

1. **Kishan Reddy** to Inaugurate **175th Foundation Day** Celebrations of Geological Survey of **India at Kolkata**
2. **JP Nadda** inaugurates 9th National Health Mission Summit in **Puri**
3. Govt allows **Aadhaar face authentication** in private apps to ease service access
4. **EPFO** retains interest rate on PF deposits at **8.25 percent** for 2024-25
5. **Jahan-e-Khusrau festival** marks 25 years
6. Army Chief Gen Upendra Dwivedi Honours WWI Indian Soldiers at **NeuveChapelle Memorial in France**
7. Mizoram launches Women Entrepreneurship Platform, **first in NE**
8. **Maharashtra** govt collaborates with Meta to launch WhatsApp-based citizen services
9. Amit Shah inaugurate Workshop on **Sustainable Dairy Sector in New Delhi**
10. **NHRC & MEA** to Host **ITEC** Executive Programme on Human Rights for Global South in **New Delhi**
11. PM Modi chaired **NBWL** meeting at Sasan Gir on **World Wildlife Day**
12. **Tesla** to open India's first showroom at **Maker Maxity** in **BKC Mumbai**
13. **NITI Aayog** launches report on "From Borrowers to Builders: Women's Role in India's Financial Growth Story"
14. Govt grants **Navratna status** to **IRCTC and IRFC**
15. **15th Finance Commission** Releases Grants worth 699 Crores for Rural Local Bodies of **West Bengal**
16. **India and Nepal** Sign MoU to Strengthen Cooperation in Water, Sanitation, and Hygiene (**WASH**) Sector
17. PM Modi inaugurates Vantara in Jamnagar, feeds lion cubs, giraffes
18. **India's river dolphin** population stands at 6,327, survey finds
19. **Uttarakhand** Cabinet approves implementation of **Unified Pension Scheme**
20. Ambuja Cements gets CCI nod for **72.8% stake** acquisition in Orient Cement
21. Cabinet approves development of **Ropeway Project** from Sonprayag to Kedarnath in **Uttarakhand**

22. Cabinet nod to livestock disease control programme with Rs 3,880 **Crore** **lay**
23. CCI approves Shell's 100% acquisition of **Raj Petro Specialities**
24. Govt launched model **women-friendly gram panchayats** nationwide
25. **Cheetah** reintroduction plan to be expanded to **Gujarat**
26. **Tata Motors** begins India's first hydrogen truck trials for **net-zero goal**
27. Sahitya Akademi organised "**Festival of Letters**" **2025** at Rabindra Bhavan in **New Delhi** from 7-12 March 2025
28. Bhupender Yadav inaugurates **World Sustainable Development Summit 2025**
29. Donald Trump declared **English** as official language of **United States**
30. **India** ranks **4th globally** with 85,698 super rich, behind US, China and Japan
31. **SIDBI** signs MoU with Tata Capital Limited to strengthen financing avenues for **MSMEs**
32. **RBI** imposes penalty on HSBC, IIFL Samasta Finance for violating norms
33. SEBI introduces '**Bond Central**' to boost transparency in India's corporate bond market
34. **India** Retains Fastest-Growing Economy Tag with **6.2% GDP** Growth in **Q3 FY25**
35. **TCS** extends partnership with Norway's DNB Bank ASA for 5 years
36. **India's** core sectors' output grew **4.6% in January**
37. **GST** collections jump 9.1% in Feb to ₹1.84 lakh crore
38. **World Bank:** India needs 7.8 % growth to become **Viksit Bharat by 2047**
39. **UPI** posts **5% dip** in volume to 16.11 billion, 7% in value in February
40. **CUB-CSK co-branded credit card** launched with sports and lifestyle perks
41. **SEBI** permits all NBFCs, HFCs to invest in security receipts by ARCs
42. **Magma GI** partners with Hyundai India Insurance Broking for vehicle coverage
43. Crisil projects **FY26 GDP growth** to be steady at **6.5%**
44. IOB bank user can access Housing Loan Interest Certificate on **DigiLocker**
45. **Poonawalla Fincorp** launches digital personal loan for salaried professionals

