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1. To promote electric mobility, the GST council has decided to reduce GST rate on Electrical vehicle from 12% to _____? - **5%** [28 Jul, 2019]
2. World Hepatitis Day is observed on which date? - **28th July**
Theme :- Invest in eliminating Hepatitis
Dr. Baruch Blumberg discovered the hepatitis B Virus [28 Jul, 2019]
3. Global Tiger Day is observed in which date? - **28th July** [28 Jul, 2019]
4. Name of account aggregator model that has been launched by Nandan Nilekani? - **Sahamati** [28 Jul, 2019]
5. "Hand-In-Hand" is military exercise b/w India and which country? - **China** [28 Jul, 2019]
6. Who has been appointed as chairman of the Public Account Committee? - **Adhir Ranjan Choudhary** [27 Jul, 2019]
7. Who has sworn-in as new chief Minister of Karnataka? - **B.S.Yeddyurappa**
Governor of Karnataka - Vajubhai Vala [27 Jul, 2019]
8. What is the rank of Indian football team as per FIFA ranking? - **103 (18th among Asian countries)** [27 Jul, 2019]
9. Who has been appointed as head of ICC's Influential Fiance and Commercial Affairs Committee? - **Ehsan Mani** [27 Jul, 2019]
10. Name the renowned Malayalam Poet and translator, who passed away recently? - **Attoor Ravi Varma** [26 Jul, 2019]
11. Who has been appointed s chairperson of National Anti-Profiteering Authority (NAA) ? - **Badri Narain Sharma**
NAA constituted under Section 171 of central GST Act of 2017, ensures that consumers get benefit of reduced prices under Goods and Services. [26 Jul, 2019]
12. Which Indian state top in Implementation of Pradhan Mantri Suraksha Bima? - **Uttar Pradesh** [26 Jul, 2019]
13. Which state tops in rooftop solar power generation capacity? - **Gujarat** [26 Jul, 2019]
14. Who won People's Choice Award 2019 in U.S. - **Sudarsan Pattnaik**
He is an esteemed Sand Artist. People's Choice Award 2019 was given for his sand art on plastic pollution with message 'Stop Plastic Pollution, Save Our Ocean'. [29 Jul, 2019]
15. International Tiger Day (Global Tiger Day) is observed on - **29 July**
This day is observed because the "29 July Act" was passed on this day. The agreement signed by countries at Saint Petersburg Tiger Summit in Russia in 2010, to raise awareness about the decline of the global tiger population. Signatories declared an agreement that governments of tiger-populated countries would double the animal's population by 2022. [29 Jul, 2019]
16. BRICS Foreign Ministers' meet held at - **Rio de Janeiro**
Fight against terrorism, cooperation in areas of economy and peopletopeople exchanges emerged as prominent themes in the one-day meet. [29 Jul, 2019]
17. S. Jaipal Reddy passed away recently due to pneumonia, he was a renowned - **Politician**
He had been elected to the Lok Sabha five times, the Rajya Sabha twice and the Assembly of undivided Andhra Pradesh four times. [29 Jul, 2019]
18. Who has sworn-in as new Andhra Pradesh Governor? - **Biswabhusan Harichandan**
Biswabhusan Harichandan is a senior BJP leader and an author from Odisha. Biswabhusan Harichandan is the first governor of the state to assume office in the capital city after the bifurcation. He comes with a rich experience in public life and is a renowned writer, lawyer, scholar and was instrumental and inspirational in drafting the rehabilitation and resettlement (RR) policy of the government. [25 Jul, 2019]

19. BCCI has given approval to which non-profit company, as the official association of ex-cricketers in India? - **India Cricketers Association**

The ICA is not affiliated to Federation of International Cricketers' Association (FICA) and is only open to former men and women cricketers, unlike the players' associations in most countries. "The Board of Control for Cricket in India (BCCI) hereby formally recognises the Indian Cricketers' Association (ICA), a non-profit company limited by guarantee incorporated on July 5, 2019 under Section 8 of the Companies Act, 2013, as the official association for ex-cricketers in India," read an official BCCI notice. "It is clarified that, until further notice of the BCCI, no entity other than the ICA will be accorded recognition by the BCCI as an association of ex-cricketers," it added. [25 Jul, 2019]

20. Scientist of which country has developed a method to convert Jute fibre into low cost biodegradable cellulose sheets? - **Bangladesh** [25 Jul, 2019]

21. which educational Institute has developed "Agricopter" to eliminate manual spraying of Pesticides in agricultural farms? - **IIT Madras** [25 Jul, 2019]

22. Which country has slapped fine of \$5 billion on Facebook for violation of User's Privacy? - **U.S.** Shares of Facebook were down slightly following the announcement, but turned positive in the afternoon, up about 1.1% by the end of trading. Facebook recouped more than what it will have to pay out for the settlement through what it gained in market value Wednesday. The stock added more than \$6 billion to its market cap to bring it over \$584 billion. The fine is the largest ever imposed by the FTC against a tech company. The previous high was a 2012 \$22.5 million fine against Google for its privacy practices. [25 Jul, 2019]

23. Asian Development Bank has sanctioned 1,925 Crore Rupees project for up-gradation of Power Generation and distribution in which Indian State? - **Tripura** [25 Jul, 2019]

24. Book titled "Chandra Shekhar - The Last Icon of Ideological Politics" has been authored by? - **Shri Harivansh**

Chandra Shekhar-He was 8th Prime Minister of India and served in office from 10 November 1990 - 21 June 1991. He is 1st Indian Prime Minister who has never held any Government office. He undertook a nationwide Padayatra (marathon walk) through the country in 1983, from Kanyakumari in South to Rajghat in New Delhi covering a distance of about 4260 km in over 6 months. Rajghat is a memorial dedicated to Mahatma Gandhi During his days he was popularly called as Young Turk for his conviction, courage and integrity in fight against vested interests. [25 Jul, 2019]

25. What is India's rank in Global Innovation Index 2019? - **52nd Rank**

India gained five ranks benefit to get 52nd rank, earlier in 2018 India was at 57th position among 129 Countries World Wide. [25 Jul, 2019]

26. Name the indian Origin, who has been appointed as Britain's Home Secretary? - **Priti Patel**

Patel was born in London to a Ugandan-Indian family. She was educated at Keele University and the University of Essex. She was initially involved with the Referendum Party before switching allegiance to the Conservatives.

She was Member of Parliament (MP) for Witham in Essex since 2010. She was International Development Secretary from 2016 to 2017 [25 Jul, 2019]

27. The government on Wednesday gave approval to dissolve National Institute of Miners' Health - **National Institute of Miners' Health**

The government on Wednesday gave the approval to dissolve National Institute of Miners' Health (NIMH) and merge it with ICMR-National Institute of Occupational Health. The decision was taken at the Cabinet meeting, chaired by Prime Minister. The merger/amalgamation of NIMH with NIOH will prove beneficial to both the institutes in terms of enhanced expertise in the field of occupational health besides the efficient management of public money, it said. [25 Jul, 2019]

28. Which State becomes the first Indian state to reserve 75% private jobs for local youth? - Andhra Pradesh

The bill mandates reserved employment of at least 75% state candidates (locals) in all private industrial units and factories, irrespective of whether. The 75% reservation to local is provided in private jobs across all categories such as- factories, industrial units, joint ventures (JVs) as well as projects taken up under Public-Private Partnership (PPP) mode. [25 Jul, 2019]

29. Who has been appointed next Vice Chief Indian Army? - Manoj Mukund Naravane

Naravane will replace Lieutenant General D Anbu who retires on August 31. Naravane will be the senior most army officer when the incumbent Army Chief General Bipin Rawat retires on December 31. Naravane was commissioned into the 7th Sikh Light Infantry in June 1980. He has handled several appointments in peace, field and active counter-insurgency environments in the North-East, Jammu and Kashmir and as part of the Indian Peace Keeping Force in Sri Lanka. He has commanded a Rashtriya Rifles battalion in J&K and an infantry brigade on the Eastern front. He has also been Inspector General, Assam Rifles (North) at Nagaland and commanded a Strike Corps. He was earlier heading the Shimla. [24 Jul, 2019]

30. Which hockey player has been chosen for Mohan Bagan Ratna 2019? - Keshav Dutta

This is for the 1st time Mohun Bagan's executive committee has decided to confer their highest honour to a non-footballer i.e. a sportsperson from other discipline. The 93 year old Dutt, who played as a half-back, was part of National hockey team that won gold medals after India's Independence- 1948 London Games. [24 Jul, 2019]

31. Who has been appointed as Pentagon Chief? - Mark Esper [24 Jul, 2019]

32. Who has been named as UK's new Prime Minister? - Boris Johnson [24 Jul, 2019]

33. Durand Cup related to which sport? - Football [24 Jul, 2019]

34. Which State/UT has launched the new e-challan system? - Delhi [24 Jul, 2019]

35. Which country has been suspended by ICC, with immediate effect for breach of Constitution? - Zimbabwe [24 Jul, 2019]

36. Which State government has launched project named "Medicine from the Sky"? - Telangana [24 Jul, 2019]

37. Motihari-Amlekhaganj Petroleum pipeline project is connected to India and - Nepal [24 Jul, 2019]

38. Which State/UT cricket association has been granted the status of Full Member of the BCCI? - Pondicherry [24 Jul, 2019]

