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## **WEEKLY CURRENT AFFAIR 15<sup>TH</sup> - 21<sup>ST</sup> AUG 2022**

- World Photography Day celebrates on 19th August: World Photography Day is celebrated on August 19 each year. The aim of World Photography Day is to create awareness, share ideas and encourage people to take up photography. The annual celebration pays tribute to the art of photography and also encourages those who are passionate about it to come together and share their work. The inception of this day dates back to 1837 when Frenchmen Joseph Nicephore Niepce and Louis Daguerre invented the 'daguerreotype' which was the world's first-ever photographic process.
- World Humanitarian Day observed on 19th August: World Humanitarian Day is celebrated on August 19 every year to recognise all aid and health workers who volunteer to help victims of disasters and crises against all odds. The day aims to spread awareness about the need for humanitarian assistance worldwide. The UN hopes that the day will serve as a reminder to people of the risk taken by some to save lives and support humanitarian causes. The 2022 campaign, according to the United Nations, shines a light on "thousands of volunteers, professionals and crisis-affected people who deliver urgent health care, shelter, food, protection, water and much more."
- 3. World Mosquito Day Observed On 20th August: The monsoon season is when mosquito-borne illnesses including malaria, dengue fever, and chikungunya are most prevalent. World Mosquito Day reminds us of the Millions of people worldwide are in danger of dying from it, despite the fact that it is treatable and preventable. World Mosquito Day is recognised in honour of Sir Ronald Ross, who in 1897 identified the connection between mosquitoes and the spread of malaria. His research revealed that female mosquitoes spread malaria among people.
- 4. Sadbhavana Diwas 2022: The birth anniversary of India's Former Prime Minister Rajiv Gandhi is celebrated as 'Sadbhavana Diwas' or Harmony Day' on 20 August. Sadbhavana Diwas is marked with the objective to promote peace, national integration and communal harmony among all Indians. Sadbhavana' in English means goodwill. Rajiv Gandhi became the youngest Prime Minister of India when he assumed the post at the age of 40.
- **5.** World Senior Citizen Day 2022 celebrates on 21st August: World Senior Citizens' Day is celebrated on August 21 every year. It is also known as National Senior Citizens' Day in the United States (US). The day is observed with the intent to highlight the contributions of elderly people in human society and honour them.
- 6. International Day of Remembrance and Tribute to the Victims of Terrorism: International Day of Remembrance of and Tribute to the Victims of Terrorism is observed on August 21 each year in memory of the victims of terrorism. The day is observed to show the victims of terrorism that they are not forgotten and they are respected and recognised across the world. The theme for 2022's International Day of Remembrance of and Tribute to the Victims of Terrorism is "memories," as mentioned in a United Nations (UN).
- World's Highest Chenab Railway Bridge Inaugurated: The golden joint of the world's highest railway bridge over River Chenab was inaugurated. For the first time ever since independence, Srinagar will be linked to the rest of India after the overarch deck on the world's highest single-arch railway bridge over River Chenab. The bridge will be 35 meters higher than the Eiffel Tower. The Chenab is formed by the confluence of two streams, Chandra and Bhaga, in the western (Punjab) Himalayas in India's Himachal Pradesh state. It flows west through Jammu and Kashmir union territory—the Indian-administered portion of the disputed Kashmir region)—between the steep cliffs of the Shiwalik Range (south) and the Lesser Himalayas (north). After receiving the Jhelum River near Trimmu, the Chenab empties into the Sutlej River, a tributary of the Indus River. Afcons is building 16 additional railway bridges for Konkan Railway Corporation Limited (KRCL) in the dangerous terrain of Jammu

