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1.) Which state has been invited to participate in the virtually International Seed conference organized by the Food and Agriculture organization ?

किस राज्य को खाद्य एवं कृषि संगठन द्वारा आयोजित वस्तुतः अंतर्राष्ट्रीय बीज सम्मेलन में भाग लेने के लिए आमंत्रित किया गया है?

- a) Ladakh
- b) Telangana
- c) Gujarat
- d) Assam

Answer : Telangana

Explanation : International Seed Conference is a two-day conference. It will be held on November 4 & November 5, 2021 in Rome. The conference is being organised to discuss development of seed industry. FAO is a specialized agency of the United Nations. It makes effort to defeat hunger and improve nutrition & food security. It was founded in October 1945. FAO comprises of 197 member states. Its headquarter is in Rome, Italy. The organisation also maintains regional & field offices across the world. It is operating in 130 countries

FAO help governments and development agencies to coordinate their activities in order to improve and develop fisheries, agriculture, forestry, and land & water resources. It also conducts research and provides technical assistance to projects and collects data on agricultural output, production & development.

2.) Which of these countries has recently announced a ban on the use of foreign currencies ?

इनमें से किस देश ने हाल ही में विदेशी मुद्राओं के उपयोग पर प्रतिबंध लगाने की घोषणा की है?

- a) Pakistan

b) Afghanistan

c) Japan

d) China

Answer : Afghanistan

Explanation : The Taliban announced that anyone using foreign currency for domestic business would be prosecuted, despite Afghanistan's shortage of cash and the national currency's depreciation since the Taliban takeover. Since the terrorist group seized power in mid-August, the national currency the Afghani has depreciated and the country's reserves are frozen abroad. With the economy teetering banks are running short of cash and the international community has so far refused to recognise the Taliban administration as a government. Meanwhile, many transactions inside the country are conducted in US dollars, and in areas close to southern border trade routes Pakistani rupees are used.

3.) Union Home minister Amit Shah has launched "Ayushman CAPF Health card" for which of the following ?

केंद्रीय गृह मंत्री अमित शाह ने निम्नलिखित में से किसके लिए "आयुष्मान सीएपीएफ हेल्थ कार्ड" लॉन्च किया है?

a) Central Armed Police Forces Personnel

b) Judges

c) Railway Employees

d) All

Answer : Central Armed Police Forces Personnel

Explanation : Ayushman Bharat Central Armed Police Force (CAPF) Healthcare is a joint initiative by Home Ministry and the National Health Authority (NHA) aiming to provide paperless and free medical treatment at enrolled hospitals along with access to health services to the CAPF personnel across the country.

The beneficiaries of the Ayushman Scheme can collect Ayushman Bharat CAPF online cards from their respective forces. These cards will provide benefits in private hospitals along with government-approved ID, Adhaar card, and a copy of the service ID.

The Ayushman Bharat Scheme was launched first on 23 January 2020 in Assam. It is aimed to include officials, personnel serving and their dependents from 7 forces as Central Industrial Security Force (CISF), Assam Rifles, Sashastra Seema Bal (SSB), Indo-Tibetan Border Police (ITBP), National Security Guard (NSG), Central Reserve Police Force (CRPF), Border Security Force (BSF). The benefits of the Ayushman Bharat Healthcare Scheme will be made available through the Ayushman Bharat PM-JAY IT platform.

4.) Which bank has tied up with the Indian Navy to offer "Power Salute" ?

किस बैंक ने "पावर सैल्यूट" देने के लिए भारतीय नौसेना के साथ समझौता किया है?

- a) Axis Bank
- b) Punjab National Bank
- c) HDFC Bank
- d) None of these

Answer : Axis Bank

Explanation : The name of the defence service salary package is Power Salute. Under the Power Salute, the bank will provide various benefits to all ranks of the Indian Navy, veterans, and cadets. The benefit includes personal accident cover of up to Rs 56 lakh, Rs 8 lakh children education grant, Rs 46 lakh total permanent disability cover, partial permanent disability cover upto Rs 46 lakh, and Rs 1 crore air accident cover. The Power Salute does not charge any processing fees and offers 12 EMI waivers on home loans.

5.) Which of the social media company has decided to discontinue the Face Recognition system ?

किस सोशल मीडिया कंपनी ने फेस रिकग्निशन सिस्टम को बंद करने का फैसला किया है?

- a) Facebook
- b) Snapchat
- c) Twitter
- d) Tinder

Answer : Facebook

Explanation : Facebook Inc. (FB) announced that it plans to stop using the facial recognition software, which could easily identify people in photos and videos posted on the social media platform. This is a major shift for the company, which is famous for collecting lots of information about its users.

The company, which recently changed its name to Meta, said that it will also delete all the information it has collected over the years using this software. All this information is related to more than a billion people's faces.

6.) In which state will the National Tribal Dance festival 2021 be organized ?

राष्ट्रीय जनजातीय नृत्य उत्सव 2021 किस राज्य में आयोजित किया जाएगा?

- a) Jharkhand
- b) Chhattisgarh
- c) Tripura
- d) None of these

Answer : Chhattisgarh

Explanation : Jharkhand Chief Minister Hemant Soren, Punjab Chief Minister Charanjit Singh Channi and a host of other Congress leaders will be among those who will attend the inauguration ceremony of the National Tribal Dance Festival and Rajyotsava 2021 in

Raipur. Chhattisgarh CM Bhupesh Baghel and Governor Anusuiya Uikey the chief guests at the programme. Tribal artists from countries such as the Kingdom of Eswatini, Uzbekistan, Nigeria, Sri Lanka, Uganda, Syria, Mali and Palestine will also be a part of the event. The three-day event witness participation by dance groups and performers from various states and union territories who will be portraying the tribal cultures of their respective regions through performances.

7.) Which of the following has recently cleared acquisition proposals worth Rs 7965 crore for the modernization and operational needs of the armed forces ?

निम्नलिखित में से किसने हाल ही में सशस्त्र बलों के आधुनिकीकरण और परिचालन आवश्यकताओं के लिए 7965 करोड़ रुपये के अधिग्रहण प्रस्तावों को मंजूरी दी है?

- a) NITI Aayog
- b) Defence Acquisition council
- c) Tribal Ministry
- d) None of these

Answer : Defence Acquisition council

Explanation : The Defence Ministry approved the procurement of arms and military equipment worth Rs 7,965 crore, including 12 light utility helicopters from Hindustan Aeronautics Limited

The procurement proposals were approved at a meeting of the Defence Acquisition Council (DAC), the ministry's highest decision-making body on the matter.

The Defence Acquisition Council (DAC), in its meeting of November 2, 2021, held under the chairmanship of Raksha Mantri Rajnath Singh, accorded Acceptance of Necessity for capital acquisition proposals for modernisation.

8.) Which state government has launched “Uttam Beej portal” ?

किस राज्य सरकार ने "उत्तम बीज पोर्टल" लॉन्च किया है?

- a) Punjab
- b) Rajasthan
- c) Haryana
- d) None of these

Answer : Haryana

Explanation : Manohar Lal Khattar, the Chief Minister of Haryana, has established the 'Uttam Beej portal,' which will aid Haryana

farmers by offering excellent seeds with transparency.

The portal will ensure the quality of certified seeds by providing transparency into the seed production program organized by both the government and private seed generating institutions. Meri Fasal Mera Byora Portal and Family Identity Card ID have been linked to his seed portal.

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