39. Name the Indian batting Icon who has been inducted into ICC Hall of Fame? - Sachin Tendulkar [24 Jul, 2019]

40. Who became the first Indian boxer to win Gold at President's Cup boxing tournament? - Shiva Thapa [23 Jul, 2019]

41. Name the former International Atomic Energy Agency Chief, who passed away recently? - Yukiya Amano

Yukiya Amano is from Japan [23 Jul, 2019]

42. Peter McNamara, a tennis champion, who passed away recently belonged to which Country? - Australia [22 Jul, 2019]

43. Book titled "Kargil: Untold Stories from the war" authored by: - Rachna Bisht Rawat [23 Jul, 2019]

44. National Broadcasting day is observed every year on which date? - 23th July [23 Jul, 2019]

45. Name British Swimmer, who has broken his own world record in men's 100 meter breast stroke at world championships in Gwangju, South Korea? - Adam Peaty [23 Jul, 2019]

46. Who has been chosen for "Sangita Kalanidhi Award" of Music Academy? - S. Somya

Sangita Kalanidhi awarded yearly to Carnatic Musician by Madras Music Academy [23 Jul, 2019]

47. Which Indian Athlete has been suspended for two years by IAAF's Athletics Integrity unit for doping violation? - Sanjivani Yadav [23 Jul, 2019]

48. Vijayveer Sidhu is associated to which sports, who picked up his 3rd Gold Medal at ISSF Junior World Cup? - **Shooting** [18 Jul, 2019]
49. Which Indian shooter has won the Gold Medal in 25m rapid fire pistol competition at ISSF Junior World Cup in Suhl, Germany? - **Anish Bhanwala** [18 Jul, 2019]
50. Name the Co-founder of Dalit Panther, who passed away recently? - **Raja Dhale**
Dalit Panther is a radical outfit founded in 1972 [18 Jul, 2019]
51. Which Country has become the 76th Country to join International Solar Alliance? - **Palau**
Palau is an archipelago of over 350 Islands in Ocean [18 Jul, 2019]
52. Nelson Mandela International Day is observed on which date? - **18th July** [18 Jul, 2019]
53. "Find the Incredible You" campaign has been launched by which Indian ministry? - **Ministry of Tourism** [18 Jul, 2019]
54. Name the Bollywood superstar who has been honored with honorary doctorate degree from La-Troba University, Melbourne - **Shah Rukh Khan** [18 Jul, 2019]
55. Name the space telescope which is a joint venture of Russia and Germany that will map X-rays across the entire sky? - **Spekter-RG** [17 Jul, 2019]
56. Name the military dictator of Bangladesh who passed away recently? - **Hussain Muhammed Ershad** [17 Jul, 2019]
57. Who has been appointed as new Governor of Himachal Pradesh - **Kalraj Mishra** [17 Jul, 2019]
58. Which Indian movie has won the Best Feature Film award 2019 at SAARC film festival? - **Nagarkirtan**
India won 6 awards at SAARC film festival [17 Jul, 2019]
59. Name the player who created the new commonwealth record in clean and jerk category - **Pardeep Singh** [17 Jul, 2019]
60. Who has been adjudged as "Player of the tournament" of ICC Cricket world cup 2019 - **Kane Williamson** [17 Jul, 2019]
61. Who has been appointed as Governor of Chattisgarh? - **Anusuiya Uikey** [17 Jul, 2019]
62. Name the Indian Surgeon, who has been conferred the Honorary Fellowship of the Royal college of Surgeons of Thailand? - **P. Raghu Ram** [17 Jul, 2019]
63. Name the First Indian State to get fund through World Bank's Climate resilience programme? - **Kerala** [17 Jul, 2019]
64. Who has been appointed as an International Judge of Singapore International Commercial Court (SICC)? - **A.K. Sikri** [17 Jul, 2019]
65. Name the Assamese Litterateur who passed away recently? - **Purobi Bermudoi** [16 Jul, 2019]
66. Who has been conferred with Arjuna Award? - **Rohan Bopana (Tennis Player) & Smriti Mandhana (Woman Cricketer)**
Arjuna Award are given by Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports.
Arjuna Award started in 1961. [16 Jul, 2019]
67. Book titled "Relentless" is autobiography of _____? - **Yashwant Sinha** [16 Jul, 2019]
68. World Day for International Justice is observed on which day? - **17 July** [16 Jul, 2019]
69. Name of the first female President of European Commission? - **Ursula Von Der Leyen (Defense Minister of German)** [15 Jul, 2019]
70. Who has been appointed as Governor of Andhra Pradesh ? - **Bishwa Bhushan Harichandran** [15 Jul, 2019]
71. Which state become the first to ensure the conservation of water? - **Meghalaya** [15 Jul, 2019]
72. World Youth Skilled Day is observed on which day? - **15 July** [15 Jul, 2019]
73. India won how many gold medals in Yasar Dogu Ranking Series held in Turkey? - **Three** [15 Jul, 2019]

- 74.** In which state Asia's Largest Solar Power is developed? - **Madhya Pradesh** [15 Jul, 2019]
- 75.** Anthony Amalraj is associated to which sport? - **Table Tennis**
G.Sathiyan and Anthony Amalraj won silver medal at world Tour Platinum Australian Open 2019 [15 Jul, 2019]
- 76.** Name the well known Malayalam Cinematographer who passed away recently? - **M.J.Radhakrishnan** [15 Jul, 2019]
- 77.** First ever Himalayan States Conclave is held by which state? - **Uttarakhand** [15 Jul, 2019]
- 78.** Who directed the rare footage of 1948 film Vande Mataram that become part of National Film Archives of India? - **Ram Gabale** [14 Jul, 2019]
- 79.** Centuries old annual " Kharchi Puja Festival " is celebrated in which state? - **Tripura** [14 Jul, 2019]
- 80.** In which city Agri-business Incubation centre has been setup under Scheme- RAFTAAR? - **Raipur (Chhattisgarh)** [14 Jul, 2019]
- 81.** Who has been appointed as Managing Director and Chief Financial Officer of World Bank? - **Anshula Kant** [14 Jul, 2019]
- 82.** Who made thrilling victory in the silverstone circuit to win his Sixth British Grand Prix? - **Lewis Hamilton** [14 Jul, 2019]
- 83.** Who has won Wimbledon title 2019? - **Novak Djokovic (Serbia)**
Runner up - R.Federer (Switzerland)
Women's singles - S.Halep (Romania)
Women's singles runner up - Serena Williams (USA)
Men's Double - Juan Sebastián Cabal & Robert Farah
Women's Double - S.W.Hsieh & B.Strycova
Mixed Double - Ivan Dodig & Latisa Chan [14 Jul, 2019]
- 84.** Which country lifted ICC Cricket World Cup Trophy 2019 at Lord's Cricket stadium? - **England** [14 Jul, 2019]
- 85.** Name the Indian author, who will be part of 5-member judging panel for 2020 International Booker Prize? - **Jeet Thayil** [13 Jul, 2019]
- 86.** Name the girl who has been selected for the prestigious 2 months Internship at International court of Justice? - **Isha Kanth** [13 Jul, 2019]
- 87.** Who has been appointed as secretary of overseas Indian affairs? - **Vikas Swarup** [13 Jul, 2019]
- 88.** Which Indian state got Asia's first six Sigma Institute of Mountain Medicines and high altitude rescue ? - **Uttarakhand** [13 Jul, 2019]
- 89.** Where the world's largest moveable metal structure has been unveiled ? - **Ukraine** [13 Jul, 2019]
- 90.** Which State/UT ranks best performing in the field of education? - **Chandigarh.**
Performance Grading Index placed Chandigarh at the top of the list followed by Kerala and Gujrat. Harayan at 4th, Punjab is at 7th place and Arunachal Pradesh is at the bottom of the list. [13 Jul, 2019]
- 91.** Who won the 2019 Croatia Grand Chess Tour title - **Magnus Carlsen of Norway**
Viswanathan Anand finished up at 11th with 4.5 points. Magnus Carlsen of Norway defeated Wesley So of US at Croatia Grand Chess Tour title. [13 Jul, 2019]
- 92.** Which State Govt. plans to spot of the defunct traditional thermal power plant into solar park. - **Delhi Government**
Delhi Govt. has decided in its cabinet that the Rajghat Thermal Power Station into a Thermal Park which will produce 5,000 KW of electricity. [13 Jul, 2019]
- 93.** Which State Government announces cow welfare fund, hikes Haj committee grant - **Madhya Pradesh** [12 Jul, 2019]