46. ICICI Prudential launches '**Pru GIFT Select**' for guaranteed income
47. **Paytm** introduces UPI Trading Blocks with auto payment from bank accounts
48. **Jio Financial** buys out SBI's stake in payments bank JV
49. SEBI's total income rises **48%** to ₹2,075 crore in 2023-24
50. CredResolve Secures \$1.1 Million in Seed Funding Led by **UNLEASH Capital** to Revolutionize Debt Recovery with AI
51. SBI Life appoints Dorababu Daparti as Deputy CEO
52. **Manan Kumar Mishra** re-elected as Chairman of Bar Council of India
53. Economic Affairs Secretary **Ajay Seth** gets additional charge of Revenue Department
54. Levi's ropes in Diljit Dosanjh as **global ambassador**
55. **Christian Stocker** becomes Austrian chancellor as three-party gov't sworn in
56. Dr Mayank Sharma takes charge as **Controller General of Defence Accounts**
57. **RBL Bank** appoints Agrawal as president of branch banking, T S Pari as COO
58. **MRF** appoints Shubman Gill as brand ambassador
59. RBI appoints **Ajit Ratnakar Joshi** as Executive Director
60. **Ajay Bhadoo** appointed as CEO of Government e Marketplace
61. ICC chairman Jay Shah conferred with Icon of Excellence award at **FILA 2025**
62. **97th Academy Awards** announced
63. **Rishabh Pant** nominated for Laureus World Comeback of the Year Award
64. Chinese Architect **Liu Jiakun** Receives the **2025 Pritzker Architecture Prize**
65. Suborno Bose Receives **Lifetime Achievement Award** for Hospitality and Education
66. PM Modi conferred '**Honorary Order of Freedom of Barbados**'
67. Garden Reach Shipbuilders and Engineers (GRSE) Signs Landmark MoU with Army for Modular Steel Bridge in **Arunachal Pradesh**
68. **John Cockerill Defence (JCD)** ties up with Electro Pneumatics & Hydraulics (EPH) to manufacture tank turrets

- 69. Chile Open 2025:** Indian-Colombian duo, Rithvik Choudary & Nicolás Barrientos claim men's doubles title
- Tennis:** Brandon Holt wins Bengaluru Open Title, Beats Shintaro Mochizuki in Final Vidarbha clinch **third title of Ranji Trophy**
- 70.** Kohli becomes seventh Indian player to play **300 ODIs**
- 71.** Krishna Jayasankar becomes **1st Indian woman to cross 16m** in indoor shot put
- 72. Tennis:** Brandon Holt wins Bengaluru Open Title, Beats Shintaro Mochizuki in Final
- 73.** Table Tennis legend **A. Sharath Kamal** announces retirement
- 74.** Steve Smith retires from **ODI cricket**
- 75. Veteran Odia** actor Uttam Mohanty dies at 66
- 76. Oldest Test Cricketer** Ron Draper Dies In South Africa
- 77. Padmakar Shivalkar**, legendary Mumbai spinner, dies
- 78. Karnataka** to rename Bengaluru City University after Manmohan Singh in his honour
- 79. DPIIT and Mercedes-Benz** India sign MoU to boost manufacturing, road safety, and sustainability
- 80. CIL** joins hands with IIT, Hyderabad for R&D in clean coal tech
- 81.** Govt notifies scheme to make cooperative sugar mills loan eligible
- 82. Ajay Devgn** launches '**Prismix**,' an AI-driven media company to revolutionize content creation
- 83.** Ola Electric becomes **first 2W EV** manufacturer to bag PLI incentives
- 84.** Jayant Chaudhary launches **Swavalambini**, a Women Entrepreneurship Programme
- 85. National Dairy Development Board (NDDB)** ties up with NGO for setting up 10,000 biogas plants across 15 states
- 86.** Delhi Cabinet Approves Rs **2,500 Monthly** Cash Scheme for Women
- 87.** Madhav National Park in **Madhya Pradesh** becomes India's 58th Tiger Reserve
- 88. ICMR** launches patent filing support initiative to boost **biomedical innovations in India**
- 89.** Union minister Annapurna Devi to lead India's delegation at Commission on **Status of Women** at UN

