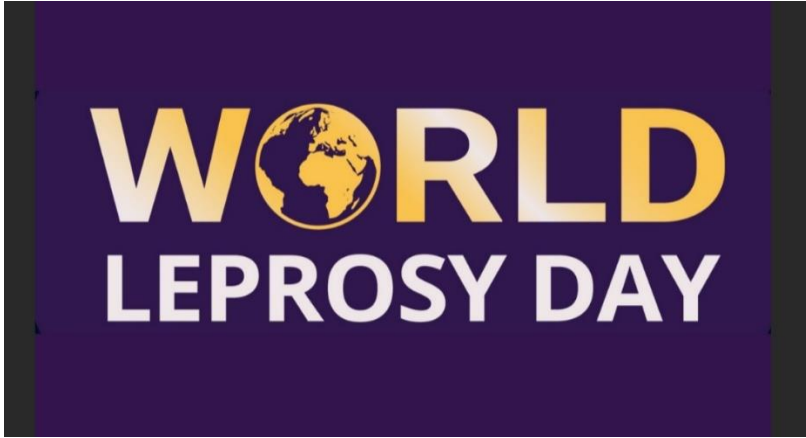


DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS UPDATES - 29 January 2023

DAILY UPDATE 1 :IMPORTANT DAY



World Leprosy Day2023 :29 January:-

The last Sunday of January is designated as World Leprosy Day (WLD). It is observed on January 30th in India. World Leprosy Day will be observed on January 29, 2023. Raoul Follereau, a French philanthropist, founded World Leprosy Day in 1954. The primary goal was to raise awareness about leprosy and educate people about this ancient disease that is now easily curable. People all over the world are unaware of the disease, and there is a lack of access to basic medical care, as well as a persistent stigma surrounding the illness. The theme of World Leprosy Day 2023 is "Act Now. End Leprosy."

DAILY UPDATE 2 :AWARD



GMR Goa International Airport Wins Best Sustainable Greenfield Airport Award:-

GMR Goa International Airport (GGIAL), a subsidiary of GMR Airports Infrastructure, has won the ASSOCHAM's 14th International Conference-cum-Awards for Civil Aviation 2023 award for 'Best Sustainable Greenfield Airport' in the category of aviation sustainability and environment. The award was given to GGIAL for its "excellent initiatives" in

implementing sustainability as one of its core concepts. In the presence of industry dignitaries and participants, Union Minister of Civil Aviation Jyotiraditya Scindia presented the award to senior officials from GGIAL.

DAILY UPDATE 3: INTERNATIONAL



UN General Assembly Adopts Indian Co-Sponsored Resolution On 'Education For Democracy':-

The United Nations General Assembly (UNGA) passes the 'Education for Democracy' resolution, which India supported. The resolution was adopted unanimously and without a vote by the Assembly on January 18. The resolution strongly encouraged Member States and other stakeholders to incorporate education for democracy into their education standards, according to a statement issued by the United Nations General Assembly (UNGA). Furthermore, the resolution emphasised that states should collaborate with relevant stakeholders to close digital divides.

DAILY UPDATE 4 : INTERNATIONAL



India-Bangladesh Friendship Pipeline To Begin Supplying Diesel:-

According to State Minister for Power Nasrul Hamid, the India-Bangladesh Friendship Pipeline (IBFPL) will begin supplying diesel to Bangladesh on an experimental basis in June of this year. In response to a written question in Dhaka's national parliament, JatiyaSangsad, Nasrul Hamid stated that a 131.5-kilometer-long pipeline has been built to import

diesel from India. The international pipeline will carry diesel from the Siliguri based marketing terminal of the Numaligarh Refinery Limited to Parbatipur depot of Bangladesh Petroleum Corporation (BPC).

DAILY UPDATE 5 :INTERNATIONAL



Vietnam President Nguyen Xuan Phuc Announces Resignation:-

In Vietnam, President Nguyen Xuan Phuc has resigned amid an ongoing anti-corruption campaign. In Vietnam, the anti-corruption campaign has resulted in the dismissal of several ministers. Previously, two deputy prime ministers who served under President Phuc resigned. Former Prime Minister Phuc has been president since 2021. The 69-year-old served as Vietnam's prime minister from 2016 until April 2021, when he was elected president. In the country, two former deputy prime ministers, two ministers, and other officials are facing criminal charges.

