language At UN:** The government of India has contributed USD 800,000 to the United Nations (UN) as part of the initiative which aims to enhance public outreach of the organisation in Hindi. R Ravindra, India's Deputy Permanent Representative to the United Nations, handed over a cheque for the 'Hindi @ UN' project to Mita Hosali, Deputy Director and Officer-In-Charge (News and Media Division), UN Department of Global Communications (DGC). The project was launched by India in 2018 in collaboration with the UN Department of Public Information to disseminate information about the UN to the Hindi-speaking population across the world.
- 2. Eminent Sanskrit and Hindi Scholar, Padma Shri Dr Rama Kant Shukla Passes Away:** Padma Shri Dr Rama Kant Shukla, a profound Sanskrit and Hindi Scholar, has passed away in Aligarh, Uttar Pradesh (UP). He was conferred the titles of Sanskrit Rashtrakavi, Kaviratna, and Kavi Siromani by literary and Sanskrit organizations. The Government of India (GoI) honoured him with Padma Shri in 2013 for literature and education. In 2009, He was honoured with the President's Award under the Sanskrit category. He has also received the Sahitya Academy Award in 2018 under Sanskrit Category for poetry "Mama Janani".
- 3. Nidhi Chibber named as CBSE new chief 2022:** Senior IAS officer, Nidhi Chibber has been appointed as the chairperson of the Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE). The Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE) is a national level board of education in India for public and private schools, controlled and managed by the Government of India. Established in 1929 by a resolution of the government, the Board was indeed a bold experiment toward inter-state integration and cooperation in the sphere of secondary education.
- 4. Sheikh Mohamed bin Zayed Al Nahyan appointed President of UAE:** The Supreme Council of the Union elected Sheikh Mohamed bin Zayed Al Nahyan, Ruler of Abu Dhabi, as President of the UAE. He has replaced Sheikh Khalifa Bin Zayed Al Nahyan, who died at the age of 73. UAE Capital: Abu Dhabi.
- 5. Prime Minister attended the 2nd Global COVID-19 Virtual Summit:** More than 30 countries attended the conference, which was co-hosted by the United States, Belize, Germany, Indonesia, and Senegal. Prime Minister Narendra Modi called for a reform of the UN health authority and a review of its vaccine approval processes a week after the government challenged the WHO's numbers for mortality during the Covid outbreak. Mr. Modi also called for the World Trade Organization to be more flexible on the issue of patent waivers. WHO Director General: Tedros Ghebreyesus
- 6. Manik Saha named as new chief minister of Tripura: Rajya Sabha MP and BJP state president Manik Saha is all set to take over as the new Chief Minister of Tripura.** The decision was taken at a legislature party meeting following the resignation of CM Biplab Kumar Deb. Tripura Governor: Satyadeo Narain Arya.
- 7. COP15 Session on combating desertification: Bhupender Yadav led the Indian delegation:** The fifteenth session of the Conference of the Parties (COP15) of the United Nations Convention to Combat Desertification (UNCCD) will take place in Abidjan, Côte d'Ivoire, from 9 to 20 May 2022. The COP15 theme, 'Land. Life. Legacy: From scarcity to prosperity', is a call to action to ensure land, the lifeline on this planet, continues to benefit present and future generations. The Indian team, led by Union Minister for Environment, Forest and Climate Change Shri Bhupender Yadav, arrived in Abidjan, Cote D Ivoire. The fourteenth session of the Conference of Parties to the United Nations Convention to Combat Desertification was held in New Delhi, and India is the current president of the organisation.