- 90.** Assam to launch its satellite, talks on with **ISRO for ASSAMSAT project**
- 91. PM Surya Ghar:** Muft Bijli Yojana Crosses Milestone of 10 Lakh Installations ambitiousbaba.com Online Test Series
- 92. India** signs MoU for development of state-of-the-art multi-modal logistics park in **Varanasi**
- 93.** Central Council for Research in Homoeopathy and Adamas University Sign MoU to **Advance Homoeopathy Research**
- 94. Odisha** govt disburses ₹5,000 cr under Subhadra Yojana
- 95.** Maharashtra Disburses ₹17,000 Crore to 2.38 Crore Women Under **Majhi Ladki Bahin Yojana**
- 96. Punjab** Govt launches Project Hifazat to protect women
- 97.** Centre bans **Awami Action Committee**, J&K Ittihadul Muslimeen for 5 years
- 98. Department of Biotechnology and Assam** Govt Sign Historic MoU for CentreState Partnership
- 99. India** takes part in the 69th Session of UNCSW starting in **New York**
- 100.** Agricultural and Processed Food Products Export Development Authority (**APEDA**) Showcases India's Agricultural and Processed Food Excellence at the 39th Edition of **AAHAR 2025**
- 101.** Department of Posts Signs MoU with FSID, IISC, for documentation of Technology Architecture for **Digital Address DPI**
- 102.** '**Gyan Bharatam Mission,**' a visionary initiative aimed at expanding access to India's vast repository of knowledge
- 103.** Govt introduces third edition of **PM-YUVA** for aspiring writers
- 104. India** signs MoU with Armenia for cooperation in field of medical products regulation
- 105.** Jio Partners with **SpaceX** to Bring Starlink Internet to India
- 106.** Bharti Airtel transfers **69.94% stake** in Airtel Payments bank to Airtel
- 107. Ayushman Bharat** scheme expands to Delhi, millions to get Rs 5 lakh cover
- 108. LIC** Ranked **World's 3rd Strongest** Insurance Brand
- 109.** INS Imphal to participate in **Mauritius National Day** celebrations 2025

110. ICC takes custody of former **Philippine President Rodrigo Duterte** in crimes against humanity case
111. UN chief launched '**UN80 Initiative**' to improve efficiencies amid shrinking resources, uncertainty
112. **HDFC Bank** launches Project HAKK to support IAF veterans  
ambitiousbaba.com Online Test Series
113. **PhonePe** launches 'Insuring HEROES' campaign for International Women's Day
114. SIDBI, Federal Bank join hands to boost **MSME financing**
115. **Razorpay** Takes Over Singapore Fintech Giant Slashes Payment Costs by 40%
116. **GST Council** constitute GoM to examine levy of natural calamity cess by a particular state
117. SBI launches collateral **free digital SME** loan for women entrepreneurs
118. **Canara HSBC Life Insurance Partners** with GIC Housing Finance for Home Loan Security
119. **Bank of Baroda** launches first savings account for women NRIs
120. Axis Bank executes aircraft financing deal from **GIFT City IFSC unit**
121. SBI Life Insurance expands product line with **two new Child Insurance Plans**
122. **Reserve Bank Innovation Hub (RBIH)** Launches DesignShaalā™ to Drive Financial Innovation Through Human-Centered Design
123. Avanse Financial Unveils '**SWALAKSH**'—A Special Education Loan for Women
124. RBI Inaugurates Digital Payments Awareness Week 2025 to Promote Safe and **Inclusive Digital Transactions**
125. Finance Ministry notifies **10-year Zero Coupon** Bond of Power Finance Corporation
126. Retail inflation at 7-month low of **3.6%**
127. RBI to issue ₹100 and ₹200 banknotes with new **Governor's signature**
128. FM Nirmala Sitharaman launched **PM Internship Scheme** app  
Appointment and Resignation
129. Anju Rathi Rana Appointed as Secretary, **Department of Legal Affairs**

130. **BCCI** appoints Rajeev Shukla and Ashish Shelar to Asian Cricket Council Board
131. Vikas Kaushal appointed as **CMD** of Hindustan Petroleum Corporation (HPCL)
132. RBI approves one-year extension for **IndusInd Bank CEO** Sumant Kathpalia
133. **Federal Bank** appoints Vidya Balan as brand ambassador
134. Justice Bagchi appointed as SC judge, set to become **CJI in 2031**
135. Salman Khan joins this **small-cap FMCG** company as brand ambassador
136. Takashi Nakajima named new president & CEO of Honda Cars India
137. Former central banker **Mark Carney** to become Canada's next PM
138. Atul Kumar Goel assumes charge as **Chief Executive of IBA**
139. Arun Mammen elected as new Automotive Tyre Manufacturers' Association (ATMA) **chairman**
140. N G Subramaniam appointed as chairman of **Tata Communications board Awards**
141. **Nithin Kamath** Wins EY Entrepreneur of the Year 2024
142. PM Modi receives the highest Civilian Award of **Mauritius at the National Day** Celebrations
143. IIFA Awards celebrated its silver jubilee edition in **Jaipur**;
144. **Ministry of Defence** signs \$ 248 million Deal for procurement of engines for T-72 Tanks for Indian Army
145. **Russia** set to hold joint naval exercises with China, Iran in Indian Ocean
146. **India-Kyrgyzstan** joint military exercise **Khanjar-XII** begins in Tokmok
147. **Ministry of Defence** signs ₹2,906 crore radar contract with BEL for the **Indian Air Force**
148. Tejas fighter jet successfully test fires air-to-air **Astra missile Sports**
149. Sunil Chhetri returns to Indian team for **FIFA Window** matches
150. Mushfiquir Rahim Announces Retirement from **ODIs**
151. Siddhant Banthia and Alexander Donski clinch ATP Kigali Challenger title • Pranav Venkatesh becomes **World Junior Chess Champion 2025**

