

Current Affairs September 11, 2024

National

1. ****India Hosts 2nd Asia Pacific Ministerial Conference on Civil Aviation****:



The conference, co-hosted by the International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO) and the Ministry of Civil Aviation, aims to explore growth opportunities in the aviation sector, focusing on infrastructure and regional connectivity.

2. ****QCI Approves NTH Ghaziabad for Drone Certification****:



The Quality Council of India (QCI) has provisionally approved the National Test House (NTH) in Ghaziabad as a certification body for agricultural drones, supporting the growing drone sector in India.

International

3. ****New Chief of Army Staff in Nepal****:



Ashok Raj Sigdel was sworn in as the 45th Chief of Army Staff of the Nepali Army.

4. ****Nepal Joins International Solar Alliance (ISA)**:**



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State

5. ****New Species of Genus Curcuma Discovered in Nagaland**:**



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Researchers identified a new species of turmeric in Mokokchung district, Nagaland.

Appointments

6. ****RS Sharma Appointed Non-Executive Chairperson of ONDC**:**



RS Sharma, former CEO of the National Health Authority, has been appointed as the Non-Executive Chairperson of the Open Network for Digital Commerce (ONDC).

Economy

7. **IMF Upgrades India's GDP Forecast**:



The IMF has raised its GDP growth forecast for India to 7% for FY 2024-25.

Defence

8. **India Launches Anti-Submarine Warfare Vessels**:



India launched two new anti-submarine warfare vessels, "Malpe" and "Mulki," enhancing its naval defense capabilities.