- 8. Gaganyaan Mission 2023: S2000 human-rated rocket booster tested successfully:** At Satish Dhawan Space Centre (SDSC) in Sriharikota, Andhra Pradesh, the Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO) successfully completed the static test of a human-rated solid rocket booster (HS200) for the Gaganyaan programme. What is the name of India's human space mission to be launched in 2023?..Gaganyaan. The objective of the Gaganyaan programme is to demonstrate the capability to send humans to low earth orbit on board an Indian launch vehicle and bring them back to earth safely. ISRO Chairman and Secretary of the Department of Space: S Somanath Director of the Vikram Sarabhai Space Centre (VSSC): S Unnikrishnan Nair



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- 9. National Data and Analytics Platform launched by NITI Aayog:** The National Data & Analytics Platform (NDAP) was launched by NITI Aayog for free public use. By making data accessible, interoperable, interactive, and available on a user-friendly platform, the platform intends to democratise access to public government data. It houses basic datasets from a variety of government departments, organises them, and provides analytics and visualisation capabilities. Mr. Amitabh Kant, CEO, NITI Aayog.
- 10. Indian Government Prohibited the Wheat Export with Immediate Effect:** Indian Government has prohibited wheat exports, claiming a threat to food security, partially owing to the conflict in Ukraine and as a blistering heatwave reduced supply and pushed local prices to new highs. The Rising food and energy costs have increased India's annual retail inflation rate to 7.79% in April, a new high. Wheat prices in India have reached new highs as a result of growing inflation, with certain spot markets reaching 25,000 rupees per tonne, much over the government's minimum support price of 20,150 rupees.
- 11. Sky Bridge 721:** World's longest suspension bridge, been opened in Czech Republic: The world's largest suspension bridge has opened to travellers in the Czech Republic. The bridge, which had been under construction for nearly two years, was officially opened. Sky Bridge 721 is the name given to it. The Czech Republic, sometimes known as Czechia, is a landlocked Central European country. Prague is the capital and largest city of Czech.
- 12. Summer Deaflympics 2021:** The 24th edition of 2021 Summer Deaflympics i.e. Caxias 2021, officially called the XXIV Summer Deaflympic Games, was an international multi-sport event held at Festa da Uva, Caxias do Sul, Brazil. The International Committee of Sports for the Deaf (ICSD) is the main governing body responsible for the organisation of the Deaflympics and other World Deaf Championships. The Motto of the event is "Sports comes from the our hearts". A total number of 226 events across 18 sports were held with a participation of 2,349 athletes representing 71 nations. India rank -9 with 17 (Gold- 8, Silver- 1, Bronze- 8).
- 13. Sunil Arora, India's former Chief EC, has been named Chairman of Gram Unnati:** Sunil Arora, has been named Chairman of Gram Unnati. Gram Unnati is a social venture that helps farmers increase their net income by increasing price realisation, enhancing agricultural productivity, and lowering cultivation costs.
- 14. 53 Tiger reserves in India (Yes now the number is 53 with the latest addition of Guru Ghasidas National Park of Chhattisgarh ) as of 2022.** According to the latest Tiger Census of 2018-19 conducted in 20 states across India, 2967 Tiger live in India. The Guru Ghasidas National Park is in the districts of Koriya and Surguja in northern Chhattisgarh. It is now the fourth Tiger Reserve in Chhattisgarh, following the Udanti-Sitanadi, Achanakmar, and Indravati Reserves. Ramgarh Vishdhari notified as India's 52nd tiger reserve. Minister for Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Bhupender Yadav has announced that **Ramgarh Vishdhari Tiger Reserve in Rajasthan has been notified as Rajasthan's 4th and the 52nd tiger reserve of India.** It will help to conserve biodiversity and bring ecotourism and development to the area. The National Tiger Conservation Authority (NTCA) had given in-principle approval to make Ramgarh Vishdhari Wildlife Sanctuary and adjoining areas as tiger reserves on July 5 last year. National Tiger Conservation Authority is a statutory body under the Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change. Drives authority from: Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972, as amended in 2006.
- 15. PM Modi unveils India's first 5G test bed, estimated to be worth Rs 220 crore:** Modi launched India's first 5G testbed, allowing startups and industry players to test and certify their technologies domestically and lessen reliance on foreign facilities. 5G testbed is a significant step toward self-reliance in the direction of critical and modern technologies. The 5G testbed was created as a collaboration project between eight institutes, led by IIT Madras.
