

# Current Affairs: 05th October 2024

## National News:

- **\*\*Cabinet Endorses National Mission to Enhance Oilseed Production\*\***:



The Union Cabinet, led by PM Narendra Modi, has approved the National Mission on Edible Oils – Oilseeds (NMEO-Oilseeds) to boost domestic oilseed production and reduce dependency on imports.

- **\*\*13,822 Jan Aushadhi Kendras Established Nationwide\*\***:



The government has established 13,822 Jan Aushadhi Kendras under PMBJP, achieving record sales of ₹200 crore in September 2024.

## International News:

- **\*\*Italy and Switzerland Redraw Alpine Borders\*\***:



Due to glacier melting from climate change, Italy and Switzerland have agreed to redraw borders around the Matterhorn.

**- \*\*Nepal, India, and Bangladesh Sign Historic Electricity Trade Agreement\*\*:**



A tripartite agreement was signed to allow Nepal to export hydroelectricity to Bangladesh via India.

**Agreements:**

**- \*\*UK Agrees to Transfer Chagos Islands Sovereignty to Mauritius\*\*:**



The UK has agreed to cede the Chagos Islands to Mauritius while maintaining the US military base at Diego Garcia.

## Economy News:

- **\*\*India's Forex Reserves Surpass \$700 Billion\*\***:



India's forex reserves have crossed \$700 billion for the first time.

- **\*\*Employment in India Up by 36%\*\***:



Between 2016-2023, employment in India has increased by 36%, adding 17 million jobs.

## Sports News:

- **\*\*Indian Men's Team Wins Gold in Rapid Fire Pistol\*\***:



India won gold at the ISSF Junior World Championship in Lima, Peru.

- **\*\*Mumbai Clinches 15th Irani Cup\*\***:



Mumbai won the Irani Cup after 27 years under Ajinkya Rahane's captaincy.

## Important Days:

- **\*\*World Teachers' Day 2024\*\***:



Celebrated on October 5, the theme for this year is "Valuing Teacher Voices: Towards a New Social Contract for Education".

## Obituaries:

- **\*\*Veteran Actor Mohanraj Passes Away\*\***:



Renowned Malayalam actor Mohanraj, known for his role in "Kireedam," passed away at 70.