

DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS UPDATES - 07 April 2023

DAILY UPDATE 1: IMPORTANT DAY



World Health Day: 07 April:-

World Health Day is celebrated on April 7. The World Health Organization held its first Health Assembly in 1948. It was decided in 1950 that April 7 would be observed as World Health Day. This day not only commemorates the founding of the WHO, but it also draws global attention to healthcare. According to the WHO, avoidable environmental causes cause more than 13 million deaths worldwide each year. The World Health Organization manages several programmes and arrangements on this day. This year, the theme for World Health Day is 'Health for All'.

DAILY UPDATE 2: SUMMITS AND CONFERENCES



India Visit Of Bhutanese King From April 3-5:-

Bhutanese King Jigme KhesarNamgyelWangchuckwas on a three-day visit to India from April 3. President DroupadiMurmu and Prime Minister Narendra Modi met with the King. Wangchuck was accompanied by Bhutanese Minister for Foreign Affairs and External Trade Tandi Dorji and senior Royal government officials, according to the



Ministry of External Affairs (MEA). It stated that the King's visit was in keeping with the two countries' long-standing tradition of regular high-level exchanges.

DAILY UPDATE 3:SUMMITS AND CONFERENCES



Naveen Patnaik To Visit Japan To Attract Investments To Odisha:-

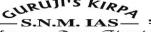
Chief Minister of Odisha Naveen Patnaik will visit Japan soon to seek investment. Pratap Keshari Deb, minister of industries and micro, small, and medium enterprises, announced this in the Assembly. He said: "A delegation led by the chief minister will visit Japan to bring investments to the state. During Naveen's Dubai visit, we had been able to attract investment to the tune of Rs 22,000 crore. We are hopeful to attract more investment than we received during our Dubai visit." During the visit, CM is likely to attend several programmes in Tokyo, Kyoto and Osaka.

DAILY UPDATE 4: BOOKS



Haryana CM Manohar Lal Khattar releases coffee table book 'Sikh Business Leaders of India':-

At a function in Delhi, Haryana Chief Minister Manohar Lal Khattar released a coffee table book titled 'Sikh Business Leaders of India,' authored by Dr Prabhleen. "The government has created a single roof system, under which all types of clearances to industries are given in 45 days. The power supply situation is also comfortable now "he said. On the



occasion, Khattar invited the industrialists in the audience to establish businesses in the state, saying that the government has created a favourable environment and is providing various facilities.

DAILY UPDATE 5: OBITUARIES



Former cricketer Salim DuraniPasses Away At 88:-

Salim Durani, a former India all-rounder, died recently at his Jamnagar home. He was 88. Durani took 75 wickets in 29 Tests for India, with the best bowling figure of 10 for 177. The former all-rounder is best known for his heroic performance in India's series victory over England in 1961-62. He scored 1202 runs with the bat, with the highest score of 104 against the West Indies. In 1973, the star cricketer dabbled in Bollywood, starring opposite renowned actor Praveen Babi in the film Charitra.

DAILY UPDATE 6: MISCELLANEOUS



SBI Announces Donation Of Rs 48 Lakh For Tree Plantation:-

As part of its corporate social responsibility, the State Bank of India has announced a donation of Rs 48 lakh for the planting of 32,000 tree saplings at Garden City University in Bengaluru in collaboration with an NGO, That's Eco Foundation. The project is being carried out using the Miyawaki Technique. Miyawaki is a technique developed by



Japanese botanist Akira Miyawaki that aids in the development of dense, native forests. This results in 10 times faster plant growth and a plantation that is 30 times denser than usual.

DAILY UPDATE 7: APPOINTMENT



SpiceJet's Ajay Singh Takes Over As ASSOCHAM President:-

Ajay Singh, the CEO of SpiceJet, has been elected President of the Associated Chambers of Commerce and Industry of India (ASSOCHAM). He earned a bachelor's degree in engineering from the Indian Institute of Technology in Delhi and a master's degree in business administration from Cornell University in the United States. Singh succeeds Sumant Sinha, the former Managing Director of Renew Power, who has left the chamber. Sanjay Nayar, the Founder and Chairman of Sorin Investment Fund, has been appointed as ASSOCHAM's new Senior Vice-President.

DAILY UPDATE 8 :SUMMITS AND CONFERENCES



601st Meeting Of Central Board of Directors Of The Reserve Bank Of India:-

At Hyderabad under the chairmanship of Governor Shaktikanta Das the 601st meeting of the Central Board of Directors of Reserve Bank of India (RBI) was held. "The board in its meeting reviewed the global and domestic economic situation and associated challenges, including the impact of current global geopolitical developments," RBI said in a



statement. Further, it said, the board discussed RBI's activities during the current accounting year 2022-23. The board also approved the budget for the accounting year 2023-24.

DAILY UPDATE 9: ECONOMY



India's Overall Exports Cross All Time High Of 750 Billion US Dollars:-

According to Commerce and Industry Minister Piyush Goyal, India's total exports have surpassed 750 billion US dollars. Mr. Goyal stated at the ASSOCHAM Annual Session 2023 in New Delhi that there has been healthy growth in both the merchandise and service sectors. Minister Piyush Goyal went on to say that the G20 presidency has provided India with a unique opportunity to position itself globally, which must be capitalised on by industry and businesspeople to showcase India's business around the world.

DAILY UPDATE 10 : ECONOMY



Government Imposes Surcharge For Google Pay And Other Payment Apps:-

The National Payments Corporation of India (NPCI) issued a circular proposing "Prepaid Payment Instruments (PPI)" fees on merchant transactions via the Unified Payments Interface (UPI). The UPI payment system's governing body also stated that PPI fees would be levied on UPI transactions exceeding ₹ 2,000. The interchange will be 1.1% of the transaction value. The NPCI has clarified, however, that there will be no charges for bank account to bank account UPI payments or normal UPI payments.