- 94.** India and ASEAN Troika Trade Ministers Meeting held in - **New Delhi**
ASEAN stands for Association of Southeast Asian Nations
Piyush Goyal is the Union Minister of Commerce & Industry and Railways. [12 Jul, 2019]
- 95.** Who has been appointed as the Director General of Fire Services , Civil Defense and Home Guard - **M Nageswar Rao** [12 Jul, 2019]
- 96.** Which group has been banned by government of India for alleged anti-national activities - **Sikhs For Justice** [12 Jul, 2019]
- 97.** Name the book that has been launched to commemorate five decades of partnership b/w India and UN World Food Programme - **Coffee Table Book named 50 years of partnership for change** [11 Jul, 2019]
- 98.** Who becomes the first Indian sprinter to win Gold in 100m event at 30th world university Games - **Dutee Chand** [11 Jul, 2019]
- 99.** Which State government has implemented centre's Witness Protection Scheme - **Odisha** [11 Jul, 2019]
- 100.** Kataragama Temple is located in which country - **Sri Lanka** [11 Jul, 2019]
- 101.** Who has won gold medals in Commonwealth Championship - **Rakhi Halder and Davinder Kaur** [11 Jul, 2019]
- 102.** Who has been appointed as Directorate General of Civil Aviation - **Mr. Arun Kumar** [11 Jul, 2019]
- 103.** Name the operator, Railway Protection Force has launched to crack down selling of unauthorised Packaging Drinking Water - **Operation Thirst** [11 Jul, 2019]
- 104.** Which country has become the 5th country to eliminate Measles - **Sri Lanka** [11 Jul, 2019]
- 105.** Which country will impose a green tax on plane tickets from 2020 - **France** [11 Jul, 2019]
- 106.** Which country exceeds Uranium enrichment limit set under 2015 nuclear deal - **Iran** [11 Jul, 2019]
- 107.** World Population Day is observed across the world every year on which day - **11th July** [11 Jul, 2019]
- 108.** Name the Australia Landscape which has been added UNESCO World Heritage Site List - **Budj Bim Cultural Landscape** [10 Jul, 2019]
- 109.** Name of the Three Year roadmap finalised by RBI to improve regulation and supervision of Central Bank - **Utkarsh 2022** [10 Jul, 2019]
- 110.** In which state India's first rehabilitation centre will be setup - **Kerala at Kattoor** [10 Jul, 2019]
- 111.** Which Indian Movie has won NETPAC award at BIFAN in South Korea - **Gully Boy** [10 Jul, 2019]
- 112.** Who has won AIFF Men's Footballer of the year award - **Sunil Chhetri** [10 Jul, 2019]
- 113.** Name the new method has been identified for predicting Monsoon - **Beryllium-7** [10 Jul, 2019]
- 114.** India has adopted a statutory resolution for levying 200% duty against which country - **Pakistan** [10 Jul, 2019]
- 115.** National Highway Authority of India has signed MOU with central promoted agency for funding - **National Investment and Infrastructure Fund** [10 Jul, 2019]
- 116.** Which State government has decided to produce it's own seeds - **Madhya Pradesh**
Brand Name of Seeds : Soh-Beej [10 Jul, 2019]
- 117.** 2nd India-Russia Economic Dialogue was held in which Indian City - **New Delhi** [10 Jul, 2019]
- 118.** A.V.Celestine, who passed away recently, associated with which game - **Football**
AV.Celestine was goalkeeper. [10 Jul, 2019]
- 119.** Book titled " Vivekadeepini " has been written by - **Sri Adi Shankracharya** [10 Jul, 2019]
- 120.** Name the Missiles Which has been successfully tested by DRDO at Pokhran - **Nag Missiles (3rd Generation Anti tank Guided Missiles)** [10 Jul, 2019]

- 121.** Who won Croatia Grand Chess Tour title 2019 - **Magnus Carlsen** [10 Jul, 2019]
- 122.** Who has been appointed as head of National Cricket Academy - **Rahul Dravid**
National Cricket Academy is located in Bengaluru, Karnataka [10 Jul, 2019]
- 123.** The UK's data privacy authority imposed fine of \$230 million on which airlines for 2018 data hack - **British Airways**
Information Commissioner Elizabeth Denham said: "People's personal data is just that personal. When an organization fails to protect it from loss, damage or theft it is more than an inconvenience. That's why the law is clear when you are entrusted with personal data you must look after it." [10 Jul, 2019]
- 124.** India won how many medals on the opening day of the Commonwealth Weightlifting Championship - **13**
This event is held at Apia, Samoa. [10 Jul, 2019]
- 125.** Who is the author of "Whispers of Time" - **Krishna Saksena** [10 Jul, 2019]
- 126.** Which India's First Manufacturing Plant has been included in WEF's Global Lighthouse Network (GLN) - **Tata Steel Kalinganagar (at Jajpur district of Odhisa)** [09 Jul, 2019]
- 127.** Kargil Tribute Song Released by Army Chief General Bipin Rawat has been composed by - **Mr. Sameer Anjaan** [09 Jul, 2019]
- 128.** Bi-Cycle Sharing Scheme has been started by which State/UT - **Puducherry** [09 Jul, 2019]
- 129.** Book Titled "War over Words: Censorship in India 1930-1960" is written by - **Devika Sethi**
Devika Sethi teaches modern Indian history at IIT-Mandi, explores the diverse mechanisms and motivations for censorship and its role in the shaping of the modern Indian republic. [09 Jul, 2019]
- 130.** "Prosecco Hills" have been added to the UNESCO World Heritage Site List is located in which country - **Italy** [06 Jul, 2019]
- 131.** Government of India has signed pact with which Tech Giant for pilot Study on using AI on Agriculture - **IBM** [08 Jul, 2019]
- 132.** Who wins Golden Boot at Women's World Cup - **Megan Rapinoe**
She also bagged the Golden Ball (Best Player). Golden Glove (Best Goalkeeper) is given to Sari Van Veenendaal [09 Jul, 2019]
- 133.** Which ancient site of Iraq has been declared a UNESCO World Heritage List - **Babylon** [09 Jul, 2019]
- 134.** "Athi Varadar Festival" is celebrated in which India States - **Tamil Nadu** [08 Jul, 2019]
- 135.** Name the annual festival Telangana, which is celebrated in grand manner during the first month of monsoon season - **Bonalu Festival (Kicked off in the city at the historic Golconda Fort of Hyderabad)** [08 Jul, 2019]
- 136.** Which Indian City made its entry into UNESCO World Heritage Site List - **Walled City of Jaipur** [08 Jul, 2019]
- 137.** Who won men's single title in clash of Canada Open Badminton 2019 - **Li Shi Feng (China)** [08 Jul, 2019]
- 138.** Who won the Gold Medal at Grand Prix of Spain - **Vinesh Phogat and Diya Kakran**
Vinesh Phogat in Category of 53kg
Diya Kakran in Category of 63kg [07 Jul, 2019]
- 139.** Which country won its first copa, America 2019 title since 2007 - **Brazil** [08 Jul, 2019]
- 140.** Name the Indian Scientist who has been selected as co-Investigator for NASA's PUNCH Mission - **Dipanker Banerjee**
PUNCH stands for Polarimeter to unify the Corona and Heliospheric.
Punch mission will image the Sun. [03 Jul, 2019]
- 141.** Which Public Sector Bank has signed MOU with NIIF to boost Capital availability for Infrastructure funds - **SBI** [03 Jul, 2019]
- 142.** Impressed Tortoise is discovered in which Indian State - **Andhra Pradesh** [06 Jul, 2019]

- 143.** Who has won the Silver Medal in World Youth Cup in under-12 age group category - **Arinjeeta Dey from West Bengal** [09 Jul, 2019]
- 144.** Who has been elected as member of International Olympic Committee - **Narinder Batra** [06 Jul, 2019]
- 145.** Book named "Land Registration, Global practices and Lessons for India" has been Written by - **B K Aggarwal**
The Vice President of India M. Venkaiah Naidu released this book. [09 Jul, 2019]
- 146.** Who has been appointed as Managing Director of National Housing Bank (NHB) - **Sarada Kumar Hota** [05 Jul, 2019]
- 147.** Who has been appointed as the country manager for India of LinkedIn, Microsoft owned Social Networking website? - **Ashutosh Gupta** [09 Jul, 2019]
- 148.** Who has been appointed as Chairman and Managing Director of BSNL - **P.K.Purwar** [05 Jul, 2019]
- 149.** One day match of World cup 2019 between India and _____ is to be played in 2 days? - **New Zealand**
Due to rain India vs New Zealand match has been called off for the day. New Zealand will resume their innings on 10 July 2019 from 211/5 with 3.5 overs to bat. [09 Jul, 2019]
- 150.** Who has sworn as the new Prime Minister of Greece? - **Kyriakos Mitsotakis** [09 Jul, 2019]
- 151.** First Ever International Security Alliance is Joint Security exercise " ISALEX19" hosted by which city - **Abu Dhabi (U.A.E)** [04 Jul, 2019]
- 152.** Who has been appointed as new Director of Intelligence Bureau - **Arvind Kumar** [04 Jul, 2019]
- 153.** Which State has launched free crop Insurance for farmers - **West Bengal** [04 Jul, 2019]
- 154.** Name the famous Telugu fiction writer who passed away recently - **Abbwi Chaya Devi** [03 Jul, 2019]
- 155.** What is the full form of AMFFRI - **Agricultural Marketing and Farmer Friendly Reforms Index** [03 Jul, 2019]
- 156.** Who has been appointed as Director of Institute of Banking Personnel Selection - **Hardish Kumar** [03 Jul, 2019]
- 157.** Whom from Chhattisgarh was crowned Femina Miss Grand India 2019 - **Shivani Jadhav** [09 Jul, 2019]
- 158.** Who has taken oath as protem Speaker of Lok Sabha? - **MP Virendra Kumar** [09 Jul, 2019]
- 159.** - [09 Jul, 2019]
- 160.** What is the name of former Miss India Universe who was molested and abused in Kolakata recently? - **Ushoshi Sengupta** [09 Jul, 2019]
- 161.** What is the venue for 3rd Global Sunflower Seed and Oil Conference 2019 - **Mumbai** [03 Jul, 2019]
- 162.** Who has been appointed as new Chairman and Managing Director of BHEL - **Nalin Singal** [02 Jul, 2019]
- 163.** Who has been re-appointed as RBI Deputy Governor for one year - **S.Vishwanathan**
Other Deputy Governor of RBI :
B.P.Kanunga
M.K.Jain [03 Jul, 2019]
- 164.** Who has been appointed as Interim Leader of IMF - **David Lipton** [03 Jul, 2019]
- 165.** Book Titled "Whispers of Time " authored by - **Dr. Krishna Saksena** [02 Jul, 2019]
- 166.** - [09 Jul, 2019]
- 167.** Which country has designated the Balochistan Liberation Army as Terror group - **U.S.A** [03 Jul, 2019]
- 168.** Name the NASA's mission to explore Saturn Moon Titan - **Dragonfly** [02 Jul, 2019]

