

Weekly One Liner Current Affairs

3rd week (17th to 23rd August) 2024

National News

- **Three more Ramsar wetland** sites now in India i.e. **Nanjarayan Bird Sanctuary, Kazhuveli Bird Sanctuary, and Tawa Reservoir**, taking total to **85**
- **Odisha** to bring **five Royal Bengal tigers** from **Maharashtra, MP** by **September**
- **Delhi Airport 1st In Country** To Get **'Net Zero Carbon Emission'** Status
- **New AI platform** will connect **farmers** and **scientists** over **phone**, aid in **pest control**
- **Jal Shakti Minister** launched **version 2.0** of **'FloodWatch India'** app to enhance **flood monitoring**
- **UP govt** launched **Mukhyamantri Yuva Udyam Vikas Yojana**
- **PM Modi** inaugurates **3rd Voice of Global South Summit**
- **Maharashtra** launched **'Ladki Bahin Yojana'** on the occasion of **Raksha Bandhan**
- **India & Israel** join hands for **new water technology centre** at **IIT Madras**
- **Rajnath Singh** inaugurates **new maritime rescue coordination centre** in **Chennai**
- **Amul** ranked as **world's strongest food brand**
- **India** approves additional **251 MW Power Exports** from **Nepal**
- **Reliance Foundation** signs **MoU** with **India Meteorological Department (IMD)** to strengthen **weather information**
- **VP Jagdeep Dhankhar** inaugurates **19th CII India-Africa Business Conclave**

- **Manohar Lal Khattar launches 3 Online Platforms to Boost Power Sector Efficiency & Transparency**
- **Khadi and Village Industries Commission (KVIC) partners with Department of Posts to accelerate PMEGP unit verification**
- **Ola becomes only EV maker to secure PLI certification for four electric scooters**
- **Jawaharlal Nehru Centre for Advanced Scientific Research (JNCASR) partners with Hindustan Zinc Ltd. (HZL) to scale up indigenous Zn-ion battery technologies**
- **P. Jindal Global University (JGU) to establish India's First Constitution Museum for 75th Anniversary of Constitution**

International News

- **Sri Lanka announces visa-free access to Indians, nationals from 34 other countries from Oct 31**
- **UAE joins BRICS partners for launch of Centre for Industrial Competences**

Banking and Financial

- **NSE Hikes Ceiling Amount Payable Out Of Investor Protection Fund Trust**
- **Fintech co Navi collabs with Karnataka Bank to introduce credit line on UPI**
- **Rural fintech startup Jai Kisan gets RBI nod for NBFC acquisition**
- **RBL Bank launched Vijay Fixed Deposits to honor 78th Independence Day**
- **RBI imposes monetary penalties on Bank of Maharashtra**
- **NCLT approves Slice merger with North East Small Finance Bank**
- **LIC sells stake in Hindustan Copper for Rs 447 crore**
- **IndusInd Bank gets RBI nod to set up mutual fund asset management business**
- **Airtel Payments Bank introduces AI-powered Face Match**

- **IndusInd Holdings** gets **nod** to acquire **majority stake** in **2 Invesco entities**
- **Net foreign direct investment** rises to **\$6.9 billion** in **Q1: RBI**
- **ADB** commits **USD 500 mn loan** for **improving healthcare** in **Maharashtra**
- **Karnataka Bank** unveils **credit line** on **UPI** in **partnership** with **Navi Technologies**
- **NPCI** launches '**UPI Circle**' for **Secure Payments** Among Trusted Users

Appointment and Resignation

- **Govind Mohan** appointed as **new Home Secretary**
- Acting ED Chief **Rahul Navin** appointed **Full-Time Head**
- **P Harish** appointed as **India's Permanent Representative** to **United Nations**
- Japan's PM **Fumio Kishid** to **resign** in **September**
- **Paetongtarn Shinawatra** becomes **new PM** of **Thailand**
- **RBI** appoints **Sukumaran Nair** as **MD & CEO** of **Tamilnad Mercantile Bank**
- **Deutsche Bank** appoints **Manik Chhabra** as **head** of **global corp coverage** for **India, Sri Lanka**
- **Satya Prakash Sangwan** named **chef de mission** for **Paris Paralympics**
- **M Suresh** becomes **interim AAI Chairman**
- **Amardeep Singh Bhatia** takes charge as **Secretary** of **Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade**
- **Rajesh Nambiar** quits as **Cognizant's India head** to become **National Association of Software and Service Companies (NASSCOM) president**
- **Salman Khan** named **brand ambassador** for **GRM Basmati Rice**
- **Deepti Gaur Mukherjee** assumes charge as **MCA Secretary**

Awards

- **President Droupadi Murmu** approves **103 Gallantry Awards** for **Armed Forces** and **CAPFs**
- **70th National Film Awards** winners announced; [ReadMore...](#)
- **RBI Governor Shaktikanta Das** ranked **top central banker globally** for the **second consecutive year**
- **RGIA Hyderabad** wins **best airport award** for **third consecutive year**
- **President Murmu** presents **National Geoscience awards 2023**
- **President Murmu** presents **Rashtriya Vigyan Puraskar 2024**

Defence

- **South Korea, US** kick off annual drills over **North's military, cyber threats**
- **Bharat Earth Movers Limited (BEM Ltd.)** signs **MoU** with **Indian Navy** to develop **advanced marine applications** for **Defence**

Sports

- **Gus Atkinson** and **Chamari Athapaththu** crowned as **Player of the month award** for **July 2024**
- **Germany Captain Ilkay Gundogan** announces **International Retirement** from **Football**
- **ICC Women's T20 World Cup 2024** moved to **UAE** from **Bangladesh**

Book and Author

- **Amit Shah** releases **Tarun Chugh's book 'Modi's Governance Triumph: Reshaping India's Path to Prosperity'**

Important day

- **19 July – World Photography Day**
- **19 August – World Humanitarian Day** (Theme 2024 – Act For Humanity)
- **21 August – International Day of Remembrance and Tribute to the Victims of Terrorism**

- **20 August – World Mosquito Day** (Theme 2024 – Accelerating the fight against malaria for a more equitable world)
- **20 August – International Day of Remembrance and Tribute to the Victims of Terrorism**
- **21 August – World Senior Citizens Day**
- **23 August – International Day for the Remembrance of the Slave Trade and its Abolition**

Obituary

- **Renowned DRDO scientist Ram Narain Agarwal** dies at 83
- **Former CSIR Chief Girish Sahni** passes away
- **Former Army Chief General S. Padmanabhan** passes away
- **Former Meghalaya CM Salseng Marak** passes away

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