- 16. Adani Group to buy Ambuja Cements, ACC for \$10.5 bn:** Adani Group which belongs to Gautam Adani is set to acquire swiss multinational company Holcim's stake in Indian companies Ambuja Cements and its subsidiary ACC for \$10.5 bn (around Rs 81,361 crore).
- 17. Rajnath Singh launches India-made warships, INS Surat, INS Udaygiri:** Rajnath Singh has launched two made-in-India warships INS 'Surat' and 'Udaygiri' at the Mazagon Docks in Mumbai. This is the first time that the two indigenously built warships have been launched together, the Mazgaon Dock Shipbuilders Ltd (MDL).



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- 18. Ashwini Vaishnaw Opened NIELIT Center in Leh, Ladakh:** Union Cabinet Minister of Electronics & Information Technology, Communications and Railways, Ashwini Vaishnaw has inaugurated the National Institute of Electronics and Information Technology (NIELIT) Centre Leh, Extension Centre Kargil and IT Enabled Incubation Centre for Handicraft and Handloom Sector.
- 19. Centre Government announces formation of Cotton Council of India:** The Union Government has announced the formation of the Cotton Council of India under the Chairmanship of renowned veteran cotton man Suresh Bhai Kotak. The Council will have representation from Textiles, Agriculture, Commerce, and Finance Ministries along with Cotton Corporation of India and Cotton Research Institute. The council will discuss, deliberate, and prepare a robust action plan for bringing out a tangible improvement in this field. Cotton yarn and fabrics export account for about 23% of India's total textiles and apparel export.
- 20. Vinai Kumar Saxena appointed Delhi Lieutenant Governor after Anil Bajjal's exit:** Delhi Lieutenant Governor, Anil Bajjal has submitted his resignation to President Ram Nath Kovind citing personal reasons. He was appointed the national capital's LG in December 2016 after the sudden resignation of Najeeb Jung.
- 21. National Startup Advisory Council's 4th meeting, chaired by Piyush Goyal:** Shri Piyush Goyal, Minister of Commerce and Industry, Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution, and Textiles, presided over the National Startup Advisory Council's (NSAC) 4th meeting in New Delhi. The Council discussed critical aspects of the startup ecosystem, such as protecting original promoter ownership, incorporating in India, listing in India, and building innovation centres.
- 22. Bharti Airtel re-appoints Gopal Vittal as MD and CEO for 5 years:** Bharti Airtel board has reappointed Gopal Vittal as Managing Director & CEO for a further period of five years ending on January 31, 2028. Founder: Sunil Bharti Mittal, Bharti Airtel Founded: 7 July 1995, India.
- 23. Ajay Piramal receives Order of the British Empire award:** Chairman of the Piramal Group, Ajay Piramal has received an honorary Commander of the Order of the British Empire (CBE) by Her Majesty The Queen. He received the award for services to the UK-India trade relationship as India Co-Chair of the UK-India CEO Forum. As co-chair of the India-UK CEO forum since 2016, the endeavour has been to help strengthen the strong bilateral relations between the two countries through greater economic cooperation.
- 24. Union Minister Jitendra Singh Released E-book Civil List-2022 of IAS officers:** Jitendra Singh, Union Minister of State(MoS), Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances & Pensions released the e-book 'Civil List – 2022 of IAS officers'. This will support in selecting the right officer for the right assignment based on the available profile. This is also a vital source of information on the officers manning various posts for the general public.
- 25. S&P Cuts India's Economic Growth Forecast To 7.3% For 2022-23:** S&P Global Ratings cut India's growth projection for the current fiscal to 7.3 per cent from 7.8 per cent earlier on rising inflation and the longer-than-expected Russia-Ukraine conflict. Asian Development Bank (ADB) has projected India's growth at 7.5 per cent, while the RBI, last month, cut its forecast to 7.2 per cent from 7.8 per cent.
