

1. Raja Krishnamoorthi, who was seen in news recently, has been re-elected to the Legislature of which country, for the third time?

[A] New Zealand

[B] United States of America

[C] United Kingdom

[D] Singapore



- ✓ **Indian-origin Democratic congressman Raja Krishnamoorthi has been re-elected to the US House of Representatives for the third term in a row. The 47-year-old has said to have secured over 70 per cent of the total votes counted. His family was based in Tamil Nadu. The congressman was first elected to the House of Representatives in the year 2016.**

2. Luhri Stage-I Hydro Power Project, which was seen in news recently, is located in which state?

[A] Uttar Pradesh

[B] Himachal Pradesh

[C] Bihar

[D] Assam



- ✓ **The Union Cabinet has recently approved the proposal to invest Rs 1,810 crore for 210 MW Luhri Stage-1 hydro-power project. It is located on river Satluj in Shimla and Kullu districts of Himachal Pradesh. The project is expected to generate 758.20 million units of electricity annually. The project is being implemented by Satluj Jal Vidyut Nigam Ltd.**

3. In which city, the "Tourist Facilitation Centre" facility has been inaugurated under PRASHAD Scheme?

[A] Varanasi

[B] Mysore

[C] Guruvayur

[D] Velankanni



- ✓ **Tourism Minister Prahlad Singh Patel has recently inaugurated Tourist Facilitation Centre at Guruvayur, Kerala under PRASHAD Scheme, virtually. The Pilgrimage Rejuvenation and Spiritual, Heritage Augmentation Drive (PRASHAD) scheme was launched by the Ministry of Tourism in 2014-15. It aims for the integrated development of those specified pilgrimage and heritage destinations.**

4. The Joint Task Force, that was seen in news recently, is associated with India and which country?

- [A] United Kingdom
- [B] UAE
- [C] Japan
- [D] Australia



- ✓ **The eighth meeting of the India–UAE High Level Joint Task Force on Investments was hosted by India in virtual format. The meeting was co–chaired by Union Minister Piyush Goyal and Sheikh Hamed bin Zayed Al Nahyan, Member of the Executive Council of the Emirate of Abu Dhabi. The Joint Task Force was created in 2012 to boost the economic ties between the UAE and India.**

5. TN Krishnan, who was seen in news recently, was related with which field?

- [A] Politics
- [B] Music
- [C] Sports
- [D] Literature



- ✓ **Legendary Carnatic Musician of India TN Krishnan has recently passed away in Chennai at the age of 92. The Musician was born in Kerala and shifted to Chennai in early 1940s. He was also a recipient of several awards, including the Padma Vibhushan and the Sangeetha Kalanidhi of Music Academy. He also served as teacher in Music College and School of Music and Fine Art at the University of Delhi.**

6. Prasar Bharati has signed MoU with which Union Ministry to launch over 50 education TV channels?

- [A] Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology
- [B] Ministry of Communication
- [C] Ministry of Information and Broadcasting
- [D] Ministry of Science and Technology



- ✓ **India's public broadcaster Prasar Bharati has recently entered into an MoU with the Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology. The MoU, which aims to launch 51 direct–to–home (DTH) education TV channels, has been signed between Prasar Bharati and Bhaskaracharya National Institute for Space Applications and Geo–Informatics under MEITY.**

- ✓ This move aims to bring quality educational programmes to every household, including those in rural and remote areas. This Government initiative will go a long way in achieving Government's goal of providing education to all.

7. COVID-19 Shri Shakti Challenge, which was seen in news recently, is organised by MyGov in collaboration with organisation?

- [A] UN Women
- [B] World Economic Forum
- [C] World Bank
- [D] Asian Development Bank



- ✓ COVID-19 Shri Shakti Challenge was organized by MyGov in collaboration with UN Women. It was seen in news because six women led start-ups have won the challenge. The challenge, which was launched in April 2020 aimed to encourage women led start-ups to come up with innovative solutions to fight against COVID19 or solve problems faced by women community.

8. The Union Cabinet has given its approval for signing a MoU with which country in the field of medical Product Regulation as well as ICT?

- [A] Russia
- [B] Israel
- [C] UAE
- [D] United Kingdom



- ✓ The Union Cabinet, chaired by the Prime Minister has given its approval for signing a MoU between the Central Drugs Standard Control Organization (CDSCO), India and its counterpart in the United Kingdom, on cooperation in the field of medical Product Regulation. The Cabinet also approved to sign another MoU with the United Kingdom Government on cooperation in the field of Information and Communication Technologies (ICTs).

9. What is the theme of the 13th Urban Mobility India (UMI) Conference to be organised by MoHUA?

- [A] Emerging Trends in Urban Mobility
- [B] Decoding Urban Mobility
- [C] Leveraging Urban Mobility
- [D] Innovation in Urban Mobility



- ✓ The 13th Urban Mobility India (UMI) Conference is to be organised by the Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs (MoHUA) on November 9, 2020 virtually. The day-long Conference will be organised on the theme of “Emerging Trends in Urban Mobility”.
- ✓ It aims to focus on innovative measures taken to address the challenges posed by COVID-19 pandemic and to provide accessible transport to all.

10. Which country has recently commenced operations of its first Nuclear Power Plant?

[A] Bangladesh

[B] Belgium

[C] Belarus

[D] Sri Lanka



- ✓ Belarus has successfully commenced the electricity generation from its first nuclear plant namely “Ostrovets plant”. The power generation has commenced from its Unit 1 and the Unit 2 is expected to commence operations from the next year. Belarus, officially the Republic of Belarus is a landlocked country in Eastern Europe.
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