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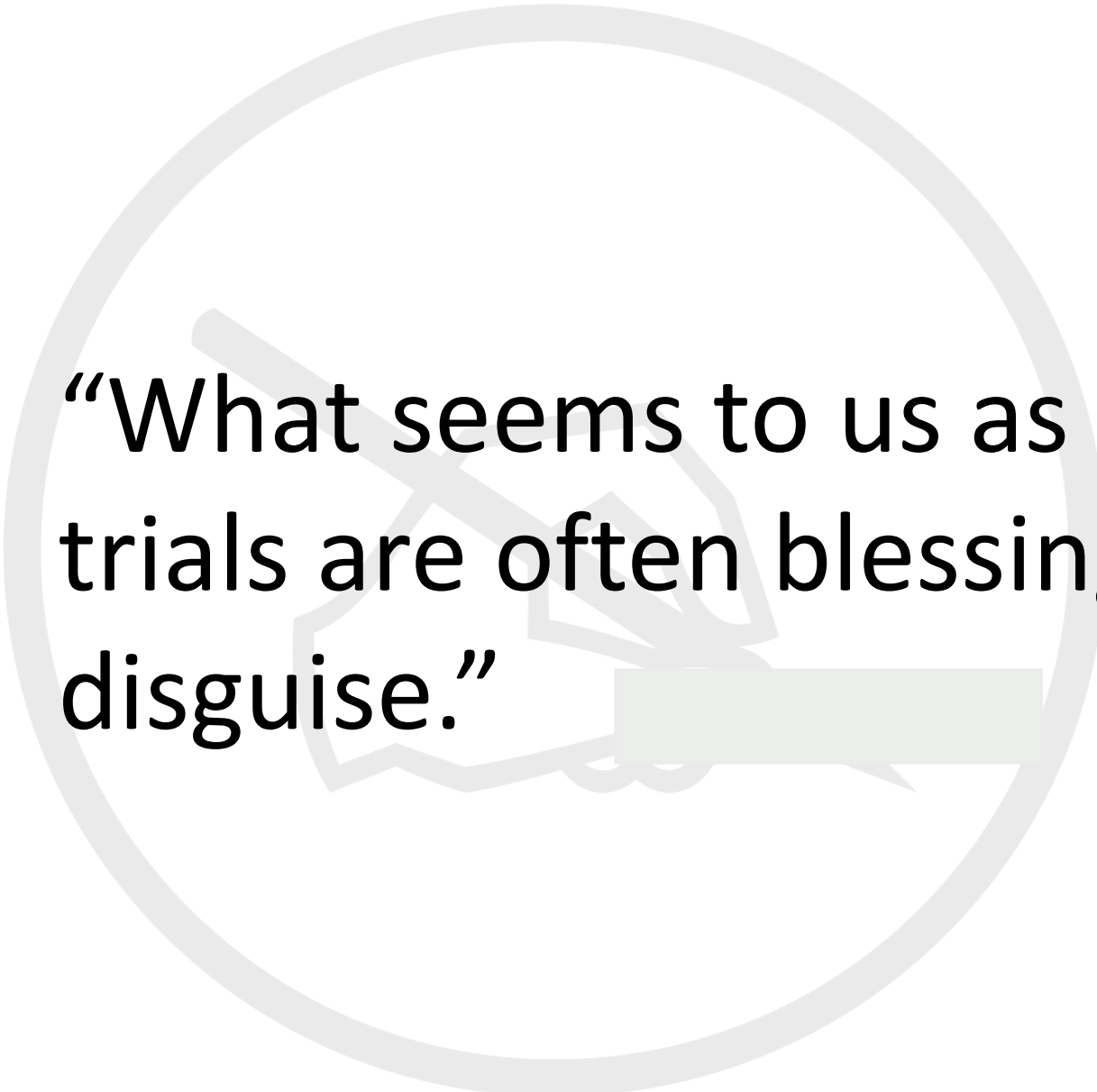
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“What seems to us as bitter trials are often blessings in disguise.”