169. Chabra Super Critical Thermal Power Station is situated at - **Baran District of Rajasthan** [02 Jul, 2019]

170. Name the Odisha's based Navratna Company who has been selected for President's award for utilisation of corporate social responsibilities Fund (CSR) - **National Aluminum Company** [02 Jul, 2019]

171. Which Indian State will host 21th Commonwealth Table Tennis Tournament - **Odisha** [02 Jul, 2019]

172. Joao Gilberto, who recently passed away, was a famous - **Musician**

João Gilberto Prado Pereira de Oliveira, known as João Gilberto (10 June 1931 – 6 July 2019), was a Brazilian singer, songwriter, and guitarist, who was a pioneer of the musical genre of bossa nova in the late 1950s. Around the world he was often called "father of bossa nova", in his native Brazil, he was referred to as "O Mito" ("The Legend"). [09 Jul, 2019]

173. Who has clinched Gold Medal in Kunto Athletics Meet in Poland? - **Hima Das**

Hima Das is also known as Dhing Express. She won her 2nd Gold in Women's 200m. [09 Jul, 2019]

174. Prosecco hills have been added to the World Heritage list by the Un Cultural Organisation, which are located in - **Italy**

It is Italy's 55th World Heritage Site. Italy also top the list and China is next in the list [09 Jul, 2019]

175. Which state has declared to develop more than 300 tourist spots - **Assam**

Assam is also famous for Kaziranga National Park, where Single Horned Rhino. Also, a task force came into action to save Single Horned Rhino. [09 Jul, 2019]

176. DRDO has recently tested which missiles in Pokhran - **Nag Missiles**

The Defence Research and Development Organisation (DRDO) is an agency of the Government of India, charged with the military's research and development, headquartered in New Delhi, India. It was formed in 1958. [09 Jul, 2019]

177. Recently who won the Canada Open 2019 - Badminton - **Li Shifeng**

The 2019 Canada Open is the third Super 100 tournament of the 2019 BWF World Tour and also part of the Canada Open championships, which has been held since 1957. China's Li Shifeng won by beating India's Parupalli Kashyap. [09 Jul, 2019]

178. On border of which country BSF has started operation Sudarshan - **Pakistan** [09 Jul, 2019]

179. What is the rate of Gross Domestic Product (GDP) growth in the January-March quarter(Q4) of 2018-19 according to the data released by the Central Statistics Office (CSO)? - **1. 5.8%**

As per the data released by the Central Statistics Office (CSO), the rate of gross domestic product (GDP) growth in the January-March quarter of 2018-19 decreased to 5.8% as compared to the forecast of 6.5%. The economic growth rate for the full 2018-19 financial year stood at a 5-year low of 6.8% in comparison to 7.1%. [08 Jul, 2019]

180. Book title "A Prime Minister to Remember : Memories of a Military Chief " has been written by - **Admiral Sushil Kumar** [05 Jul, 2019]

181. Who has been appointed as new Director of IBPS - **B. Hardish Kumar** [08 Jul, 2019]

182. "Working on a Warmer Planet" named report has been issued which by which organisation? - **International Labour Organization**

Headquarters of the International Labour Organization are at Geneva, Switzerland. It was established on 29 October 2019 [08 Jul, 2019]

183. Who won the Women Football World Cup - **United States**

US won Women Football World Cup for 4 times. [08 Jul, 2019]

184. Which city has been recognized as World heritage Site by UNESCO - **Jaipur**

In India, there are a total of 38 World Heritage Sites including Jaipur. It was declared in the 43rd session at Baku, Azerbaijan [08 Jul, 2019]

185. Which state has commissioned the longest Electrified Railway Tunnel? - **Andhra Pradesh** [08 Jul, 2019]

186. 21st Commonwealth Championship for the year 2019 will be held in - **Odisha** [08 Jul, 2019]

- 187.** "Garuda VI" is Joint Air Exercise b/w which two countries - **India and France** [03 Jul, 2019]
- 188.** Name the water conservation campaign launched by Union Shakti Minister Gajendra Singh Shekhawat - **Jai Shakti Abhiyan** [04 Jul, 2019]
- 189.** Name the State Butterfly of Tamilnadu - **Tamil Yeaman**
Tamil Yeaman is also known as Tamil Maravan.
[04 Jul, 2019]
- 190.** Where is headquarters of Centre for DNA fingerprinting and Diagnostics is located - **Hyderabad** [06 Jul, 2019]
- 191.** Babu Narayanan, was the popular filmmaker of which regional cinema - **Malayalam** [05 Jul, 2019]
- 192.** First UIDAI run Aadhar Seva Kendra has been operationalised in which Indian Cities - **Delhi and Vijayawada** [05 Jul, 2019]
- 193.** Name the campaign launched by minister of state for Tribal affairs for Tribes of India - **Tribes India and Go Tribal Campaign**
Brand Ambassador of Tribes India - Marry Kom and Minister of State for Tribal Affairs - Renuka Singh [07 Jul, 2019]
- 194.** Autobiography titled "Lessons Life Taught Me Unknowingly " has been authored by - **Anupam Kher** [07 Jul, 2019]
- 195.** Who has been elected as new chairman of Micro Finance Institution Network - **Manoj Kumar Nambiar** [07 Jul, 2019]
- 196.** Who is the Head of Nine Member High Power Committee of Chief Ministers to transform Indian Agriculture - **Devendra Fadnavis** [07 Jul, 2019]
- 197.** Which country has topped on the list of world's top 10 countries in Wind Energy Capacity - **China**
India's ranked 4th in the list of world's top 10 countries in Wind Energy Capacity.
[07 Jul, 2019]
- 198.** According to Henley Passport Index 2019 what is rank of Indian Passport - **86th**
Japan and Singapore topped the index of world's most powerful passport. [07 Jul, 2019]
- 199.** India's first Highway corridors for e-vehicles are expected to come along Delhi-Jaipur and Delhi-Agra Highway by - **March 2020** [07 Jul, 2019]
- 200.** International Day of Cooperatives is observed on which day - **6 July** [07 Jul, 2019]
- 201.** World Zoonoses Day is observed on which day - **6 July** [07 Jul, 2019]
- 202.** Which Pakistan player announced his retirement from ODI Cricket after World Cup 2019 Campaign - **Shoaib Malik** [07 Jul, 2019]
- 203.** Who has been nominated as president of European Central Bank - **Christine Lagarde**
European Central Bank established in 1 July 1998 and headquarter in Germany.
It is central bank of 19 European countries. [07 Jul, 2019]
- 204.** First ever India International Cooperatives Trade Fair (IICTF) to be held in which city - **New Delhi** [07 Jul, 2019]
- 205.** Name the new scheme launched by government to promote processing in the fishing sector - **Pradhan Mantri Swasthya Suraksha Yojana (PMSSY)** [07 Jul, 2019]
- 206.** Which Company partners with Facebook to launch literacy drive "Digital Udaan" users in India - **Reliance Jio**
Digital Udaan program aim is to empower first-time internet users with digital literacy and understanding of the Internet in real time.
This Program is launched in nearly 200 different locations across 13 states. [07 Jul, 2019]

207. Which Bank sets up centralized hub 'Cen-MARG' to process retail and MSME loans - Punjab & Sind Bank

Cen-MARG stands for Centralised MSME & Retail Group.

Punjab & Sind Bank is main aim to bring about much-enhanced customer satisfaction through this initiative.

About Punjab & Sind Bank:

It's headquarters is in New Delhi.

It's MD & CEO name is S Harisankar and " Where service is a way of life " is the Tagline of this Bank.

[07 Jul, 2019]

208. Which country bans single-use plastic shopping bags - New Zealand [07 Jul, 2019]**209. Who elected Chairman of MFIN (Microfinance Institutions Network) - Manoj Kumar Nambiar** [02 Jul, 2019]**210. National Doctor's Day is observed on - 1 July**

The day is celebrated to honour Dr Bidhan Chandra Roy and his remarkable contributions as a physician.