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- and Kashmir in addition to the Chenab Bridge. All the bridges are part of the Udhampur Srinagar Baramulla Rail Link (USBRL) project.
- 8. IAS Piyush Goyal named NATGRID CEO by the Union government: IAS officer of the Nagaland cadre, Piyush Goyal has been appointed by the Central Government as the new CEO of NATGRID (National Intelligence Grid). NATGRID is the central organization for intelligence gathering with the aim of enhancing India's counterterrorism capabilities. It is the integrated intelligence master database structure for counter-terrorism purposes connecting databases of various core security agencies under the Government of India collecting comprehensive patterns procured from 21 different organizations that can be readily accessed by security agencies round the clock. Formed: 2009, Headquarters: New Delhi, India.
- 9. Kolkata To Host 23rd Edition Of India International Seafood Show(IISS): Marine Products Export Development Authority (MPEDA) in association with the Seafood Exporters' Association of India (SEAI) will hold the 23rd edition of India International Seafood Show (IISS) in Kolkata, the City of Joy from February 15 to 7 next year. During 2021-22, India exported 13,69,264 tonnes of marine products worth US\$ 7.76 billion, registering an all-time high export by value, while production of shrimp crossed one million MT.
- 10. Defence forces, RBI and PM Office Most Trusted Institutions: Defence forces, RBI and Prime Minister of India are the three most trusted institutions in the country, according to a survey by Ipsos India. The Supreme Court of India came fourth and it was followed by the Central Bureau of Investigation (CBI). Defence Forces with at least 2 in 3 (65 per cent of respondents) reposing faith in them was ranked first, followed by Reserve Bank of India with 1 in 2 (50 per cent). Prime Minister of India as an institution was at the third spot with 49 per cent citizens having trust in it, the survey said. Smack in the middle was the Parliament (33 per cent) ranked 7th, ranked 8th was the media (32 per cent) and placed 9th was the Election Commission of India (31 per cent), it said. The institutions at the bottom of the heap were politicians (16 per cent), political parties (17 per cent), community leaders (19 per cent) and religious leaders (21 per cent). The survey was conducted by Ipsos India via a quantitative survey using a structured questionnaire and interviewed 2,950 adults including females.
- 11. Veteran stock market investor Rakesh Jhunjhunwala passes away: Veteran stock market investor, Rakesh Jhunjhunwala passed away at the age of 62. Often referred to as 'India's Warren Buffett' and the Big Bull of Indian markets, Jhunjhunwala's net worth was \$5.8 billion. An investor with a Midas touch, Jhunjhunwala was the 48th richest man in the country. He was Born on July 5, 1960 in a Rajasthani family, Jhunjhunwala grew up in Bombay, where his father worked as a commissioner of Income Tax.
- 12. State Bank of India launched "Utsav fixed deposit scheme": The largest lender in the nation, State Bank of India (SBI) has introduced a unique term deposit programme called "Utsav Deposit Scheme". This fixed deposit scheme has higher interest rates and is only available for a limited time. This programme is introduced on the occasion of the nation's 76th year of Independence, celebrated as Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav. SBI is offering an interest rate of 6.10% per annum on fixed deposits with a tenure of 1000 days. And senior citizens will be eligible to get an additional interest rate of 0.50% over and above the regular rate. These rates are effective as of 15th August 2022 and the scheme is valid for a period of 75 days. Chairperson: Dinesh Kumar Khara, Headquarters: Mumbai, Founded: 1 July 1955.
- 13. Indian Railway Protection Force Launched "Operation Yatri Suraksha": Indian Railway Protection Force (RPF), have launched a pan-India operation known as Operation Yatri Suraksha. Under this initiative, several steps are taken to provide round-the-clock security to passengers. To kickstart Operation Yatri Suraksha, the RPF launched a month-long pan-India drive against criminals who loot passengers in July 2022. Minister of Railways: Ashwini Vaishnaw.