152. Indian Grandmaster **A Chithambaram** clinches Prague Masters **2025**  
**Chess** title
153. **India** triumph over New Zealand to win record **third ICC Champions**  
**Trophy**
154. Rohit Sharma becomes **2nd-most successful Indian** captain with two  
ICC titles
155. **World Para Athletics Grand Prix 2025** begins at Jawaharlal Nehru  
Stadium
156. CWG Federation rebranded as **Commonwealth Sport**
157. Shubman Gill and Alana King Shine named **ICC Men's Player** of the  
Month for February 2025
158. Legislative Department Releases Book on Women Members of the  
Constituent Assembly on International **Women's Day**
159. Former Supreme Court judge **V. Ramaswami** dead
160. Senior **BJD leader Ananta Das** passes away
161. **India, Mauritius** ink 8 MoUs to bolster strategic, economic relations
162. **India and Chile** 1st JWG meeting on Agriculture held
163. PM Modi Hands Over **Overseas Citizen Card** to **Mauritius**  
Counterpart
164. Govt announces 1-billion-dollar fund for creators' economy, ahead of  
**WAVES 2025**
165. Patil inaugurates **Water Sustainability Conference 2025**
166. **PB-SHABD**: Free subscription extended till March 2026 to support  
media organisations
167. PM Modi inaugurated **10th edition** of Raisina Dialogue in New Delhi
168. Mansukh Mandaviya inaugurates Fit **India Carnival in Delhi**
169. CCI approves acquisition of Uprising Science Private Limited by  
**Hindustan Unilever Limited**
170. **Meghalaya** inaugurates first scientific coal mine after nearly a decade  
long ban
171. FM Nirmala Sitharaman Launches Mobile App for **PM Internship**  
**Scheme**
172. Anupriya Patel inaugurates the **India Innovation Summit**

- 173. India and New Zealand** explore digital payments, trade, and investment ties
- 174.** Government sets up inter-ministerial-industry panel on fintech, **DFS Secretary M Nagaraju** to head Panel
- 175. Delhi** Police launches ‘**Shishtachar**’ anti-eve-teasing squad to ensure women’s safety
- 176.** Cabinet approves revised **₹2,790 crore dairy** development scheme to boost infrastructure
- 177.** Cabinet approves implementation of Revised **Rashtriya Gokul Mission** with enhanced allocation for 2024-25 and 2025-26
- 178.** Union Cabinet approves **new ammonia-urea** complex in **Assam**
- 179.** Cabinet approves Rs 1,500 crore incentive scheme to promote **low-value BHIM-UPI transactions**
- 180.** Cabinet approves construction of 6-lane high-speed highway in **Maharashtra**
- 181. AFMS, NIMHANS** sign MoU to boost mental health support for military personnel & families
- 182.** Annual Conference on **Anti-Doping Science** to spread awareness
- 183. DPIIT and Kyndryl Partner** to Drive Innovation in India’s Manufacturing and IT Startup Ecosystem
- 184. CSIR-IIIM & HAPICO** Industries Sign MoU for Collaborative Biopesticide Development
- 185. India to host third Central Asian youth** delegation under International Youth Exchange Programme International News
- 186. India** Participates in **353rd Governing Body Meeting** of International Labour Organisation in Geneva
- 187. World Happiness Report 2025:** Topped by Finland; India at 118th spot Banking and Financial
- 188.** Value attics Reinsurance set to become **India’s first private reinsurer**
- 189. India** to become **world’s third-largest economy by 2028:** Morgan Stanley
- 190.** YES Bank launches seamless **GST payment** facility for businesses and individuals

