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India to Invite Indonesia's President for Republic Day 2025



India is considering inviting Indonesia's newly elected President Prabowo Subianto as the chief guest for Republic Day 2025.

## NSE Launches Multilingual Mobile App and Website



The National Stock Exchange (NSE) of India launched a mobile app and expanded its website to support 12 languages, marking its 30th anniversary.

## India Commits to 30% Protected Areas in Biodiversity Plan

India's updated biodiversity plan aims to protect 30% of its land and water areas by 2030, aligning with global biodiversity goals.



SEBI Proposes Reforms for REITs and InvITs



SEBI has introduced proposed changes for REITs and InvITs to enhance market flexibility and investor protection.

#### Karnataka Celebrates Bali Padyami Festival



Karnataka celebrates Bali Padyami festival

Karnataka observes the Bali Padyami festival, commemorating the return of the Asura king Bali to Earth.





ILO's 352nd Governing Body Meeting in Geneva



The International Labour Organisation's 352nd meeting in Geneva is ongoing, addressing global labor issues.

## ISRO Initiates Analogue Space Mission in Leh



ISRO launched an analogue mission in Leh to simulate interplanetary habitats, aiding space exploration research.

#### Collins Dictionary Names "Brat" as 2024 Word of the Year



The word "brat" is named Word of the Year by Collins Dictionary, symbolizing a spirit of

independence and rebellion.

#### **Coal India Celebrates 50th Foundation Day**



Coal India Limited marked its 50th Foundation Day, celebrating its golden jubilee and contributions to India's energy sector.

#### India's New Consulate in Brisbane Inaugurated by EAM Jaishankar



India's External Affairs Minister, S. Jaishankar, inaugurated the new consulate in Brisbane on November 4, 2024. This event marks a significant step in enhancing India-Australia relations, especially with recent agreements facilitating trade and strategic cooperation.

## Kemi Badenoch Becomes UK Conservative Party Leader

On November 2, 2024, Kemi Badenoch made history by becoming the first Black woman to lead the UK's Conservative Party. She won the leadership race, succeeding Rishi Sunak after his resignation.

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Wriddhiman Saha Announces Retirement from Cricket



Indian cricketer Wriddhiman Saha has announced his retirement from all forms of cricket on November 5, 2024. His illustrious career, especially as a wicketkeeper, comes to a close after nearly two decades in the sport.

## FSIB Recommends Rahul Bhave as MD & CEO of IFCI



The Financial Services Institutions Bureau

(FSIB) has recommended Rahul Bhave for the position of Managing Director and CEO of IFCI Ltd. Bhave is currently serving as the Deputy Managing Director at IFCI.

Punjab & Sind Bank Launches e-Bank Guarantee Facility



Punjab & Sind Bank, in collaboration with NeSL, has launched an e-Bank Guarantee (e-BG) facility, transitioning the traditional paperbased bank guarantee process to a fully digital format.

NTPC and ONGC Create Green Energy Joint Venture



NTPC and ONGChave formed a 50:50 joint venture company to promote green energy initiatives. The partnership aims to advance India's renewable energy objectives.





BEML Awarded 'Self-Certification' Status for Defense Equipment



BEML Ltd. has been awarded the "Self-Certification" status for its defense products by the Department of Defence Production of India, further strengthening the company's role in India's defense sector.

#### India-Algeria Sign MoU on Defense Cooperation



A Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) on defense cooperation was signed between India and Algeria during the official visit of India's Chief of Defence Staff (CDS) General Anil Chauhan to Algeria.

#### India-Vietnam Joint Military Exercise "VINBAX 2024" Begins

The 5th edition of the India-Vietnam bilateral army exercise, VINBAX 2024, commenced on

November 4, 2024, in Ambala, aimed at strengthening military cooperation between the two countries.



India Re-elected as ISA President; Ashish Khanna New Director-General



India has been re-elected as the president of the International Solar Alliance (ISA) until 2026, with Ashish Khanna appointed as the new Director-General of the organization.

#### Shilp Samagam Mela 2024 Inaugurated







Dr. Virendra Kumar, the Union Minister for Social Justice and Empowerment, launched the 'Shilp Samagam Mela 2024' at Dilli Haat, New Delhi. The event is organized by various national corporations like NSFDC, NBCDFC, and NSKFDC to promote artisans and their crafts.

#### **Donald Trump Returns as US President**



Donald Trump has won the 2024 US presidential election with 276 electoral votes, surpassing the 270 needed to win. He is set to return to the White House as the 47th President.

#### IDFC FIRST Bank Launches Real-Time International Money Transfer Tracking



In collaboration with Swift, IDFC FIRST Bank introduced a real-time tracking service for international money transfers, setting a new benchmark in transparency for cross-border payments.

#### Royal Enfield Launches EV Brand



Royal Enfield has unveiled its new electric vehicle brand, "Flying Flea," a tribute to a historic model originally designed for military use during World War II.

#### ISRO to Launch EU's Proba-3 Satellite



ISRO will launch the European Union's Proba-3 satellite in December. The satellite will study the Sun's corona and marks a significant collaboration between India and the EU.

#### MP Approves 35% Reservation for Women





Madhya Pradesh's cabinet has approved a 35% reservation for women in all state government recruitments.

#### India Hosts Asian Buddhist Summit



The first-ever Asian Buddhist Summit was held in New Delhi to promote peace and unity through Buddhism across Asia.

#### Sharda Sinha Passes Away



Legendary folk singer, Sharda Sinha, known as "Bihar Kokila," passed away at 72 due to cancer complications.



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