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- 14. Dadabhai Naoroji's London home gets Blue Plaque honour: London home of Dadabhai Naoroji will get a 'Blue Plaque', an honour that is reserved for notable personalities who have lived and worked in London. Naoroji was the first Asian who was elected as a Member of Parliament in Britain. The Blue Plaque scheme, run by the English Heritage charity, honours the historic significance of particular buildings across London. Naoroji's plaque was unveiled to coincide with the 75th-anniversary celebrations of Indian Independence. Naoroji often referred to as the "grand old man of India", is reported to have moved to Washington House, 72 Anerley Park, Penge, Bromley, at a time when his thoughts were turning increasingly towards full independence for India in 1897. The Blue Plaque was erected at the homes of Raja Ram Mohan Roy, Mahatma Gandhi, Sri Aurobindo, Jawaharlal Nehru, and BR Ambedkar among others. Gandhi's house was commemorated with the Blue Plaque in 1986. India's first prime minister Jawaharlal Nehru's home at 60 Elgin Crescent, Notting Hill received the Blue Plaque in 1989.
- 15. William Ruto is declared Kenya's next president: Kenyan Deputy President, William Ruto is now the country's president-elect after he was declared the winner of the last presidential election over five-time contender Raila Odinga. Kenya Capital: Nairobi; Kenya Currency: Shilling.
- 16. India Can Be USD 5 Trillion Economy By FY29 If GDP Grows At 9% For 5 Years: India may become a USD five trillion economy by 2028-29 only if the GDP grows at nine per cent per annum consistently for the next five years, former RBI Governor D Subbarao said on Monday. Speaking at Federation of Telangana Chamber of Commerce and Industry on India @75- Marching Towards USD 5 Trillion Economy on the occasion of 75 years of Indian Independence. He said there are eight key challenges for India to overcome to achieve the dream of 5 trillion economy. The challenges are increasing investment, improving productivity and education and health outcomes, creating jobs, raising agriculture productivity, maintaining macroeconomic stability, managing global mega trends and improving governance.
- 17. India To Start Supplying Petrol With 20% Ethanol From April 2023: India will start supplying petrol with 20 per cent ethanol at select petrol pumps from April next year and will ramp up supplies thereafter as it looks to cut oil import dependence and address environmental issues. E20 petrol (petrol blended with 20 per cent ethanol) in some quantity will be available from April 2023 and the rest to be covered by 2025. On the occasion of World Biofuel Day, Prime Minister Narendra Modi dedicated the 2nd generation (2G) ethanol plant in Panipat, Hariyana. The plant is part of a long series of steps taken by the government over the years to boost the production and use of biofuels in the country.
- 4 independent directors reappointed by Gol to RBI's central board: Satish Kashinath Marathe, Swaminathan Gurumurthy, Revathy Iyer, and Sachin Chaturvedi have all been renominated by the national government to serve as part-time, non-official directors on the RBI's central board or central board of the Reserve Bank of India. The RBI said on its website that Gurumurthy and Marathe have been renominated for another term of four years, until further instructions for RBI's central board. After the RBI's central board current terms expire on September 18, 2022, Iyer and Chaturvedi have been renominated for another four years. Anand Mahindra, the chairman of the Mahindra & Mahindra group, Venu Srinivasan, Pankaj Patel, the chairman of Zydus Lifesciences, and Ravindra Dholakia, a former member of the Monetary Policy Committee, were nominated by the government in June to serve as part-time non-official directors on the RBI's central board. Members of the RBI's central board offer a bigger picture for the central bank rather than getting personally involved in monetary policy decisions.
- 19. Durand Cup 2022: Asia's Oldest Football Tournament Begins: Asia's Oldest Football Tournament Durand Cup has begun. The 131st edition of the Durand Cup 2022 has been kicked off, the Union Defence Minister Rajnath Singh and Chief Army Staff General Manoj Pande will visit Manipur to be a spectator of the inaugural match. The inaugural match will be held at the Khuman Lampak Stadium in Imphal. West Bengal, Assam, and

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Manipur are hosting the Durand Cup 2022. The former Foreign Secretary of British India, Mortimer Durand founded the Durand Cup in 1888. The Durand Cup was initially played only by the Armed services but in later years, the game was officially made open for the Professional Football Clubs. The Durand Cup is annually organized by the Durand Cup Football Tournament in association with the All India Football Federation (AIFF).