The theme of Doctor's Day 2019 is "Zero tolerance to violence against doctors and clinical establishment". [02 Jul, 2019]

211. Sprinter Hima Das won the women's 200m gold in which even at Poland - Poznan Athletics Grand Prix [06 Jul, 2019]**212. 1st India International Cooperatives Trade Fair (IICTF) is going to be held at Pragati Maidan, New Delhi from - 11th till 13th October, 2019** [06 Jul, 2019]**213. Who has been nominated to become the next president of the European Central Bank - Christine Lagarde**

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Lagarde, 63, is a French lawyer, politician and economist. She is the Chairwoman of IMF since 2011 [06 Jul, 2019]

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224. International Tiger Day Observed on Which Date? - **29 July** [31 Jul, 2018]

225. Mission Satyanishtha Launched by ? - **Indian Railways**

To Sensitize all railways Employees to adhere to Good Ethics [30 Jul, 2018]

226. Which Country will host 2018 World Badminton Championship? - **China at Nanjing** [30 Jul, 2018]

227. Who won Russian Open Badminton Trophy 2018? - **Sourabh Verma** [30 Jul, 2018]

228. Two Day unified Commander Conference 2018 Held At? - **New Delhi**

To review External Security Challenges and Country Preparedness. [30 Jul, 2018]

229. Which Country Has been designated as Nodel Centre for Preparing Flash-flood Forcasts by World meteorological Organisation ? - **India**

World meteorological Organisation is a agency of United Nations. HQ- Geneva (Switzerland) Formed in 23rd March 1950 [30 Jul, 2018]

230. Atibadi Jagannath Das Samman Highest Literary award Of which Indian State? - **Odisha**

Atibadi Jagannath Das Samman 2018 is given to Ramakanta Rath For his Lifetime Contribution to Odia Literature [30 Jul, 2018]

231. World Hepatitis Day observed on which date ? - **July 28 Theme Test Treat Hepatitis**

Hepatitis A,B,C,D and E is viral Infection Caused Inflammation in liver. National Viral Hepatitis Control programme is part of National health Mission Launched by Central Government in collaboration with World Health Organisation to combat the disease by 2030. Union minister of Health and family welfare is Sh. JP Nadha [30 Jul, 2018]

232. Which Country lift the world junior Squash title by Defeating England? - **Egypt**

India the host country for world Junior Squash. India finished at 11th overall [30 Jul, 2018]

233. Which state Got India's First National Skill Training Institute For women? - **Punjab at Mohali**

Also Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Kendra For differently Abled Persons Launched in Mohali. All this projects are part of Skill India Launched by Prime Minister on 15 July 2015 under this project 40 crore people will be trained in different skill by 2022 [30 Jul, 2018]

234. Who won his Second Consecutive Gold at Yasar Dogu International? - **Bajrang Punia** [30 Jul, 2018]

235. Where 6th Indian-UK Science and Innovation Council(SIC) held? - **New Delhi**

To discuss Science And Technology Cooperation between two countries [28 Jul, 2018]

236. Ministry of Road Transport and Highway has accorded in principle approval for Inter-state High level bridge on which river? - **Banganga river in Madhya Pradesh**

Banganga river originates from Aravali hills and drains into Yamuna river. [28 Jul, 2018]

237. Committee setup by government to submit the report on data protection? - **Justice Srikrishna**

The committee set up to recommend a legislative framework for data privacy in 2017 [28 Jul, 2018]

238. UNICEF International Children Film Festival 2018 Held at? - **Kolkata, Westbengal** [28 Jul, 2018]

239. Which state passed resolution to change its Name? - **West Bengal passed resolution to rename the state as Bangla**

Under Art3 And Art4, renaming of state requires parliamentary Approval. A bill for Renaming a state introduced in parliament on recommendation of president and president shall send the bill to Legislature of that state for expressing their views there on within stipulated time. Recommendation given by respective Legislature are not binding neither on President nor Parliament. Bill Required to passed by simple majority to take force of laws [28 Jul, 2018]

240. According to US-Based Institute for Energy Economics and Finacial Analysis(IEEFA), Which Indian State becomes New national Leader in New Renewable energy genrator - **Karnataka** Karnataka with 12.3GW of renewable Energy Capacity Overtakes Tamilnaidu [28 Jul, 2018]

241. Swapan Sarkar associated with which field and who recently passed away? - **Sports Journalism**

Swapan Sarkar, passed away on Thursday due to diabetic complications.Sarkar worked for a number of dailies and was also the Delhi sports correspondent of Ananda Bazaar Patrika (ABP) from mid 1990's. [28 Jul, 2018]

242. Who won magsaysay award 2018 - **Bharat vatwani and sonam Wangchuk**

Bharat vatwani, a pshchiatrist works for mently ill people who living on streets. Sonam Wangchuk, education reformer who help poor village students Award was named after President of Philippines and given to Asian individuals for achieving excelience in their respective fields. First Indian to win this award was Acharya Vinoda Bhave in 1958 for community Leadership. Established in 1957. In total 6 person were awarded with Magsaysay award. [28 Jul, 2018]

243. Government has amended the Petroleum and Natural Gas rule 1959 to include which new word? - **Shale**

It will bring more hydrocarbons Such as Coal bed Methane and Shale gas that helps in enhancing domestic exploration and production of hydrocarbons. [27 Jul, 2018]

244. Where the 2nd meeting of National council on India's Nutrition Challenges under POSHAN Abhyan held? - **New Delhi**

POSHAN Abhyan was launched on 8th March 2018 from Jhunjhunu, Rajasthan will focus to reduce the level of stunting, under nutrition, Anemia and low birth weight in children. Every year Month of September will be celebrated as National Nutrition Month. [27 Jul, 2018]

245. Invest India signed MoU with Whom to promote investment facilitation and Co-operation between startups of two countries? - **Business France**

Invest India acts at first point of reference for investors in India [27 Jul, 2018]

246. This Year Earth Shoot day will be observed on _____? - **1st August**

When human annual demands exceeds what nature can regenerate over entire year that term is known as Earth Shoot Day and it is calculated by World Wide Fund and Global Footprint Network. [27 Jul, 2018]

247. Which Country will host 10th BRICS Summit 2018? - **South Africa at Johannesburg**

Originally it was BRIC but after South Africa induction in 2010 it becomes BRICS First BRIC Summit at Russia in 2009 9th BRICS Summit held at XIamen(China) and 11th BRICS Summit will be hosted by Brazil. Acronym BRICS is coined by British Economist Jim O' Neill. [27 Jul, 2018]

248. Who participated in Global Disability Summit 2018 held in London,UK? - **Thaawarchand Gehlot, Union Minister for Social Justice and Empowerment** [27 Jul, 2018]

249. "Green mahanadi Mission" launched by Which state? - **Odisha**

Under this mission 2 Crore sapling would be planted along Mahanadi River and its tributaries- Ib and Tel Mahanadi river originates in Raipur district of Madhya Pradesh. Tributaries of Mahanadi River-Hasda, Shivnath,Mand,Ib,Tel and Ong Mahanadi rises in Satpura range flowing eastward enters into Bay of Bengal. [27 Jul, 2018]

- 250.** Rajasthan government launched which app for replacement of Transformer? - **Bijli Mitra**
Faulty Transformers will be replaced within 6 hours of registering the complaints through this app. [27 Jul, 2018]
- 251.** Chief Minister of Delhi Arvind Kejriwal launched which scheme to increase income of farmers by three to five times? - **Mukhyamantri Kisan Aaye Badhotri Solar yojna** [27 Jul, 2018]
- 252.** Which Indian state recently included Acid attack victims in Disability list? - **Madhya Pradesh** [27 Jul, 2018]
- 253.** Who has been awarded with Best male Athlete at 15 National Youth Athlete Championship? - **Dhanvir Singh**
Indian Shot-Putter Dhanvir Singh belongs to Punjab state [27 Jul, 2018]
- 254.** Which state will host the 15th national Youth Athletics Championship _____? - **Gujarat** [27 Jul, 2018]
- 255.** 'Childline 1098 contest' spot the logo and suggest tag line launched by which Ministry? - **Ministry of Women and child Development**
This programme is part of steps taken to address issue related to trafficking and sexual abuse of children [26 Jul, 2018]
- 256.** Which state has decided to setup separate Directorate for Divyangs? - **Assam** [26 Jul, 2018]
- 257.** Which country will host this year ASEAN Education meet in Oct? - **Myanmar**
First ASER was held in 2006 at Singapore and last ASER was concluded at Malaysia. [26 Jul, 2018]
- 258.** What is the purpose of Girinka programme initiated by Rwandan's government - **This programme is initiated in response to alarming high rate of childhood malnutrition, to transform livelihoods and improving productivity.**
Meaning of the word Girinka - 'May You Have Cow' this programme was initiated by Rwandan Government in 2006. Under this programme one cow per poor family will be given. Prime Minister Narendra Modi gifted 200 cows to Rwanda under this scheme. [26 Jul, 2018]
- 259.** Committee set up Odisha Chief Minister Naveen Patnaik for development of Odia film industry will be headed by? - **S.B.Behara** [26 Jul, 2018]
- 260.** Who is the author of Novel "Warlight"? - **Micheal Ondaatje**
Micheal Ondaatje is named in long list of Man Booker Prize "The English Patient" also written by Micheal Ondaatje [26 Jul, 2018]
- 261.** "Safeguarding the Intangible cultural heritage and Diverse Culture of India" will be implemented by? - **Ministry of Culture**
This scheme will be implemented through Sangeet Natak Akademy [26 Jul, 2018]
- 262.** Name the heaviest satellite ever launched by Space X Falcon 9 rocket? - **Telstar 19 V Communication satellite** [26 Jul, 2018]
- 263.** Who is author of the book "Gandhi: The years that changed the world"? - **Ramchandra Guha** [26 Jul, 2018]
- 264.** Who won Men's Double title at Lagos International Badminton? - **Manu Attri and Sumeeth Reddy** [26 Jul, 2018]
- 265.** Who has been appointed as CEO and MD of TATA AIA life insurance company? - **Rishi Srivastva** [26 Jul, 2018]
- 266.** Committee constituted by Union Government to suggest law against Mob Lynching will be headed by? - **Rajiv Gauba** [26 Jul, 2018]
- 267.** What is India's rank in A.T. Kearney FDI Confidence Index 2018? - **11th**
Top Three Countries- United States, Canada, Germany [26 Jul, 2018]
- 268.** Which Indian states has launched Swachh Survekshan Grameen 2018 announced by Ministry of Drinking Water and Sanitation on July 13, 2018? - **U.P, Maharashtra and Jharkhand** [26 Jul, 2018]
- 269.** On the recommendations which committee government initiated reforms in Indian army? - **Shekatkar Committee** [25 Jul, 2018]