- 26. At Plumbex India Exhibition, the BHARAT TAP project gets unveiled:** Plumbex India Exhibition ceremony of was started by Honourable Minister of Housing and Urban Affairs, Sh. Hardeep Singh Puri. He also announced the Bharat Tap project, a campaign to produce low-flow fixtures and sanitaryware to help India enter a new era of water conservation and sustainable development. Plumbex India is a three-day event that will take place in the Pragati Maidan in Delhi and is the country's largest solo exhibition on plumbing, water, and sanitation products.
- 27. PNB MetLife launched India's 1st dental health insurance plan:** PNB MetLife India Insurance Company has launched India's first dental health insurance plan. This is the first insurance plan in India that covers fixed-benefit outpatient expenses and provides financial assistance with costs related to overall dental health. PNB MetLife Established: 2001, Headquarters: Mumbai, Chairman: Kishore Ponnawolu, MD & CEO: Ashish Kumar Srivastava.
- 28. Rs 1,500 per acre incentive for farmers approved by Punjab Cabinet:** The Punjab Cabinet has authorised a Rs 1,500 per acre incentive for farmers who grow paddy using the direct seeding of rice technology. A total of Rs 450 crore



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has been set aside to provide incentives to farmers who promote the DSR (Direct Seeding of Rice) technique, which uses less water and is more cost-effective.

- 29. Kerala To Bring India's First State-Owned OTT Platform 'CSpace':** The Kerala government will launch a state-owned over-the-top (OTT) platform on November 1, offering film lovers an array of movies, short films and documentaries of their choice. Kerala will become the first state in India to have a state-owned OTT platform. Kerala Minister for Cultural Affairs Saji Cheriyan revealed the name of the OTT platform as CSPACE. Capital: Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala Governor: Arif Mohammad Khan, Chief Minister: Pinarayi Vijayan.
- 30. Punjab CM Bhagwant Mann launched 'Lok Milni' scheme for redressal of public complaints:** Bhagwant Mann heard the grievances of the people of the state and issued redressal directions in 'Lok Milni'.
- 31. IndiGo appoints Pieter Elbers as CEO:** The Board of Directors of Inter Globe Aviation Limited (Indigo) appointed Pieter Elbers as Chief Executive Officer. He will join IndiGo on or before 1 Oct 2022. He succeeds Ronojoy Dutta who has decided to retire on 30 September 2022. Director of IndiGo: Rahul Bhatia, Founded: 2006, Headquarters: Gurugram.
- 32. Nirmala Sitharaman chairs the 7th Annual Meeting of Board of Governors of NDB:** Union Minister of Finance & Corporate Affairs and India's Governor for the New Development Bank (NDB), Smt. Nirmala Sitharaman chaired the 7th Annual Meeting of Board of Governors of NDB through video conference in New Delhi. The meeting was also attended by Governors/Alternate Governors of Brazil, China, Russia, South Africa and the newly joined members Bangladesh and United Arab Emirates (UAE). This year's theme for the Annual Meeting was "NDB: Optimising Development Impact". The New Development Bank (NDB), formerly referred to as the BRICS Development Bank, is a multilateral development bank established by the BRICS states (Brazil, Russia, India, China and South Africa).
- 33. Gandhi peace prize was named after Mahatma Gandhi and it is awarded annually by the government of India:** The international Gandhi peace prize was launched in 1995 on the 125th birth anniversary of Mohandas Karamchand Gandhi as a tribute. The Gandhi peace prize is awarded to groups, organizations, institutes, or individuals for their contribution to the society towards economic growth, social growth, and political transformation through non-violence and Gandhian methods. The first recipient of the international Gandhi peace prize was Julius Nyerere in the year 1995. The jury of the Gandhi peace prize comprises the prime minister of India, the chief justice of India, the leader of the single largest opposition party in Lok Sabha, and two eminent members who decide the awardee. Sheikh Mujibur Rahman was the winner of the Gandhi peace prize 2020. He was the President of Bangladesh and he was also the second prime minister of Bangladesh.