- 20. Union Minister Jitendra Singh unveils India's first Saline Water Lantern: Union Minister of Earth Sciences, Jitendra Singh has launched India's first saline water lantern, 'Roshini', which uses seawater to power Light Emitting Diode (LED) lamps. The minister unveiled the first-of-its-kind lantern during his visit to Sagar Anveshika, a coastal research vessel operated by the National Institute of Ocean Technology (NIOT) Chennai for marine research. Saline water lanterns use seawater as an electrolyte between specially designed electrodes to power LED lamps. The technology will help bring 'Ease of Living' to the poor and needy, especially the fishing community living along the 7,500-km-long coastal line of India.
- 21. State Bank of India introduced its first dedicated branch to support start-ups: The country's largest lender, State Bank of India (SBI) has launched its first branch dedicated to start-ups in Koramangala, Bengaluru. SBI Chairman Dinesh Khara launched the branch in Koramangala near HSR Layout and Indiranagar which are the biggest start-up hubs in the city. After Bengaluru, the next branch will be opened in Gurgaon and the third one will be in Hyderabad. These branches would support the needs of the entire start-up ecosystem.
- **22. Defence Minister Rajnath Singh gives "F-INSAS" system to Indian Army:** Defence Minister of India, Rajnath Singh handed over to the Indian Army the much-awaited Future Infantry Soldier as a System (F-INSAS) at the unveiling ceremony of various defence and strategic systems held in Delhi. The full gear of the F-INSAS includes an AK-203 assault rifle, which is a Russian-origin gas-operated, magazine-fed, select-fire assault rifle.
- 23. PM Modi announced 'Panch Pran' goal for the next 25 years: Prime Minister Narendra Modi spoke to the nation from the Red Fort for the ninth time in a row on August 15, 2022. PM Modi, in his 88-minute speech, outlined his "Panch Pran Targets" (Five Resolves) to make India a developed country by the time it celebrates its 100th Independence Day in 25 years. Prime Minister Narendra Modi discussed the Panch Pran Goal. PM Modi requested every individual to foloow Panch Pran. The Panch Pran are as follows: Advance with greater conviction and the determination of a developed India. Get rid of any signs of slavery, Take pride in India's history, the power of unity duties of citizens, such as those of the PM and CMs.
- 24. Medicine from the sky': First Pilot Project Launched in Arunachal Pradesh: Medicine from the sky' pilot project drone service launched by the Chief Minister of Arunachal Pradesh Pema Khandu. 'Medicine from the sky' is also a part of Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav, initiated by Prime Minister Narendra Modi. The first successful flight was conducted from Seppa to Chaoyang Tajo in the East Kameng district. He also mentioned in the Bharat Drone Mahotsav, that India has the potential of becoming the world's drone hub. This drone service or the first pilot project aims to provide medicine and essential services to people in need with the help of drones.
- **25. Vostok-2022: Indo-China military drills to be held in Russia:** The People's Liberation Army of China will take part in the Vostok-2022 strategic command and staff exercise in Russia, which also includes the armies of India, Belarus, Tajikistan, and Mongolia, according to the country's defence ministry. China's People's Liberation Army will send some troops to Russia to participate in the Vostok-2022 (East) strategic exercise, in accordance with the two countries' yearly military cooperation plan and agreement.
- **26. Bal Aadhar Initiative:** 79 Lakh Children Enrolled under UIDAI: More than 79 lakh children between the age group 0-5 years were enrolled under the Bal Aadhar Initiative by Unique Identification Authority (UIDAI). The Bal Aadhar Initiative is a new effort by the government of India to reach out to more children in the age group of 0-5, this will also help the parents and children to avail of various facilities and benefits. Bal Aadhar is issued to

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children below the age of 5 years. It is a blue-colored card which differentiates it from the Aadhar card issued to adults. The Bal Aadhar doesn't require any biometric details of children below 5 years.