- 270.** which state tops in 'Public Affairs Index 2018'? - **In Larger states Kerala tops the list followed by Tamilnadu In Smaller states Himachal tops the list followed by Goa.** [25 Jul, 2018]
- 271.** Government of India launched MicroDot Technology to put check on ? - **Vehicle Theft** [25 Jul, 2018]
- 272.** E-Pragati core platform has been launched by which state government to realize vision of 'Sunrise AP 2022'? - **Andhra Pradesh**
It will connect 34 departments, 336 autonomous organization and 745 plus services will be provided. [25 Jul, 2018]
- 273.** The aim Negotiable Instrument(Amendment) Bill 2017 passed by Lok Sabha? - **To primarily address issues related to Cheque dishonor.**
This bill amends Negotiable Instruments Act 1881 which cover Promissory notes, bills of exchange and Cheques. [25 Jul, 2018]
- 274.** Which Countries held first joint committee meeting on Border Haats at Agartala, Tripura? - **India and Bangladesh**
Border Haats are marketplaces organized by two countries one day in a week and India and Bangladesh going to setup 6 more border Haats. [25 Jul, 2018]
- 275.** Which country displaced Saudi Arabia to become India's second largest Oil supplier? - **Iran**
Iraq is India's top oil supplier and Saudi Arabia becomes 3rd highest Oil supplier to India. [25 Jul, 2018]
- 276.** Which state government started first ever compilation of demographic and cultural information of tribal population of state? - **Odisha Government under the title of "Tribal Atlas of Odisha"**
As per census 2011 Madhya Pradesh has highest tribal population and Odisha has 2nd highest tribal population. [25 Jul, 2018]
- 277.** World's Junior Squash championship begins at? - **Chennai** [25 Jul, 2018]
- 278.** Who becomes the quickest player to reach 1000 runs in ODI? - **Fakhar Zaman** [25 Jul, 2018]
- 279.** Name the sprinter who broke his own 400 M national record at Cena Noveho Mesta Nad Metuji Event? - **Muhammed Anas**
He broken his own earlier national record of 45.31 second by winning gold medal with in time of 45.24 seconds. [25 Jul, 2018]
- 280.** Who has been named as AIFF emerging Footballer of the year? - **Anirudh Thapa** [25 Jul, 2018]
- 281.** Who has been named as AIFF player of the year in Women's category? - **Kamala Devi** [25 Jul, 2018]
- 282.** Who has been named as AIFF player of the year in Men's category? - **Sunil Chhetri** [25 Jul, 2018]
- 283.** Name the Pulitzer Prize winning restaurant critic, who passed away recently? - **Jonathan Gold** [25 Jul, 2018]
- 284.** India signed eight agreement with which country recently? - **Rwanda**
President of Rwanda- Paul Kagame Agreements signed in field of Defence, Trade, Agriculture, Leather and allied products and Dairy [25 Jul, 2018]
- 285.** Who has been appointed as executive Director of National Centre for promotion of Employment for Disabled People? - **Arman Ali** [25 Jul, 2018]
- 286.** Aniljit Singh appointed as non-executive chairman of which company? - **Max-Financial services** [25 Jul, 2018]
- 287.** Endangered Species for which Odisha government launched a drive to bust the smuggling racket? - **Pangolin**
Of the 8 species of Pangolin only two types of species of Pangolin is found in India - Chinese Pangolin and Indian Pangolin. Both are listed in IUCN Red list [24 Jul, 2018]

288. Who has been appointed as Pakistan's first woman Chief Justice of High Court? - **Tahira Safdar**

Chief Justice of Pakistan is Mian Saqib Nisar [24 Jul, 2018]

289. National Council For Teacher Education Bill-2017 passed by Lok Sabha aims at? - **To grant retrospective recognition to central and state institutes who provide teacher education courses without NCTE approval** [24 Jul, 2018]

290. Sunil Mehta committee submitted its report to Finance Minister to tackle with problem related with? - **Non Performing Assets** [24 Jul, 2018]

291. Union government has reduced the minimum annual deposit requirements from Rs.1000 to Rs. 250 under which Scheme? - **Sukanya Samridhi Scheme**

Sukanya Samridhi Scheme is part of Beti Bachao Beti Padhao campaign [24 Jul, 2018]

292. who is going to launch 'Athena' New satellite project by early 2019 to provide broadband internet connections to rural and underserved area? - **Facebook** [24 Jul, 2018]

293. Who has been awarded Rs 10 lakh award by Badminton association of India? - **Lakhshya Sen**
Lakhshya Sen the young Indian shuttler who became the 3rd Indian to win gold medal at Asian Junior championship in Jakarta [24 Jul, 2018]

294. Name the Scheme that has been launched by Youth Affair and Sport Minister Rajya Vardhan Rathore to nurture sporting talent? - **Khelo India Talent Development scheme**

Under Khelo India Talent Development scheme annual stipend of Rs.1.2 lakh (on quarterly basis) to each 734 selected athletes to meet out their expenses such injury, pocket expenses and they will be provided training at government accredited academies. [24 Jul, 2018]

295. Name the new feature that has been added into NCERT text books that will help students to understand Chapter easily? - **QR code**

QR code is likely to be introduced from academic session 2019. Textbooks from class 1st to class 12th will be mapped with QR code technology [24 Jul, 2018]

296. Name the artillery guns that will be inducted into army arsenal? - **K9 Vajra-T artillery guns**
Maximum Range of K9 Vajra-T is 40 Km. First 10 of K9 Vajra-T artillery guns will be imported from South Korea along with four M777 ultra light Howitzers and rest of K9 Vajra-T artillery guns will be manufactured in india by L&T. [24 Jul, 2018]

297. Name the Indian Wrestler who won gold Medals at Junior Asian Championship in New Delhi? - **Sachin Rathi-74 kg Category by defeating Mongolia's Erdene Byambasuren and Deepak Punia - 86 kg Category by defeating Turkmenistan Azat Gajyyev.** [23 Jul, 2018]

298. Venue for the 14th edition of Women's Hockey cup 2018? - **At Lee Valley Hockey and Tennis Centre in London** [23 Jul, 2018]

299. Five Oil PSU have signed agreement for executing which Natural Gas Pipeline Grid? - **North East Natural Gas Pipeline Grid**

Five PSU- IOCL,ONGC,GAIL,OIL,NRL This project will connect all eight North-East state capitals with an expenditure of Rs.6000 crore for 1500 Km length with in time span of 4 years [23 Jul, 2018]

300. Prime Minister Narendra Modi launched country wide Emergency Ambulance service for which country? - **Srilanka**

It will be implemented in two phases and India will provide grant of 22.8 million US dollars to Srilanka [23 Jul, 2018]

301. 'Student Police cadet programme' launched by Union Minister Raj Nath Singh will focus on? - **The aim of Student Police cadet programme is to inculcate value and ethics and to build a bridge between Police and large community through school students** [23 Jul, 2018]

302. Which port signs work order for state of art Cruise terminal having facilities to handle 5000 tourists ? - **Cochin Port** [23 Jul, 2018]

303. Veteran Politician Ramchandra Singh Deo, who passed away recently was first Finance Minister of which state? - **Chhattisgarh** [23 Jul, 2018]

304. International Olympic Committee has added how many new medal events for 2022 Beijing Winter games ? - **Seven**

List of Seven New Medals ---Women's Monobob,Big air freestyle for men and women,Plus mixed team events in short track speed skating,Ski jumping,Ski aericals,Snowboard cross President of International Olympic Committee-Thomas Bach Founded in 23 June 1894 [23 Jul, 2018]

305. Name the World's most expensive Goalkeeper who surpassed Ederson Moares - **Alison Becker**

Alison Becker transferred its Club to England's liverpool from Italy's Roma's [23 Jul, 2018]

306. Where in India South East Asia's first ever centre for climate change launched by NABARD? - **Lucknow** [23 Jul, 2018]

307. Who has become the youngest Indian Golfer to make the cut in any major 147th open championship at Carnoustie,Scotland? - **Shubhankar Sharma** [23 Jul, 2018]

308. Who chaired the GST Council meeting 2018 held at New Delhi? - **Finance Minister Piyush Goyal** [23 Jul, 2018]

309. who lead India at 8th BRICS Health Ministers meeting 2018 held at Durban in South Africa? - **J.P. Nadda Union Minister of Health and Family Welfare** [22 Jul, 2018]

310. What is the aim of 'Solar Park Scheme' launched by Ministry of New and Renewable Energy? - **To Setup number of Solar Parks with capacity of above 500 MW across the various states in India.** [22 Jul, 2018]

311. India renamed its National Centre For Antartic and Ocean Research as? - **National Centre For Polar and Ocean Research**

India setup IndArc,a underground observatory in 2015 between Norway and Northpole. India's research station at Arctic- Himadri India's research station at Antarctic- Maitri and Bharti Maitri superceded Dakshin Gangotri research base in 1990. Arctic Council is a high level intergovernmental forum that manages the region's resources and popular livelihood and india got observer status in Arctic Council in 2013. [22 Jul, 2018]

312. Which country will host 4th BIMSTEC Summit 2018? - **Nepal (atKathmandu)**

BIMSTEC - Bay Of Bengal Initiative for Multi-Sectoral Technical And Economic Co-operation BIMSTEC is group of seven countries-Bangladesh,Nepal,Bhutan,Myanmar,Srilanka,Thailand,India [22 Jul, 2018]