- 34. UN projects India to grow 6.4% in 2022:** The United Nations Department of Economic and Social Affairs (UN-DESA) in its 'World Economic Situation and Prospects (WESP) Mid-year Update 2022' report has declined India's GDP (Gross Domestic Product) growth projections from 6.7% to 6.4% for 2022-23.
- 35. NatGeo installed World's Highest Weather Station on Mt. Everest:** National Geographic Society has installed the "world's highest weather station" on Mount Everest at an altitude of 8,830 metres to automatically measure various meteorological phenomena.
- 36. In GIFT City, New Development Bank opened a regional office:** The New Development Bank (NDB), the Brics countries' multilateral bank based in Shanghai, will open its first regional office in India at the Gujarat International Finance Tec-City (GIFT City) to address the country's infrastructural and sustainable development needs. The India office will concentrate on extending its presence in the country by developing, implementing, and monitoring new projects. The NDB was founded in July 2015 by the Brics countries of Brazil, Russia, India, China, and South Africa. Since then, Bangladesh, the UAE, Egypt, and Uruguay have joined the bank.
- 37. Padhe Bharat Campaign:** On 1st January 2022, Union Minister Shri Dharmendra Pradhan launched a 100-day reading campaign called 'Padhe Bharat'. It is aligned with the National Education Policy 2020 or NEP 2020. This program emphasizes and encourages reading culture for people of every age group. The campaign is organized for 100 days which starts from 1st January 2022 to 10th April 2022.



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- 38. International Day of Living Together in Peace 2022-16 May:** The day is celebrated on the 16th of May throughout the world and with its annual observance, it aims to urge people to live together in a united and peaceful way. The first International Day of Living Together in Peace was observed in 2018.
- 39. International Day of Light 2022 Observed on 16th May:** The International Day of Light is celebrated on 16 May each year, the anniversary of the first successful operation of the laser in 1960 by physicist and engineer, Theodore Maiman.
- 40. National Dengue Day 2022- 16th May:** National Dengue Day is observed on the 16th of May every year in India. National Dengue day was an initiative of the Ministry of health and family welfare to make people aware of dengue and its prevention measures. Aedes Aegypti, is the main cause of the spread of dengue. It is a female mosquito that bites and transmits dengue to human beings.
- 41. World Telecommunication 2022:** The World Telecommunication and Information Society Day (WTISD) is observed each year on 17th May to increase awareness of the benefits and opportunities that the Internet and other information and communication technologies (ICT) provide to nations, societies, and economies.
- 42. World Hypertension Day 2022-17th May 2022:** World Hypertension Day is observed every year on 17th May, to raise awareness and encourage hypertension prevention, detection, and treatment. The major risk factor for cardiovascular disease is high blood pressure and hypertension is known as the "Silent Killer". Hypertension, often known as high blood pressure, is a dangerous medical condition that raises the risk of heart, brain, kidney, and other disorders dramatically.
- 43. International Museum Day 2022 Observed on 18th May:** International Museum Day (IMD) is celebrated every year on 18 May. This day is observed to highlight the importance of museums in any culture. This year, the theme for International Museum Day is 'The Power of Museums'.
- 44. World AIDS Vaccine Day Or HIV Vaccine Awareness Day 2022:** World AIDS Vaccine Day is also known as HIV Vaccine Awareness Day (HVAD) is annually observed across the globe on the 18th of May to create awareness and provide information about Acquired Immuno Deficiency Syndrome (AIDS), a chronic, potentially life-threatening condition caused by the Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) and its immunisation.
- 45. World Bee Day 2022 celebrates globally on 20th of May:** World Bee Day is observed worldwide on May 20. World Bee Day is to acknowledge the role of bees and other pollinators in the ecosystem. Raising awareness of the importance of pollinators in our environment, the threats they face and their important role in sustainability in the ecosystem is the key purpose behind the observance of this day. This year Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO) will celebrate World Bee Day through a virtual event, under the theme 'Bee Engaged: Celebrating the diversity of bees and beekeeping systems'.
