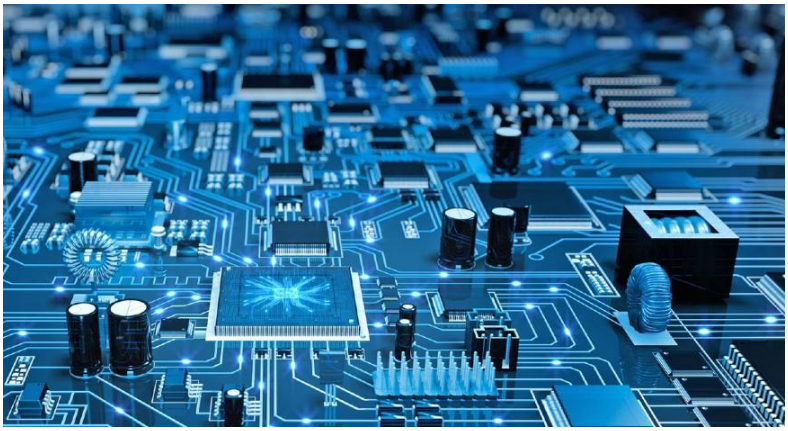
DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS UPDATES – 13 November 2022

DAILY UPDATE 1 :STATE



Government Approved Electronics Manufacturing Cluster At Ranjangaon:-

The Ministry of Electronics and IT has approved a Rs 492.85 crore greenfield Electronics Manufacturing Cluster (EMC) to be established in Ranjangaon Phase III, near Pune in Maharashtra. Shri Rajeev Chandrasekhar, Minister of State for Electronics & Information Technology and Skill Development & Entrepreneurship, stated that the Ministry of Electronics and IT intends to expand the 1000 crore Semicon India Future Design programme to support Semiconductor Design Startups in the state.

DAILY UPDATE 2 :APPOINTMENT

First Woman Director Dr G Hemaprabha Takes Charge At ICAR-SBI:-

The ICAR-Sugarcane Breeding Institute has appointed its first female director in over a century of operation. According to an official release, Dr. G Hemaprabha was appointed Director of the institute until 2024 based on the recommendations of the Agricultural Scientists Recruitment Board in New Delhi, which reports to the Union Minister of

Agriculture and Farmers' Welfare. She has developed 27 sugarcane varieties and registered 15 sugarcane genetic stocks in her 34 years of research experience in sugarcane genetic improvement, according to the statement.

DAILY UPDATE 3:INTERNATIONAL

Ghana Assumes Presidency Of UN Security Council:-

Ghana, a West African country took over the rotating monthly presidency of the United Nations Security Council. During the month of November 2022, Ghana will preside over Council meetings (adoptions, debates, and consultations) and, under its authority, will represent the Security Council as a United Nations organ. Ghana, in its capacity as President of the United Nations Security Council, is focusing on enhancing global peace and security for sustainable and inclusive development, particularly on the African continent.

DAILY UPDATE 4 : MISCELLANEOUS

Tata Steel Jamshedpur India’s First To Achieve ResponsibleSteelCertification:-

Tata Steel's Jamshedpur steel plant is the first in India to receive ResponsibleSteel certification. ResponsibleSteel is the steel industry's first global multi-stakeholder standard and certification initiative, collaborating with steel producers, consumers, and intermediaries to build a sustainable steel industry by addressing pressing issues such as climate change,

diversity, and human rights, among others. According to a company statement, the steelmaker "received ResponsibleSteel certification for three facilities in Jamshedpur."

DAILY UPDATE 5 :BOOKS

French Author Rene Naba Releases New Book "Nuclearization Of Asia":-

Rene Naba, a French author, has written a new bilingual book in both French and English titled "De la Nucléarisation de l'Asie" (Nuclearization of Asia). The book published by Golias was released at the Geneva Press Club. The book discusses the nuclear emergency and threat posed by Pakistan and China's relationship. René Naba has written two books about Asia. The first book in French on Pakistan's strategic mutation, published by Golias 2018 "Pakistan facing the challenge of the post-Western world and Eurasia".

DAILY UPDATE 6 :SCHEMES AND COMMITTEES

Income Tax Department
Government of India

HARIT Aaykar Initiative By Income Tax Department:-

On the occasion of National Unity Day, the Income Tax Department launched the HARIT (Hariyali Achievement Resolution by Income Tax) Aaykar initiative to increase greenery and create micro forests. The Department intends to increase green cover by planting trees and creating micro-forests in and around Income Tax Department buildings and

other public areas as part of this initiative. To further support this initiative, the Department would continue to greet dignitaries with potted plants or a single stalk of a flower at events and programmesorganised by it.

DAILY UPDATE 7 : AWARDS

Puneeth Rajkumar Conferred 'Karnataka Ratna' Posthumously:-

On the occasion of the 67th Kannada Rajyotsava, the Karnataka government posthumously bestowed the state's highest civilian award, the 'Karnataka Ratna,' on late actor Puneeth Rajkumar. Ashwini Puneeth Rajkumar, the late actor's wife, accepted the award, which included a full silver plaque and a 50-gram gold medal. The actor, who died of a heart attack last year, is the ninth recipient of the prestigious award. Dr VeerendraHeggade was last to receive the Karnataka Ratna for his social service in 2009.

DAILY UPDATE 8 :SUMMITS AND CONFERENCES

Goa Hosts Civil Air Navigation Services Organisation Asia Pacific Conference:-

The Airports Authority of India hosted a three-day Civil Air Navigation Services Organisation (CANSO) Conference in Goa with the theme 'Think Global, Collaborate Regional, Accomplish Local'.Across the three days, delegates and exhibitors from the Asia Pacific region and beyond discussed and collaborated on the key issues that will help shape the future of

Asia's aviation industry and turn the Complete Air Traffic System (CATS) Global Council's vision for the skies of 2045 into a reality.

DAILY UPDATE 9 :ECONOMY

GST Collection Over Rs 1.51 Trillion In October: 2nd Highest Ever:-

In October, the government collected Rs 1.52 trillion in goods and services tax (GST), a 16.6 percent increase year on year, owing to festival-related spending, higher tax rates, and improved compliance. This was the second-highest monthly collection since the indirect tax regime was implemented in July 2017. In April, GST collection reached a new high of Rs 1.67 trillion."This is the ninth month —and the eighth month in a row — that monthly GST revenue has been more than Rs 1.4 trillion," the ministry said.

DAILY UPDATE 10 :AGREEMENT

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EXPORT-IMPORT BANK OF INDIA

Indian Exim Bank Inks Pact With Southern Africa's Leading Bank To Boost India-Africa Trade:-

The Export-Import Bank of India (India Exim Bank) has signed a Master Risk Participation Agreement with FirstRand Bank (FRB) Limited to support trade transactions. The agreement was signed on the sidelines of the India-Southern Africa Regional Conclave in Johannesburg. The agreement establishes financing channels to support trade between India and Africa, with the goal of strengthening India's growing economic engagement with African nations. The agreement was signed as part of the Trade Assistance Programme, India Exim Bank's most recent trade facilitation initiative.