

1. The Juvenile Justice Act, 2015 was approved recently, after the proposal of which Union Ministry?

- A) Ministry of Health & Family Welfare
 B) Ministry of Women & Child Development
 C) Ministry of Law
 D) Ministry of Social Justice



- ✓ The Union Cabinet on Wednesday approved a set of amendments to the Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act, 2015. This was the proposal of the Ministry of Women and Child Development.
- ✓ The amendments include empowering the District Magistrates (DM) and the additional DMs to monitor the functioning of agencies, which are implementing the act.

2. Which Union Ministry conducts all-India surveys including on migrant and domestic workers?

- A) Ministry of Home Affairs
 B) Ministry of Skill Development
 C) Ministry of Labor & Employment
 D) Ministry of Rural Development



- ✓ Union Labour Minister Santosh Gangwar is to launch software applications for five all India surveys, being conducted by the Labour Bureau.
- ✓ The Ministry will also release instruction manuals with questionnaire for five All India Surveys including All India Survey on Migrant workers, All India Survey on Domestic Workers, All India Survey on Employment Generated by Professionals, All India Survey on Employment Generated in Transport Sector, and All-India Quarterly Establishment based Employment Survey.

3. Which is the only Indian city to have been recognised as a 2020 Tree City of the World?

- A) Chennai
 B) Hyderabad
 C) Thiruvananthapuram
 D) Nagercoil



- ✓ The Arbor Day Foundation and the Food and Agriculture Organization have recognised Hyderabad as the 2020 Tree City of the World. This is the only city in India to have earned this honour, along with 51 cities globally. Haritha Haram is the tree plantation drive of the Telangana state, which made the city to grow and maintain urban forests.

4. Which country holds the presidency of the 2021 United Nations Climate Change Conference (COP-26)?

- A) India
 B) United States of America
 C) United Kingdom
 D) Australia



- ✓ The 2021 United Nations Climate Change Conference of the Parties, also known as COP26, is scheduled to be held in Glasgow, Scotland, in November 2021. The event is to be held under the presidency of the United Kingdom. British MP and President-designate of COP-26, Alok Sharma called on Indian Prime Minister Narendra Modi in New Delhi.

5. Kiran Bedi has been removed as the Lieutenant Governor of which UT?

- A) Puducherry
 B) Andaman & Nicobar Islands
 C) Lakshadweep
 D) Ladakh



- ✓ As per a communication issued by the President Ramnath Kovind, Puducherry Lieutenant Governor Kiran Bedi was removed from her post. This step has been taken amid a political crisis in the Puducherry Union territory. The additional charge of the UT has been given to the Telangana Governor Tamilisai Soundhararajan.

6. Which multi-national company is to start its 1st manufacturing line in India, along with a subsidiary of Foxconn?

- A) Microsoft
 B) Samsung
 C) Amazon
 D) Apple



- ✓ Amazon has announced that it is set to begin manufacturing devices in India. This is the first Amazon manufacturing line in India. Amazon will begin manufacturing with Cloud Network Technology, a subsidiary of Foxconn, in Chennai. Beginning later this year, the programme aims to manufacture several lakhs of 'Fire TV Stick' devices every year, generating additional jobs in Tamil Nadu.

7. What is the target year of the Jal Jeevan Mission, to provide tap water connection to every rural household?

- A) 2022
 B) 2023
 C) 2024
 D) 2030



- ✓ The Jal Jeevan Mission was launched by the Prime Minister Narendra Modi on 15th August, 2019. It aims to provide tap water connection to every rural household by 2024. Recently, the scheme has reached a new milestone by providing 3.53 Crore rural household tap water connections. 35.24% of rural households receive potable water through taps, against only 17% in 2019.

8. Demeke Mekonnen, who arrived in New Delhi recently, was the Deputy Prime Minister & Foreign Minister of which country?

- A) Nigeria
 B) Ethiopia
 C) Chad
 D) Bolivia



- ✓ Ethiopian Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Foreign Affairs Demeke Mekonnen Hassen arrived in New Delhi. He inaugurated the new Chancery and Residence at Ethiopian Embassy in New Delhi along with External Affairs Minister of India Dr. S. Jaishankar.

9. Who succeeded Ghulam Nabi Azad as the Leader of Opposition in Rajya Sabha?

- A) Mallikarjun Kharge
 B) Anand Sharma
 C) Jairam Ramesh
 D) A K Antony



- ✓ Rajya Sabha Chairman M Venkaiah has granted recognition to Mallikarjun Kharge as the Leader of the Opposition in the Rajya Sabha. The Indian National Congress Leader succeeds Ghulam Nabi Azad whose term has ended recently. Mallikarjun Kharge was a former Union minister and had been Congress leader in the Lok Sabha, earlier.

10. The Union Government approved the Production Linked Incentive scheme for how many sectors, as of February 2021?

- A) 10
- B) 11
- C) 12
- D) 13



- ✓ The Union Cabinet recently approved a Rs 12,195-crore Production Linked Incentive (PLI) scheme for domestic manufacturing of telecom and networking products.
- ✓ The products include switches, routers, radio access network, wireless equipment and other internet of things (IoT) access devices. With this, the total number of sectors stand at 13, for which incentives of 4 to 6 percent would be provided by the Government.