313. Which country has become the 68th signatory of international solar Alliance? - **Myanmar**

Headquarter of international solar Alliance is in India.India jointly with France launched international solar Alliance at COP-21 UN climate conference aiming at optimum use of solar energy. [22 Jul, 2018]

314. Which country declared itself Nation state of Jewish people? - **Israel**

Israel declared Hebrew as its national language. [22 Jul, 2018]

315. European Union has signed massive trade deal with which Country? - **Japan** [22 Jul, 2018]

316. who has been named as Chef De Mission at Asian Games? - **Brij Bhushan Saran singh**

Brij Bhushan Saran singh President of Wrestling Federation of India and Four Deputy Chef De Mission has been appointed. Jakarta and Palembang cities in Indonesia will host Asian Games 2018 [22 Jul, 2018]

317. As per ISAAA GM crops report 2017 what is india's rank in area cultivated under genetically modified crops - **Fifth**

U.S ranks first in the list [21 Jul, 2018]

318. Name the India's only Gangetic Dolphin Sanctuary? - **Vikramshila Gangetic Dolphin Sanctuary**

Gangetic Dolphin Sanctuary established in 1991 to protect endangered river Dolphin,a fresh water habitat is situated in Bhagalpur district of Bihar. Dolphin population declined in Sanctuary due to increase dredging activity. Dolphin population decl [21 Jul, 2018]

319. Name the Small Finance Bank which starts commercial operations? - **Jana Small Finance Bank**

HQ- Bangaluru [21 Jul, 2018]

320. Minimum number of members are required to support No-Confidence Motion? - **50 Members**
[21 Jul, 2018]

321. Union Ministry Of Human resource development announced which initiative to promote reading culture among students under the "Samagra Shiksha Scheme"? - **" Padhe Bharat Badhe Bharat"**

Under this annual grants to school to allow students widen their scope of learning. A grant of Rs 5000 to Rs 20000 will be given to primary and secondary levels. [21 Jul, 2018]

322. Renowned Person Gopal Dass Neeraj, who passed away recently related to which field? - **Poetry**

Gopal Dass Neeraj awarded Padma Shri in 1991 and Padma Bhushan in 2007 [21 Jul, 2018]

323. RBI has released Rs.100 denomination bank note in Mahatma Gandhi series bears Motif of? - **Rani ki Vav**

Rani ki Vav, UNESCO world heritage site declared in 2014 is a stepwell located on river Saraswati in Patan District of Gujarat [21 Jul, 2018]

324. For what purpose a committee under the chairmanship of Prof. M.M.Salunkhe is constituted ? - **To look into the matters related to examination reforms** [21 Jul, 2018]

325. Under whose chairmanship a committee has been constituted by University Grant Commission to regulate fee in medical courses in Deemed Universities? - **Prof. R.C.Deka** [21 Jul, 2018]

326. Two Plus Two dialogue between India and US will be held in ? - **New Delhi**

Two Plus Two dialogue between two nations will discuss on strengthening of strategic, security and defence Co-operation to address challenges in Indo-Pacific region and beyond. [21 Jul, 2018]

327. which Non- Banking Finance company received NABARD 2018 award? - **Repc Micro Finance limited**

For its services to self help groups(SHG) [21 Jul, 2018]

328. App "Abhar apki sewa ka" for pensioners launched by which state government? - **Chhattisgarh**

Around 80000 pensioners will get benefits related to pensions and online payment C.M of chhattisgarh - Dr. Raman Singh [21 Jul, 2018]

329. Nelson Mandela day is observed on which date? - **18 July**

Theme - 'Take action inspire change' International day marks 100th year since birth of Nelson Mandela(18 July 1918) [20 Jul, 2018]

330. Union Government has renewed term of Prof. Anil D Sahasrabudha as chairman of ? - **All India Council for Technical Education**

All India Council for Technical Education is statutory body established in 1945. [20 Jul, 2018]

331. Famous Sabarimala Temple, recently in news is situated in which state? - **Kerala** [20 Jul, 2018]

332. Who has been elected as President of Asian Tug of War Federation? - **India**

This is the first time India has been elected to lead Asian Tug of War Federation. India's Gautam Kaul won prestigious post in federation's executive committee [20 Jul, 2018]

333. The 10th edition of Delhi Dialogue held at? - **New Delhi**

Theme- Strengthening India-ASEAN Maritime Co-operation [20 Jul, 2018]

334. which state ended its 2 year long nation wide state of emergency? - **Turkey**

President of Turkey - Tayyip Erdogan [20 Jul, 2018]

335. Pitch Black 2018 (PB-18), a biennial multinational large force employment warfare exercise host by ? - **Australia** [20 Jul, 2018]

336. Name the Konkan activist associated with Sawantwadi Sansthan, who passed away recently? - **Rajmata Satvashila Devi Bhosle** [20 Jul, 2018]

- 337.** 7th Defence Technology, a Indo-US defence Co-operation is held at? - **New Delhi** [20 Jul, 2018]
- 338.** Name the five main Ganga Basin states in which 'Ganga Vriksharopan Abhyian' is organised by National Mission for Clean Ganga? - **Uttarakhand, UP, Bihar, Jharkhand and West Bengal** [20 Jul, 2018]
- 339.** India's first Laser interferometer Gravitational wave observatory laboratory will be setup in which state? - **At hingoli in Maharashtra state**
LIGO is 3rd observatory in collaboration with LIGO laboratory in US. 1st LIGO laboratory is at Hanford(washington) 2nd LIGO laboratory at livingston (Louisiana) [20 Jul, 2018]
- 340.** The Union cabinet approves special remission to prisoners on 150th birth anniversary of ? - **Mahatma Gandhi**
Special remission will not be given to prisoners on death sentence and prisoners whose death sentence is commuted to life imprisonment. Pardoning power of President of India is under article 72 of Indian constitution and Pardoning power of Governor is under article 161 of Indian constitution [20 Jul, 2018]
- 341.** Vinesh Phogat indian wrestler won gold medal at Spanish Grand Prix under which category? - **In Women's 50 kg freestyle category.** [19 Jul, 2018]
- 342.** who won the motoGP German grand prix 2018? - **Marc Marquez of spain**
He won his 9th consecutive German grand prix [19 Jul, 2018]
- 343.** Union Minister of skill development and entrepreneurship Dharmendra Pradhan laid the foundation stone of country's first skill training institute in which state? - **Odisha** [19 Jul, 2018]
- 344.** Where All Indian Institute of Ayurveda under the Ministry of Ayush organised to two day conference of heads of Ayush National Institutes ? - **New Delhi** [19 Jul, 2018]
- 345.** Who won gold medal at French Athletic meet? - **Neeraj Chopra (Javelin Thrower)** [19 Jul, 2018]
- 346.** Union Home Minister signed which agreement to repatriate Bru Refugees living in Tripura to Mizoram? - **BRU PACT**
Bru community left Mizoram in 1997 following an unrest [19 Jul, 2018]
- 347.** Government decided to setup a committee to synergize national cadet corps(NCC) and National service Scheme(NSS) under the chairmanship of? - **Anil Swarup** [19 Jul, 2018]
- 348.** Technology giant Google Team up with which international organisation to monitor the impact of human activity on global ecosystem? - **U.N.E.P**
U.N.E.P- United Nation Environment Programme Head Quarters-Nairobi, Kenya Head- Erik Solheim [19 Jul, 2018]
- 349.** Who won Men's single's Thailand Open 2018 title? - **Kanta Tsuneyama of Japan** [19 Jul, 2018]
- 350.** Who won women single's Thailand Open 2018 title by defeating P.V. Sindhu? - **Nozomi Okuhara of Japan** [19 Jul, 2018]
- 351.** 8th India-Oman joint commission meeting held at? - **Muscat**
Oman Capital- Muscat Currency- Oman Rial [19 Jul, 2018]
- 352.** Which country topped the 4th edition of 'Soft Power 30 Index'? - **United Kingdom**
France is placed at 2nd position. India is not in list of 'Soft Power 30 Index' [18 Jul, 2018]
- 353.** Which Union Ministry is planning to create National Database of Arms licences systems from April 2019? - **Ministry of Home Affairs**
To keep tab on authorised private Gun holders [18 Jul, 2018]
- 354.** World's first remotely operated LEAP microscope commissioned by? - **IIT-Madras**
LEAP- Local Electrode Atom Probe LEAP provide precise atom-by-atom view of materials. [18 Jul, 2018]
- 355.** Name the India's only supersonic Cruise Missile? - **Brahmos**
Brahmos is joint venture between DRDO and NPOM of Russia. Brahmos name is taken from two rivers- Brahmaputra and Moskva(Russian River) Range of Brahmos-290-300 KM Brahmos is capable of being launched from air, sea and land [18 Jul, 2018]