- 27. National Intellectual Property Awareness Mission (NIPAM): The National Intellectual Property Awareness Mission (NIPAM) was launched by the Ministry of Commerce and Industry on 8th December 2021. The National Intellectual Property Awareness Mission (NIPAM) aims to provide awareness and training on Intellectual Property (IP). On 31st July 2022, the scheme met its goal of training one million students before the deadline on 15th August 2022. The number of students or faculty trained under the Intellectual Property Awareness Mission is 10,05,272 and 3663 educational institutions have been covered.
- 28. Gol unveils "Manthan" platform for better industry and R&D collaboration: The government of India unveiled the "Manthan" platform to drive collaboration between the industry and research institutes to implement technology-based social impact innovations and solutions in the country. The launch of Manthan, a platform that promises to augment our efforts to build and nurture industry participation in R&D, is also a testimony of our commitment to the UN's SDG goals. The Manthan platform will help scale up interactions among stakeholders, facilitate research and innovation, and share challenges in various emerging technologies and scientific interventions, including those that make a social impact.
- 29. HDFC Bank introduced "Vigil Aunty" to promote secure banking practices: HDFC Bank launched a new campaign called "Vigil Aunty". Vigil Aunty Campaign attempts to motivate citizens all around the nation to adopt secure banking practices. This will go along with the bank's "Mooh Band Rakho" campaign, which implores consumers to keep their banking information private. A campaign to promote Vigil Aunty and persuade people to follow her on social media and/or WhatsApp will be run for four to six weeks. Vigil Aunty will be active in the digital ecosystem and keep its clients informed about the many tactics used by financial fraudsters and how to avoid them.
- 30. Country first electric double-decker bus launched in Mumbai: Union Transport Minister, Nitin Gadkari has launched India's first electric double-decker bus at YB Centre in south Mumbai. The name of the bus is "Switch EiV 22", the double-decker bus will be run by the Mumbai civic transport body from September. Nitin Gadkari said 35 per cent of the pollution is because of diesel and petrol, and the introduction of these buses will reduce pollution. Two new electric buses, including the first air-conditioned double-decker bus in the country, will join the fleet of the Brihanmumbai Electric Supply and Transport (BEST).
- 31. Chief Minister Arvind Kejriwal launched 'Make India No. 1' mission: Delhi Chief Minister, Arvind Kejriwal has formally unveiled his Aam Aadmi Party's national ambition with the launch of the 'Make India No 1' campaign. At an event organised at Talkatora stadium here, he proposed a five-point vision for good governance. The Aam Aadmi Party (AAP) national convenor termed the campaign a "national mission" and appealed to the masses to join.
- 32. Goa, first state in India to receive "Har Ghar Jal" certification: The people of all the villages in Goa and Dadra & Nagar Haveli and Daman & Diu (D&NH and D&D) declared their village to be a "Har Ghar Jal" through a resolution passed by the Gram Sabha, certifying that all households in the villages have access to safe drinking water through taps and ensuring that "No One is Left Out." All 85,156 of the 85,635,000 rural households in Dadra & Nagar Haveli, Daman & Diu, and Goa have access to potable water via a tap connection with Har Ghar Jal. The Government of India's flagship programme, Jal Jeevan Mission, was unveiled on August 15, 2019, from the Red Fort's ramparts by its forward-thinking Prime Minister.
- 33. Yamuna Par Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav' organised by NMCG: The Department of Water Resources, River Development and Ganga Rejuvenation, the Ministry of Jal Shakti, and the National Mission for Clean Ganga (NMCG) organised the event "Yamuna Par Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav" at the water sports club in New Delhi.

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Gajendra Singh Shekhawat, the Union Minister for Jal Shakti, presided over the gathering of Yamuna Par Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav. Shekhawat was given a guard of honour by BSF members on the occasion. To commemorate the occasion of Yamuna Par Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav, he also raised the national flag, Tiranga.