DAILY UPDATE 6 :RANK AND REPORT



India To Become \$26 Trillion Economy By 2047: EY Report:-

According to an EY (Ernst & Young) report, the Indian economy is very likely to reach \$26 trillion by 2047, which will also be the 100th year of India's independence. According to the report, the country's per capita income will exceed \$15,000, placing it among the top developed economies. It also stated that even if India maintains a stable but modest growth

rate of 6% per year, it will be able to become a \$26 trillion economy (in nominal terms) by 2047-48, with per capita income reaching six times current levels.

DAILY UPDATE 7 : STATE



Rare 'Orange Bat' Spotted In Bastar's Kanger Valley National Park In Chhattisgarh:-

According to officials, a rare orange-colored bat, also known as a 'painted bat' and distinguished by bright orange and black wings, was spotted at a banana plantation in ParaliBodal village of Chhattisgarh's Kanger Valley National Park in Bastar. Its scientific name is 'Kerivoulapicta,' according to Kanger Nation Park director Dhammshil Ganvir. "It is generally found in Bangladesh, Brunei, Burma, Cambodia, China, Indonesia, Malaysia, Nepal, Sri Lanka, Thailand and Vietnam. In India, it has already been spotted in the Western Ghats, Kerala, Maharashtra and Odisha, and now Chhattisgarh," Ganvir said.

DAILY UPDATE 8 : RANK AND REPORT



Mukesh Ambani Number 1 Among Indians And 2 Globally On Brand Guardianship Index:-

Mukesh Ambani, Chairman and Managing Director of Reliance Industries, has been ranked No. 2 globally and No. 1 among Indians in Brand Finance's Brand Guardianship Index 2023. According to a statement, Mukesh Ambani received a BGI score of 81.7 in Brand Finance's survey. According to the list, Ambani was ranked ahead of global titans such as

Microsoft's Satya Nadella, Google's Sundar Pichai, Apple's Tim Cook, and Tencent's Huateng Ma, as well as fellow Indians such as N Chandrasekaran of Tata Group, Anand Mahindra, and Sunil Bharti Mittal.

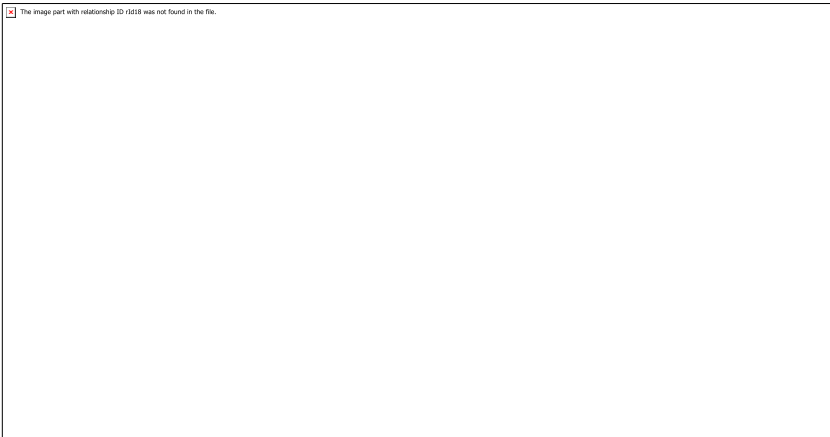
DAILY UPDATE 9 :INTERNATIONAL



Nepalese Dr SandukRuit Wins Bahrain's ISA Award For Service To Humanity:-

Dr. SandukRuit, co-founder of the Himalayan Cataract Project, has received the ISA Award for Service to Humanity, Bahrain's highest civilian honour. The award includes a cash prize of one million dollars, a certificate of merit, and a gold medal. Dr. Ruit is a trailblazer in providing high-quality microsurgical procedures in remote eye camps. He made modern eye care affordable and accessible to Asian, African, and Latin American countries. He is known as the "God of Sight" because he saved the sight of 1,20,000 people who would have gone blind if he had not received treatment.

DAILY UPDATE 10 :STATE



Kerala Higher Education Minister Allows 60 Days Maternity Leave For Female Students:-

According to Kerala Chief Minister Pinarayi Vijayan, menstrual and maternity leave will be provided to all female students in all institutions under the control of the state government's higher education department, in a first for the country. Kerala Higher Education Minister R Bindu said "Girl students above 18 years of age can get a maximum of 60

days of maternity leave. The required attendance percentage for women students will be 73 per cent, including the menstrual leave, as against 75 per cent earlier. The order has been issued in this regard."