- 356.** BBC World Service has launched which Indian language television news bulletin? - **Gujarati Language** [18 Jul, 2018]
- 357.** Which international organization finalized for global compact for Safe, Orderly and Regular Migration? - **United Nations** [18 Jul, 2018]
- 358.** Which state launch Measles-Rubella vaccination Drive? - **Gujarat** [18 Jul, 2018]
- 359.** Which Country declared 60 days state of emergency on its border with Colombia ? - **Peru**
Peru is a South American Country [18 Jul, 2018]
- 360.** The LIC board gives nod to acquisition upto 51% stake in which bank? - **IDBI bank** [17 Jul, 2018]
- 361.** who won the Men's Singles title in Wimbledon cup 2018? - **Novak Djokovic**
Novak Djokovic beats Kevin Anderson [17 Jul, 2018]
- 362.** Which country is unanimously elected in United Nation Human Rights Council? - **Iceland**
Iceland is elected against the seat vacated by U.S. for its criticism of Israel crime against Palestinians. [17 Jul, 2018]
- 363.** U.S. President Donald Trump and Russia's President Vladimir Putin held their first summit at? - **Helsinki, Capital City of Finland** [17 Jul, 2018]
- 364.** India's Home Minister Rajnath Singh recently inaugurated world's largest visa center in? - **Dhaka** [17 Jul, 2018]
- 365.** United Nations 'World Youth Skill day' is observed on ? - **15 July** [17 Jul, 2018]
- 366.** Test of High Thrust Vikas Engine is successfully conducted by? - **ISRO**
Vikas Engine is workhorse liquid rocket engine will power PSLV, GLSV and GLSV MK-III [17 Jul, 2018]
- 367.** Who has been selected for Sangita Kalanidhi Award 2018? - **Aruna Sairam** [17 Jul, 2018]
- 368.** i-Mandi app an e-commerce platform launched by? - **IFFCO**
i-Mandi app launched by IFFCO to address all needs of farming community [17 Jul, 2018]
- 369.** How many persons has been nominated to Rajya Sabha by President of India? - **Four**
Ram Shakal-- Former M.P. Rakesh Sinha--RSS Ideologist Raghunath MOhapatra--Sculptor Sonal Mansingh-- Classical Dancer [17 Jul, 2018]
- 370.** Which article of Indian Constitution conferred the power on President of India to nominate members to Rajya Sabha? - **Article 80**
President can nominate 12 members to Rajya Sabha with persons haveing special knowledge in Literature, Science, Art and Social Service. [17 Jul, 2018]
- 371.** Who won the title of Best Young Player in FIFA World Cup 2018? - **Kylian Mbappe**
Kylian Mbappe became the 2nd teenager after Brazilian football legend Pele to score in world cup Final. [17 Jul, 2018]
- 372.** Who won the Golden Glove Award in FIFA World Cup 2018? - **Thibaut Courtois**
Golden Glove Award is given for the best Goal Keeper [17 Jul, 2018]
- 373.** Who Won the Golden Boot Award(Top Goal Scorer)? - **Harry kane** [17 Jul, 2018]
- 374.** Who was awarded Man of Match in FIFA World Cup 2018? - **Antoine Griezmann** [17 Jul, 2018]
- 375.** Which team won the FIFA World Cup 2018? - **France**
France beats Croatia in FIFA World Cup 2018. It was their 2nd FIFA World Cup title earlier France won the FIFA World Cup in 1998. [17 Jul, 2018]
- 376.** India has become the Vice-Chairman(Regional Head) for 2 years of which international organisation? - **Asia Pacific Region of World Customs Organisation**
Asia Pacific Region of World Customs Organisation is divided into 6 Regions. [16 Jul, 2018]
- 377.** The purpose of Heritage Cabinet Consituted by Odisha government is ? - **To preserve the history and culture of state** [16 Jul, 2018]

- 378.** Wimbledon Tennis Tournament Women Single's title 2018 won by? - **Angelique Kerber** [16 Jul, 2018]
- 379.** Resolution 2428 adopted by U.N.S.C is for? - **To impose arms embargo on South Sudan** [16 Jul, 2018]
- 380.** Injeti Srinivas Committee Constituted by Central Government to review? - **Companies Act-2013**
To examine decriminalization of certain offences [16 Jul, 2018]
- 381.** Bansagar Canal Project in Mirzapur, Uttar Pradesh is joint venture of how many states? - **3 States**
Bansagar canal project is joint venture between Uttar Pradesh, Bihar and Madhya Pradesh [16 Jul, 2018]
- 382.** Square kilometer Array project associated with? - **An international project to build the world's largest radio telescope** [15 Jul, 2018]
- 383.** MeerKat Radio Telescope unveiled by which Country? - **South Africa**
To unravel secrets of Universe [15 Jul, 2018]
- 384.** Shwet Ashwa Drass expedition is related to? - **A motorcycle display by corps of Military Police from Bengaluru to Drass as tribute to soldiers who laid down their lives during Kargil War** [15 Jul, 2018]
- 385.** Which Ministry has launched Swachh Survekshan Grameen 2018 ? - **Union Ministry of Drinking Water and sanitation**
The aim of SSG-2018 is to rank all states and districts on parameters of Swachh Bharat Mission. [15 Jul, 2018]
- 386.** A 354 km long country's longest Purvanchal Expressway, will pass through how many districts of Uttar Pradesh? - **9 Districts**
It will provide uninterrupted connectivity from Lucknow to Ballia [15 Jul, 2018]
- 387.** The first ever colour X-ray on human works on which technique to improve the field of medical diagnostics - **Medipix - Developed by CERN**
CERN is world longest nuclear and particle physics laboratory, based in Geneva on French-Swiss border [14 Jul, 2018]
- 388.** Who is the New Director General of ICWA? - **T.C.A Ragvan**
Vice-President of India is ex-officio President of ICWA while Minister Of External Affairs is its Vice-President Purpose of ICWA is to study of international relations and foreign affairs [14 Jul, 2018]
- 389.** ICWA stands for- - **Indian Council Of World Affairs** [14 Jul, 2018]
- 390.** Croatia beats which team to reach FIFA world cup final? - **England**
Croatia is Eastern European Country was founded in 1991 Capital-Zagreb President of Croatia-Kolinda Garbar Kitarovic Currency- Croatian Kuna [14 Jul, 2018]
- 391.** Who Clinched gold medal in IAAF World U-20 Athletics Championship 2018 in Tampere, Finland? - **Hima Das**
Hima Das is the first Indian woman to win gold medal in 400 race at IAAF World U-20 Athletics Championship 2018 in Tampere, Finland [14 Jul, 2018]
- 392.** Prof. N.N. Wig associated with Branch ? - **Psychiatry a branch of medical Science** [14 Jul, 2018]
- 393.** Renowned Spiritual Leader Dada J.P. Vaswani belongs to which mission? - **Sadhu Vaswani Mission**
T.L. Vaswani is guru of Spiritual Leader Dada J.P. Vaswani [14 Jul, 2018]
- 394.** Mission Olympic Cell has included which Indian team into Target Olympic Podium? - **Indian Hockey Team**
The aim of Target Olympic Podium is to Identify and support Medal prospect for upcoming Olympic games. [13 Jul, 2018]
- 395.** Which state approved its IT Policy 2018? - **Goa** [13 Jul, 2018]

396. which Indian Mountaineer Climbed the Mt. Ojos Del Salado, highest volcano in world? - **Satyarup Sidhanta**

Mt. Ojos Del Salado is in Andes Mountains on Argentina-chile border in South America [13 Jul, 2018]

397. One farmer, one Transformer Scheme is launched by which state government to curb electricity loss? - **Maharashtra** [13 Jul, 2018]

398. Which state government signed M.O.U with Microsoft a technology giant to provide free digital training to students? - **Rajasthan** [13 Jul, 2018]

399. Resolution 2427 adopted by - **United Nations security council for protection of children in armed conflict** [13 Jul, 2018]

400. Anna Canteen scheme is launched by which state? - **Andhra Pradesh** [13 Jul, 2018]

401. India become 69th shareholder of- - **European Bank Of Reconstruction and Development** [13 Jul, 2018]

402. Which state owned company unveiled the country's first telephony service? - **B.S.N.L.** [13 Jul, 2018]

403. India surpassed which country to become world's 6th largest economy? - **France**
U.S. is world largest economy [13 Jul, 2018]

404. "Eat Right Movement" Started by? - **FSSAI (Food Safety and Standard Authority of India)**
The aim of this movement is to reduce the consumption of Salt/Sugar and Oil by 30% in 3 Year [12 Jul, 2018]

405. Who is President of South Korea? - **Moon Jae-in**
Capital of South Korea- Seoul [12 Jul, 2018]

406. Who became the first chairman of Rajya Sabha to sign MOU with Rwanda for promoting Inter-Parliamentary dialogue? - **M.Venkaiah Naidu**
Capital of Rwanda- Kigali President of Rwanda- Paul Kagame [12 Jul, 2018]

407. World Population Day Celebrated on which date? - **11 July**
Theme for World Population day2018 -Family planning is human right [12 Jul, 2018]

408. which state government has decided to digitize and upgrade its historic documents? - **Telangana** [12 Jul, 2018]

409. Asia Cup Archery 2018 held at? - **Taipei**
Korea topped the medal tally with 14 medals(8 Gold Medal) and India stands at 3rd position with 4 medals(3 Silver and 1 Bronze) [12 Jul, 2018]

410. Which Indian first ever warship entered Sabang Port of Indonesia? - **INS Sumitra** [12 Jul, 2018]

411. "Seema Darshan" project launched by which state? - **Gujarat**
Initiative for Border Tourism by Gujarat Government [12 Jul, 2018]

412. Which state topped in "Ease of Doing Business" ranking released by Department of Industrial policy and promotion under the Ministry of Commerce and Industry? - **Andhra Pradesh**
Telangana stands at 2nd position and Haryana stands at 3rd place [12 Jul, 2018]

413. India's Ranking in Global Innovation Index 2018? - **57th**
Topped By - Switzerland [12 Jul, 2018]