Important Day/ महत्वपूर्ण दिवस

2 August (First Sunday of August) - Friendship Day

6 August - Hiroshima Day

7 August - National Handloom Day

8 August - Quit India Movement Day

9 August - Nagasaki Day

9 August - International Day of the World's Indigenous Peoples

10 August - International Biodiesel Day

12 August - International Youth Day

2020 Theme: Youth Engagement for Global Action



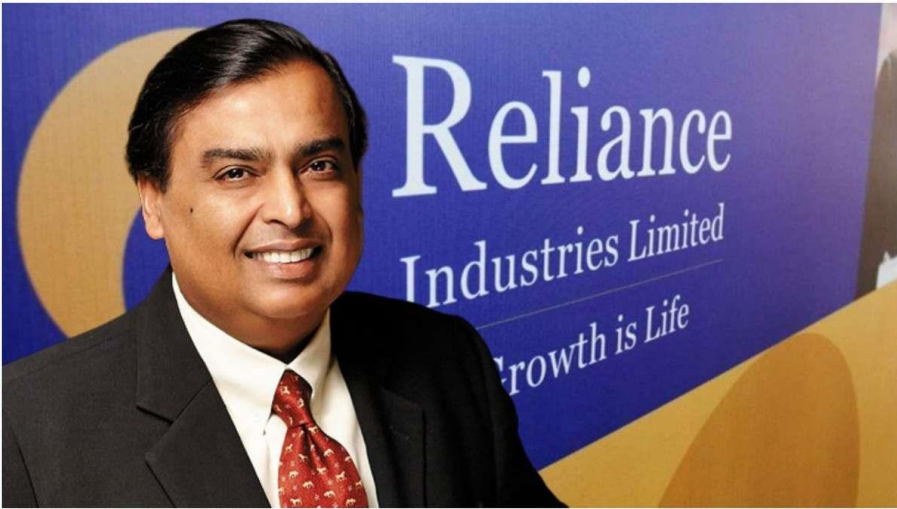
Current Affairs Analysis

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- Russia has named its first approved COVID-19 vaccine 'Sputnik V' for foreign markets.
- रूस ने विदेशी बाजारों के लिए अपने पहले स्वीकृत कोविड-19 वैक्सीन को 'स्पुतनिक वी' नाम दिया है।
- Capital: Moscow
- President: Vladimir Putin
- Prime Minister: Mikhail Mishustin
- Currency: Russian Ruble





- Billionaire Mukesh Ambani's Reliance Industries has jumped 10 places to break into the world's top 100 companies on the Fortune Global 500 list.
- अरबपति कारोबारी मुकेश अंबानी के नेतृत्व वाली रिलायंस इंडस्ट्रीज 10 स्थानों की छलांग लगाकर 'फॉर्च्यून ग्लोबल 500' सूची की शीर्ष 100 कंपनियों में शामिल हो गयी है।

- Editor: Clifton Leaf
- Founder: Henry Luce
- Year founded: 1929
- First issue: September 1929
- Country: United States
- Based in: New York, U.S.

Fortune Global 500 list of 2020

Rank ⇅	Company ⇅	Country ⇅	Industry ⇅	Revenue in USD ⇅
1	Walmart	 United States	Retail	\$524 billion
2	Sinopec Group	 China	Petroleum	\$407 billion
3	State Grid	 China	Energy	\$384 billion
4	China National Petroleum	 China	Petroleum	\$379 billion
5	Royal Dutch Shell	 Netherlands	Petroleum	\$352 billion
6	Saudi Aramco	 Saudi Arabia	Energy	\$330 billion
7	Volkswagen	 Germany	Automobiles	\$283 billion
8	BP	 United Kingdom	Petroleum	\$283 billion
9	Amazon.com	 United States	Internet Services and Retailing	\$281 billion
10	Toyota Motor	 Japan	Automobiles	\$275 billion