- 46. National Endangered Species Day 2022- 20th May:** Every year on the third Friday of May, people across the globe observe National Endangered Species Day. This year the day is celebrated on May 20. This year, it marks the 16th National Endangered Species Day. The National Endangered Species Day theme 2022 is "Recovering key species for ecosystem restoration".
- 47. World Metrology Day 2022- Annually observed 20th May:** World Metrology Day (WMD) is annually observed across the globe on 20th May to create awareness about the Metrology, the science of measurement and its application. The day highlights the use of Metrology in scientific fields, innovation, industries, trading and other fields. The theme for World Metrology Day 2022 is Metrology in the Digital Era.
- 48. Anti Terrorism Day 2022 observed on 21st May:** Anti-Terrorism Day is observed every year on 21 May, on the death anniversary of former Prime Minister Rajiv Gandhi. He was assassinated on May 21, 1991, by the LTTE terrorists while campaigning for the Congress Party at Sriperumbudur in Tamil Nadu.



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- 1. Which State/UT government has government announced Startup Policy to aid the entrepreneur?**  
a) Chandigarh      b) Ladakh      c) Delhi      d) Gujarat      e) Maharashtra
- 2. Which of following has launched AIM-PRIME Playbook with Atal Innovation Mission to help academicians launch deep-tech spin-offs?**  
a) Ministry of Education      b) IIT Madras      c) IIT Kharagpur      d) IIM Kozhikode      e) NITI Aayog
- 3. Leonid Kravchuk passed away recently. He was the first president of independent**  
a) Hungary      b) Slovakia      c) Poland      d) Ukraine      e) Romania
- 4. Who has become the first Indian woman to climb five peaks above 8000 metres?**  
a) Priyanka Mohite      b) Malavath Poorna      c) Premlata Aggarwal      d) Arunima Sinha      e) Santosh Yadav
- 5. What does 'PM-WANI scheme' stand for?**  
a) Prime Minister Wireless Access Network Interface scheme      b) Prime Minister Wi-Fi Access Network Intermission scheme  
c) Prime Movable Wi-Fi Access Network Interface scheme      d) Prime Mobile Wi-Fi Access Network Intermission scheme  
e) Prime Minister Wi-Fi Access Network Interface scheme
- 6. What is the theme International Nurses Day 2022?**  
a) Nurses: A Voice to Lead - Invest in Nursing and respect rights to secure global health  
b) Nurses: A Voice to Lead - A vision for future healthcare      c) Nursing the World to Health      d) Health For All  
e) Expanding the roles of nurses in primary health care
- 7. Which State Government has launched 'e-Adhigam' scheme under which nearly 3 lakh students will be receiving tablet computers to aid their online education?**  
a) Haryana      b) Rajasthan      c) Bihar      d) Assam      e) Andhra Pradesh
- 8. A prominent crossing in Ayodhya will be developed and named after who among the following?**  
a) Shivkumar Sharma      b) Lata Mangeshkar      c) BS Yediyurappa  
d) Siddharoodha Swamiji      e) Deen Dayal Upadhyaya
- 9. What is the maximum strength of Judges in the Supreme Court of India?**  
a) 30      b) 31      c) 32      d) 33      e) 34
- 10. Which of the following public sector bank has introduced its digital broking solution - 'E Broking'?**  
a) SBI      b) Canara Bank      c) Indian Bank      d) Bank of Baroda      e) Central Bank of India
- 11. Which state's chief minister has announced breakfast scheme to provide nutritious breakfast on all working days for all government primary school students?**  
a) Tamil Nadu      b) Karnataka      c) Andhra Pradesh      d) Kerala      e) Odisha
- 12. India's first EV charging station powered by bio-gas was inaugurated in**  
a) Delhi      b) Mumbai      c) Surat      d) Chennai      e) Bengaluru