- 34. BRO to build First Steel Slag Road in Arunachal Pradesh: The Border Road Organization (BRO) will build Steel Slag Road in Arunachal Pradesh based on the Pilot project. The Steel Slag Road is the first of its kind Project which aims to make durable roadways that can withstand heavy rain and adverse climatic conditions. Arunachal Pradesh has some treacherous areas and locations which suffer from heavy rain and adverse climatic conditions, the Steel Slag Road project will help to resolve the connection between the help centres and the affected areas.
- 35. Scotland becomes first nation to make period products available to everyone: Local governments of Scotland are now required by law of Scotland to offer free sanitary products (Period Products) like tampons and pads to anyone who needs them. As the Period Products Act takes effect in Scotland, goods will be supplied through councils and educational institutions. The Period Products (Free Provision) (Scotland) Bill was unanimously approved by MSPs in November 2020.
- 36. Dahi-Handi" Recognised as an Official Sport of Maharashtra: Chief Minister Eknath Shinde announces that 'Dahi-Handi' will be recognized as an official sport in Maharashtra. The state is set to organize a 'Pro- Dahi Handi' completion. The Maharashtra Government also announces that the Govindas will get a job under the sports category and if any Govinda loses his life insurance of Rs 10 lakh will be given, also if they end up being partially handicapped insurance of Rs 5 lakh will be given by the Government of Maharashtra.
- 37. HDFC Bank opened the first all-women branch in north Kerala: HDFC Bank inaugurated an all-women branch in Kozhikode, north Kerala. Mayor of the city Corporation Beena Philip opened the branch of HDFC Bank. As of March 31, 2022, women made up 21.7% (21,486) of the workforce, according to the bank. By 2025, the private lender wants to raise it to 25%. Deals beyond a certain threshold require regulator approval, which keeps an eye on unethical business practises in the marketplace.
- 38. India's First Portal On Arrested Narco Offenders 'NIDAAN': A first-of-its kind database of arrested narcotics offenders has been made operational for use by various central and state prosecution agencies tasked to enforce anti-drugs laws in the country. The portal-NIDAAN or the National Integrated Database on Arrested Narco-offenders—has been developed by the Narcotics Control Bureau (NCB). It is part of the narcotics coordination mechanism (NCORD) portal that was launched by Union Home Minister Amit Shah on July 30 in Chandigarh during the national conference on 'Drug trafficking and national security'.

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<u>1.</u>	The Ministry of Defence has announced that the 12th edition of the Defence Expo will be held in									
	A. Gandhinagar	B. Delhi	C. Mumbai	D. Surat	E. Indore					
<u>2.</u>	In India which day is dedicated to be observed as the Javelin Throw Day every year?									
	A. August 05	B. August 06	C August 07	D August 08	E August 09					
<u>3.</u>	What was India's rank in CWG 2022 medals tally?									
	A. 1	B. 2	C. 3	D. 4	E. 5					
<u>4.</u>	When is the International Biofuel Day marked?									
	A. August 06	B. August 07	C. August 08	D. August 09	E. August 10					
<u>5.</u>	Indian Air Force (IAF) contingent left for to participate in a four-day bilateral exercise 'Udarashakti'.									
	A. Nepal	B. Sri Lanka	C. Japan	D. France	E. Malaysia					
<u>6.</u>	How many meda	ls did India win iı	n Commonwealth	Games 2022 table?						