- Finance and Corporate Affairs Minister Nirmala Sitharaman inaugurated the National Infrastructure Pipeline, NIP, and Online Dashboard in New Delhi through video conferencing.
- वित्त एवं कारपोरेट कार्य मंत्री निर्मला सीतारमण ने वीडियो कॉन्फ्रेंसिंग के माध्यम से राष्ट्रीय अवसंरचना पाइपलाइन, एनआईपी, ऑनलाइन डैशबोर्ड का शुभारम्भ किया।

National Infrastructure Pipeline

- The National Infrastructure Pipeline (NIP) is a group of social and economic infrastructure projects in India over a period of five years with a sanctioned amount of ₹102 lakh crore (US\$1.4 trillion).
- The pipeline was first made public by the Prime Minister of India during his 2019 Independence Day speech.
- The Finance Minister announced that the NIP consists of 78% projects by the centre and states, and the remaining by the private sector.
- The NIP is a pillar of government of India's aim to become a \$5 trillion economy by 2025.



Arogya Setu App



Government of India

- AROGYA SETU becomes the the most downloaded Covid-19 contact tracing app across the world.
- आरोग्य सेतु एप दुनिया भर में सबसे अधिक डाउनलोड होने वाला एप बन गया है।
- Aarogya Setu is an Indian open-source CoVID-19 "Contact tracing, Syndromic mapping and Self-assessment" digital service, primarily a mobile app, developed by the National Informatics Centre under the Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology (MeitY).



- The upgraded state-of-the-art Maareech Integration Facility at the Bharat Electronics Limited (BEL) was inaugurated by Defence Minister Rajnath Singh.
- रक्षा मंत्री राजनाथ सिंह ने भारत इलेक्ट्रॉनिक्स लि. (बीईएल) के अत्याधुनिक मरीच इंटीग्रेशन फैसिलिटी का उद्घाटन किया।
- Bharat Electronics Limited
- Founded: 1954
- Headquarters: Bengaluru, Karnataka
- M V Gowtama (Chairman & MD)
- Owner: Government of India (63.17%)



- It was BEL which produced the Maareech advanced torpedo defence system (ATDS), fully indigenous system involving sensors and decoys.
- The indigenously developed Maareech System saves the country around USD 4 million in foreign exchange per system
- Maareech Advanced Torpedo Defence System (ATDS) is a torpedo detection and countermeasure system used by the Indian Navy.



- Union Minister for Information and Broadcasting, Prakash Javadekar unveiled e-version of the book 'Connecting, Communicating, Changing' the Vice President of India's three years in office.
- केन्द्रीय सूचना और प्रसारण मंत्री प्रकाश जावडेकर ने भारत के उपराष्ट्रपति के तीन वर्ष के कार्यकाल पर एक पुस्तक के ई-संस्करण 'कनेक्टिंग, कम्युनिकेटिंग, चेंजिंग' का विमोचन किया।



- India's KN Ananthapadmanabhan has been included in ICC's international panel of umpires following compatriot Nitin Menon's promotion to the elite panel.
- भारत के के एन अनंतपदमनाभन को आईसीसी अंतरराष्ट्रीय अंपायरों की पैनल में शामिल किया गया है, इससे पहले नितिन मेनन को एलीट पैनल में जगह दी गई थी ।