- 13. Who among the following has been appointed as the next chief election commissioner of India?**  
a) Sushil Chandra      b) Kamlesh Nilkanth Vyas      c) Arvind Panagariya      d) Suman Bery      e) Rajiv Kumar
- 14. Who has climbed Mt Everest, the tallest peak in the world for the 26th time to set a new world record?**  
a) Ang Rita Sherpa      b) Kami Rita Sherpa      c) Pasang Lhamu Sherpa      d) Babu Chiri Sherpa      e) Apa Sherpa
- 15. Which company has become the largest Fast Moving Consumer Goods Company (FMCG) in India beating Hindustan Unilever Limited (HUL)?**  
a) Ruchi Soya      b) Adani Wilmar Limited      c) Tata Power      d) ITC Limited      e) Wipro
- 16. Which state has launched the 'Charaa Bijae Yojana', a scheme to provide financial assistance of Rs 10,000 per acre (Upto 10 acres) to farmers cultivating and supplying fodder to Gaushalas?**  
a) Maharashtra      b) West Bengal      c) Gujarat      d) Madhya Pradesh      e) Haryana
- 17. Which of the following country became the first Asian country join in NATO Cooperative Cyber Defence Centre of Excellence?**  
a) Bangladesh      b) China      c) India      d) South Korea      e) Japan
- 18. World's oldest chess grandmaster Yuri Averbakh passed away. He belonged to which country?**  
a) Vietnam      b) Russia      c) China      d) Japan      e) South Korea

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- 19.** Who has been appointed as Louis Vuitton's first-ever Indian brand ambassador?  
a) Priyanka Chopra   b) Sushmita Sen   c) Deepika Padukone   d) Anushka Sharma   e) Vidya Balan
- 20.** Which state government will launch an Android App 'Shaili', aimed at diagnosing and controlling lifestyle diseases among the people?  
a) Karnataka   b) Gujarat   c) Odisha   d) Kerala   e) West Bengal
- 21.** Which of the following company has become the first Indian company to record annual revenue of more than a \$100 billion?  
a) State Bank of India   b) Indian Oil   c) Tata Motors   d) Bharat Petroleum   e) Reliance Industries
- 22.** Which state/UT's government will provide free sewer connections under "Mukhyamantri Muft Sewer Connection Yojana"?  
a) Jammu and Kashmir   b) Punjab   c) Haryana   d) Delhi   e) Ladakh
- 23.** Pandit Sukh Ram has passed away recently. He was a/an  
a) Union Minister   b) Businessman   c) Vice-president of BCCI   d) Rajya Sabha member   e) None of these
- 24.** The United Nations designated International Day of Plant Health (IDPH) to raise global awareness on how protecting plant health.  
a) 11 May   b) 12 May   c) 13 May   d) 14 May   e) 15 May
- 25.** India's first Centre of Excellence for Khadi (COEK) to be inaugurated in which state/UT?  
a) Goa   b) Kerala   c) Bihar   d) New Delhi   e) Assam
- 26.** Who receives British Honour 'MBE' For His Service During the COVID-19 Pandemic?  
a) Ravi Krishan   b) Guruswamy Krishnamoorthy   c) Sanjay Waliya   d) Vipin Chandra   e) Sonam Singhal
- 27.** Who has been appointed as the new chief executive officer (CEO) and Managing Director (MD) of Air India?  
a) Vipula Gunatilleka   b) Vikram Dev Dutt   c) Campbell Wilson   d) Atul Bhatt   e) Ilker Ayci
- 28.** May 12 is observed as International Nurses' Day across the world to honour the services of nurses. It is the birth anniversary of  
a) Clara Barton   b) Mary Eliza Mahoney   c) Margaret Sanger   d) Dorothea Dix   e) Florence Nightingale

## ANSWERS

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| 1) C | 5) E | 9) E  | 13) E | 17) D | 21) E | 25) D |
| 2) E | 6) A | 10) C | 14) B | 18) B | 22) D | 26) B |
| 3) D | 7) A | 11) A | 15) B | 19) C | 23) A | 27) C |
| 4) A | 8) B | 12) B | 16) E | 20) D | 24) B | 28) E |

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