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	A. 58	B. 59	C. 60	D. 61	E. 62				
<u>7.</u>	Who has been elected as the new and 14th Vice-President of India in the election held in August 2022?								
	A. Satya Pal Malik	B. Suvendu Adh	ikari (	C. Jagdeep Dhankhar	D. La. Ganesan	E. Margaret Alva			
<u>8.</u>	Which day has been dedicated as the World Lion Day?								
	A. August 10	B. August 09	(	C. August 08	D. August 07	E. August 06			
<u>9.</u>	Which of the following Ministry has launched SMILE-75 initiative?								
	A. Ministry of Micro	. Ministry of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises				B. Ministry of Home Affairs			
	C. Ministry of Skill I	of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship			D. Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment				
	E. Ministry of Educa	ation							
<u>10.</u>	Which of the following companies has <mark>launched the 'India Ki Udaan'</mark> project to mark 75 years of Independence								
	A. Amazon	B. Mahindra & M	1ahindra	C. TCS	D. Flipkart	E. Google			
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<u>11.</u>	Gustavo Petro has	s taken charge as	s the Pres	ident of which country	n				
	A. Colombia	B. Greece	200	C. Zambia	D. Turkey	E. Egypt			
12.	What is the theme	of World Organ	Donation	Day 2022?	SOR				
	A. let's pledge to donate organs and save lives								
	B. Donating An Org	gan Is Like Gifting	A Life						
	C. Removing the ta	boo around organ							
	<ul><li>D. Don't take your organs to heaven, for heaven knows we need them here</li><li>E. Every blood donor is a hero</li></ul>								
<u>13.</u>	Who was honoure	d with the 'dPal i	rNgam Du	ston' award, the highe	st civilian honour of L	adakh?			
	A. Sachin Tendulka	ar B. Narendra Mo	odi (	C. Dalai Lama	D. MS Dhoni	E. Amit Shah			
<u>14.</u>	Which state gover	nment has anno	unced to	implement 100% Natio	nal Education Policy (	NEP) in higher			
	education from ne	ext academic yea	r?						
	A. Tripura	B. West Bengal	(	C. Assam	D. Goa	E. Chhattisgarh			
<u>15.</u>	International Day	of the World's In	digenous	Peoples is celebrated	on world. across the				
	A. 05th August	B. 06th August	(	C. 07th August	D. 08th August	E. 09th August			
<u>16.</u>	The 80th annivers	ary of the Augus	t Kranti D	in or Quit India Moven	nent on	Ca			
	A. 5th August	B. 6th August	(	C. 7th August	D. 8th August	E. 9th August			
<u>17.</u>	Ex Vajra Prahar 20	022 is a joint spe	cial force	s exercise of India witl	n which country?	9			
	A. Russia	B. Sri Lanka	(	C. Singapore	D. United States	E. United Kingdom			
<u>18.</u>	India beat which o	ountry to win the	e 2022 SA	FF U20 Championship	title?				
	A. Canada	B. Japan	(	C. Sri Lanka	D. Bangladesh	E. Nepal			
<u>19.</u>	August 12 is mark	ed as an interna	tional day	in remembrance of w	hich of these animals	?			
	A. World Lion Day	B. World Tortois	e Day	C. World Elephant Day	D. World Fish Day	E. World Tiger Day			
<u> 20.</u>	What is the theme	of the 2022 Inter	rnational	Youth Day (IYD)?					
	A. Intergenerational Solidarity: Creating a World for All Ages								
	B. Transforming Food Systems: Youth Innovation for Human and Planetary Health								
	C. Safe Spaces for Youth								
D. Youth Engagement for Global Action									
	E. Taking Youth for Future Sports								
<u>21.</u>	Which day of the	Which day of the year has been dedicated to be celebrated as the International Youth Day annually?							
	A. August 11	B. August 12	(	C. August 13	D. August 14	E. August 15			
<u>22.</u>	The first Khelo Inc	dia Women's Hoc	key Leag	ue under-16 is schedu	led to be held at the M	lajor Dhyanchand			
	Stadium in								

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E. 15th August

E. Maharashtra

- A. Bhubaneswar B. New Delhi C. Mumbai D. Gurgram E. Kolkata
- 23. Which day of the year has been dedicated to be celebrated as the World Organ Donation Day annually?
- A. 11th August B. 12th August C. 13th August D. 14th August
- 24. When is the National Handloom Day observed in India?
  - A. August 03 B. August 04 C. August 05 D. August 06 E. August 07
- **25.** Which of the following state governments has launched the 'Panchamrut Yojana' scheme with an aim to double farmers income?
- A. Bihar B. Jharkhand C. Uttar Pradesh D. Rajasthan E. Gujarat
- 26. Has Indian American from Virginia, crowned Miss India USA in 2022 in New Jersey.
  - A. Aarya Walvekar B. Saumya Sharma C. Sanjana Chekuri D. Shibani Kashyap E. Khushi Patel
- 27. Who among the following becomes the first Indian Social Psychologist on the US Heritage Wall of Fame of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology?
  - A. Ramdutt Joshi B. Vijay Kumar Shankar C. Saurab Singh D. Ramadhar Singh E. Vipin Kumar
- 28. Narendra Modi will dedicate to the nation via video conferencing a second generation (2G) ethanol plant in

C. Punjab

29. Which of the following Ministry has launched SMILE-75 initiative?

B. Haryana

- A. Ministry of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises B. Ministry of Home Affairs
- C. Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship

  D. Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment
- E. Ministry of Education

A. Rajasthan

- 30. International Lefthanders Day is observed on across the world.
  - A. August 11 B. August 12 C. August 13 D. August 14 E. August 15

## **ANSWER**

- 1) A 6) D 11) A 16) D 21) B 26) A
- 2) C 7) C 12) A 17) D 22) B 27) D
- 3) D 8) A 13) C 18) D 23) C 28) B
- 4) E 9) D 14) D 19) C 24) E 29) D
- 5) E 10) E 15) E 20) A 25) C 30) C

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