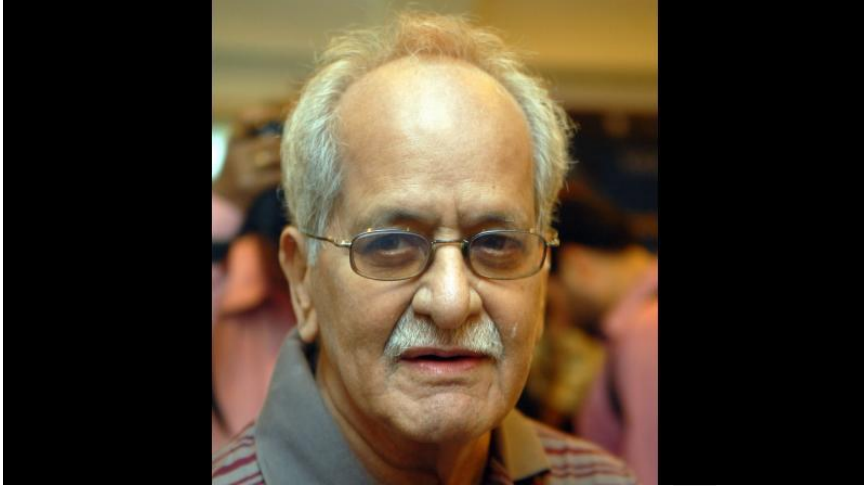


- Renowned Urdu poet Rahat Indori passed away in Indore in Madhya Pradesh. He was 70.
- प्रसिद्ध उर्दू कवि राहत इंदोरी का मध्य प्रदेश के इंदौर में निधन हो गया। वह 70 वर्ष के थे।





- Noted Tamil film lyricist P K Muthusami passed away in R Pudupatti village in Namakkal, near Trichy. He was 100.
- जानेमाने तमिल गीतकार पी के मुथुसामी का त्रिची के निकट नामक्कल के आर पुदुपट्टी में निधन हो गया। वह सौ वर्ष के थे।



- Veteran sports journalist GK Menon died in suburban Mumbai. He was 93.
- अनुभवी खेल पत्रकार जीके मेनन का मुंबई उपनगर में निधन हो गया। वह 93 साल के थे।



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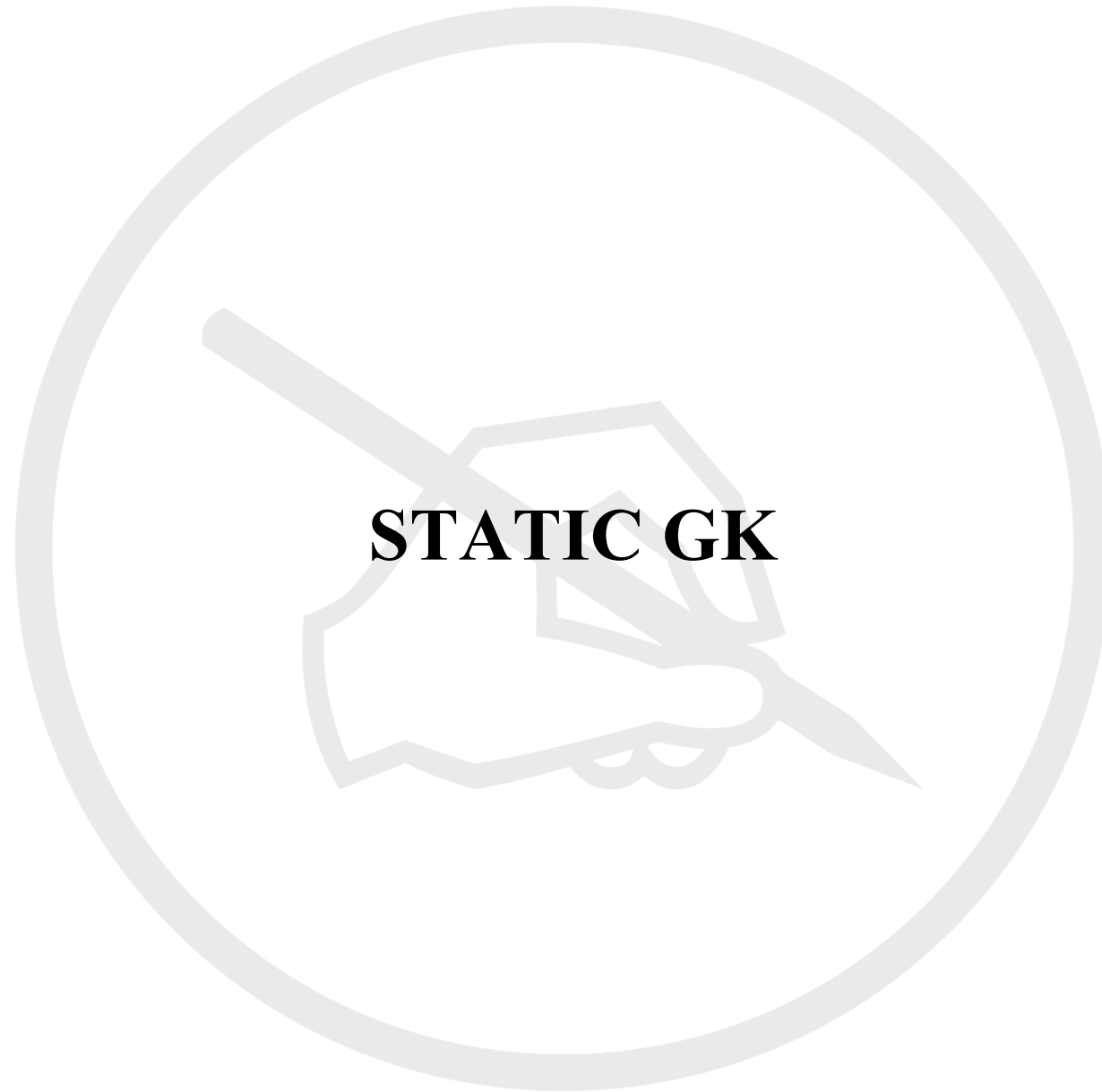
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43	National Commission for Scheduled Castes	Ram Shankar Katheria
44	President, FICCI	Sangita Reddy
45	Chairman of 21st Law Commission	Dr. Justice BS Chauhan

No	State	Capital	Governor	CM
1	Andaman and Nicobar Islands	Port Blair	Admiral (ret.) Devendra Kumar Joshi	01 November 1956
2	Lakshadweep	Kavaratti	Dineshwar Sharma	01 November 1956
3	Chandigarh	Chandigarh	V.P. Singh Badnore	01 November 1966
4	Jammu and Kashmir	Srinagar, Jammu	Manoj Sinha	31 October 2019
5	Ladakh	Leh, Kargil	Radha Krishna Mathur	31 October 2019

No	Country	Capital	Currency
1	Portugal	Lisbon	Euro
2	San Marino	San Marino	Euro
3	Slovakia	Bratislava	Euro
4	Slovenia	Ljubljana	Euro
5	Spain	Madrid	Euro

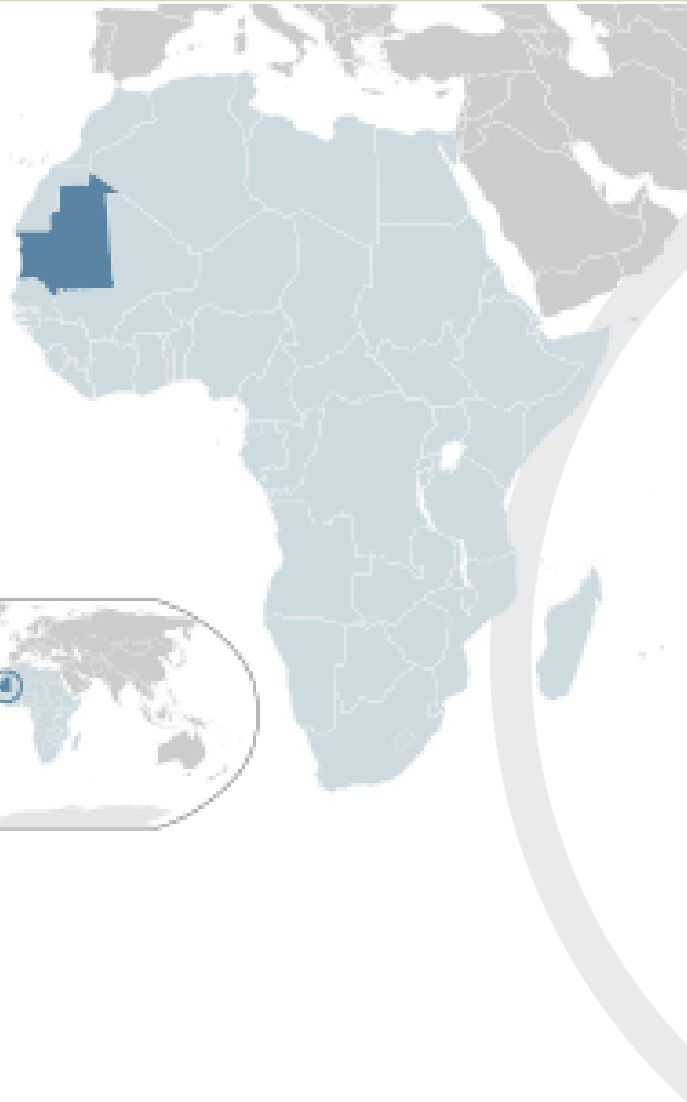


Q. Recently Mohamed Ould Bilal has been appointed as the new Prime Minister of which country?/हाल ही में मोहम्मद औल्ड बिलाल को किस देश का नया प्रधानमंत्री नियुक्त किया गया है?

1. Guyana/गुयाना
 2. Mauritania/मॉरिटानिया
 3. Peru/पेरू
 4. Mauritius/मॉरिशस
 5. Papua New Guinea/पापुआ न्यू गिनी
- Capital: Nouakchott
 - President: Mohamed Ould Ghazouani
 - Prime Minister: Mohammed Ould Bilal
 - Currency: Ouguiya



2



Q. Sri Lanka's former President, Mahinda Rajapaksa took oath as the country's Prime Minister for the fourth time, he is related to which political party?/श्रीलंका के पूर्व राष्ट्रपति, महिंदा राजपक्षे ने चौथी बार देश के प्रधानमंत्री के रूप में शपथ ली, वह किस राजनीतिक दल से संबंधित हैं?

- 1. Sri Lanka Podujana Peramuna/श्रीलंका पोडुजाना पेरमुना**
- 2. Sri Lanka People's Freedom Alliance/श्रीलंका पीपुल्स फ्रीडम एलायंस**
- 3. United National Party/यूनाइटेड नेशनल पार्टी**
- 4. Sri Lanka Freedom Party/श्रीलंका फ्रीडम पार्टी**
- 5. None of the above/उपरोक्त में से कोई नहीं**



- Capital: Sri Jayawardenepura Kotte
- Colombo (executive and judicial)
- President: Gotabaya Rajapaksa
- Prime Minister: Mahinda Rajapaksa
- Currency: Sri Lankan rupee

Q. President of Belarus, Alexander Lukashenko has won his sixth consecutive presidential election, where is the capital of Belarus?/बेलारूस के राष्ट्रपति अलेक्जेंडर लुकाशेंको ने अपना लगातार छठा राष्ट्रपति चुनाव जीता है, बेलारूस की राजधानी कहाँ है?

1. **Moscow/मास्को**
2. **Vienna/वियना**
3. **Lima/लीमा**
4. **Cairo/काहिरा**
5. **Minsk/मिन्स्क**

- Capital: Minsk
- President: Alexander Lukashenko
- Prime Minister: Roman Golovchenko
- Currency: Belarusian ruble



5

Q. Recently Prime Minister Narendra Modi launched the Central Sector Scheme of financing facility under the Agriculture Infrastructure Fund worth _____./हाल ही में प्रधान मंत्री नरेंद्र मोदी ने _____ के लायक कृषि इन्फ्रास्ट्रक्चर फंड के तहत वित्तपोषण सुविधा की केंद्रीय क्षेत्र योजना शुरू की।

- 1. 2 Lakh Crore/2 लाख करोड़**
- 2. 1 Lakh Crore/1 लाख करोड़**
- 3. 5 Lakh Crore/5 लाख करोड़**
- 4. 6 Lakh Crore/6 लाख करोड़**
- 5. 4 Lakh Crore/4 लाख करोड़**

- The Fund will catalyze the creation of post-harvest management infrastructure and community farming assets such as cold storage, collection centres, processing units, etc.



2

Q. Recently how much was the amount that was transferred to farmers under PM-KISAN as 6th instalment?/हाल ही में 6 किस्त के रूप में PM-KISAN के तहत किसानों को कितनी राशि हस्तांतरित की गई थी?

1. 25,000 crore/25,000 करोड़ रु
2. 21,000 crore/21,000 करोड़ रु
3. 17,000 crore/17,000 करोड़ रु
4. 15,000 crore/15,000 करोड़ रु
5. 11,000 crore/11,000 करोड़ रु

PM-KISAN Scheme

- 100% funding from Government of India.
- It has become operational from 1.12.2018.
- support of 6,000/- per year in 3 equal instalments
- small and marginal farmer families having combined land holding/ownership of upto 2 hectares.
- State Government and UT administration will identify.
- The fund will be directly transferred to the bank accounts of the beneficiaries.



3

Q. Recently which state government has announced the launch of “Indira Van Mitan Yojana” to support forest dwellers?/हाल ही में किस राज्य सरकार ने वनवासियों का समर्थन करने के लिए “इंदिरा वन मितान योजना” शुरू करने की घोषणा की है?

- 1. Chhattisgarh/छत्तीसगढ़**
- 2. Mizoram/मिजोरम**
- 3. Madhya Pradesh/मध्य प्रदेश**
- 4. Punjab/पंजाब**
- 5. Haryana/हरियाणा**

Highlights

- to benefit 19 lakh families from scheduled areas
- providing self-employment opportunities
- a group of 10 to 15 youngsters
- will manage forest based economic activities.
- will manage procurement, marketing and processing of forest produce
- encourage plantation of fruit bearing trees and medicinal plants.
- forest produce processing units in around 85 development blocks in Rs 10 lakhs
- amount of Rs 8.5 crores to set up the processing units



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Q. Recently who inaugurated the Rashtriya Swachhata Kendra an interactive experience centre on the Swachh Bharat Mission?/हाल ही में स्वच्छ भारत मिशन पर एक राष्ट्रीय अनुभव केंद्र का उद्घाटन किसने किया?

1. **Rajnath Singh/राजनाथ सिंह**
2. **Piyush Goyal/पीयूष गोयल**
3. **Amit Shah/अमित शाह**
4. **Narendra Modi/नरेंद्र मोदी**
5. **Ramesh Pokhriyal Nishank/रमेश पोखरियाल निशंक**



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- Rashtriya Swachhata Kendra (RSK) was first announced on April 10, 2017
- Rashtriya Swachhata Kendra (RSK) on 8th August, 2020.
- Swachh Bharat Mission (SBM) or Clean India Mission on 2nd October, 2014.

Q. Recently Walter Roger Martos Ruiz has become the new Prime Minister of which country?/हाल ही में वाल्टर रोजर मार्टोस रुइज किस देश के नए प्रधानमंत्री बने हैं?

1. Rwanda/रवांडा
 2. Singapore/सिंगापुर
 3. Peru/पेरू
 4. Egypt/मिस्र
 5. South Korea/दक्षिण कोरिया
- Capital: Lima
 - President: Martín Vizcarra
 - Prime Minister: Walter Martos
 - Currency: Sol



3



Q. Recently the Boston Group has signed an MoU with the Andhra Pradesh government to set up an IT company in which city?/हाल ही में बोस्टन समूह ने किस शहर में एक आईटी कंपनी स्थापित करने के लिए आंध्र प्रदेश सरकार के साथ एक समझौता ज्ञापन पर हस्ताक्षर किए हैं?

1. **Amravati/अमरावती**
 2. **Vijayawada/विजयवाड़ा**
 3. **Nellore/नेल्लोर**
 4. **Kurnool/कुरनूल**
 5. **Visakhapatnam/विशाखापत्तनम**
- Boston Consulting Group
 - Founded: 1963
 - Founder: Bruce Henderson
 - Headquarters: Boston, United States
 - Rich Lesser (CEO)

Q. Recently Maniombi Singh has passed away, he was renowned ____./हाल ही में मनितोम्बी सिंह का निधन हो गया है, वह प्रसिद्ध ____ थे।

- 1. Footballer/फुटबॉलर**
- 2. Cricketer/क्रिकेटर**
- 3. Politician/राजनेता**
- 4. Actor/अभिनेता**
- 5. Journalist/पत्रकार**



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