191. Infibeam partners with **Sutex Cooperative Bank** for enhancing net banking facility
192. Standard Chartered raises €1 billion via **first social bond**
193. **Piramal Finance** and Punjab & Sind Bank Join Hands to Expand Credit Access
194. **SATYA MicroCapital** unveils bold vision to empower 10 million households by **2030**
195. **HDFC Bank** is now accepting deposits under Senior Citizens' Savings Scheme
196. Wholesale price inflation rises to **38% in February**
197. Allianz exits Bajaj Insurance JVs after **24 years** in €2.6 billion sale
198. Muthoot Microfin wins Double Gold at **SKOCH Awards 2025**
199. **Canara Bank** becomes the first bank to introduce Online Digital Balance Confirmation Certificate
200. **RBI and Bank of Mauritius** sign pact on use of local currencies for bilateral transactions
201. RBI infuses **5 Lakh Crore** into Banking System
202. SBI Mutual Fund launches two new PSU bank-focused investment schemes
203. Flipkart's super.money Rises to Fifth Place in UPI Market, Overtaking **CRED**
204. RBI organises Annual Conference of the **RBI Ombudsmen**
205. **DPIIT and YES BANK** Partner to Strengthen India's Startup Ecosystem
206. DAC Approves ₹54,000 Crore Defence Deals to **Boost India's Military Might**
207. SEBI Slashes Minimum Investment in **Social Stock Exchange to ₹1,000**
208. SEBI Partners with **DigiLocker to Tackle Unclaimed Assets** in Securities Market
209. Fitch retains FY26 India growth at **5%**
210. IDFC FIRST Bank introduces "**Ace**" feature on its mobile app to provide 2500 plus MF options Appointment and Resignation

- 211.** Shivkumar Kalyanaraman assumes charge of CEO **Anusandhan National Research Foundation (ANRF)**
- 212.** **Stuart Young** to be sworn in as new Prime Minister of Trinidad and Tobago  
Tractors and Farm Equipment Limited (**TAFE**) appoints Lakshmi Venu as vice chairman
- 213.** Vikas Kaushal takes charge as **HPCL CMD**
- 214.** Bajaj Auto Reappoints Rajiv Bajaj as **MD & CEO**
- 215.** RBI Names Indranil Bhattacharyya as **New Executive Director**
- 216.** **Mythili Balasubramanian** Named Interim MD & CEO of Edelweiss ARC
- 217.** **Deena Mehta** Re-Appointed as Independent Director of Fino Payments Bank
- 218.** Kirsty Coventry becomes **1st female president** of IOC Awards
- 219.** RBI awarded **Digital Transformation Award 2025** for digital initiatives
- 220.** **Bengaluru Airport** wins air service quality award for third year running
- 221.** Hydrologist Günter Blöschl wins **2025 Stockholm Water Prize**
- 222.** Sustainable Eri Silk from Northeast India Secures Global Recognition with **Oeko-Tex Certification** from **Germany**
- 223.** **Veteran Sculptor** Ram Sutar Chosen for Maharashtra Bhushan Award 2024 Science
- 224.** Google brings Gemma 3 open model to compete with **Meta's Llama, DeepSeek V3 Defence**
- 225.** INS Ranvir participâtes in **Exercice Bongosagar 2025**
- 226.** **India and France** to Strengthen Naval Ties with VARUNA 2025 Exercise in Arabian Sea Sports
- 227.** **Jharkhand** crowned 15th Hockey India Senior Women National Champion
- 228.** **India Masters** beat West Indies Masters by 6 wickets to clinch International Masters **League T20 title**
- 229.** **Kabaddi World Cup 2025** begins in **England**
- 230.** **India** concludes Special Olympics Winter Games with **33 medals**

- 231. IOC Board approves boxing for inclusion in 2028 Los Angeles Olympic Games**
- 232. India secures 33 medals at Special Olympics World Winter Games 2025**
- 233. Australian GP 2025: McLaren's Norris wins F1 season opener**
- 234. India to host 11th Asian Swimming Championship in Ahmedabad**
- 235. Former Indian All-Rounder Syed Abid Ali Passes Away**
- 236. Renowned Odia poet Padma Bhushan Ramakanta Rath passes away**
- 237. Jal Shakti Minister Launches 'Catch the Rain 2025' Campaign in Haryana**
- 238. President Murmu attends Purple Fest 2025 at Rashtrapati Bhavan**
- 239. In a first, Muzaffarnagar's GI-tagged jaggery exported to neighboring Bangladesh**
- 240. Anthurium flowers from Mizoram go beyond borders, exported first time to Singapore**
- 241. C-DOT Partners With IIT Delhi To Develop AI-Powered Chatbot for Disaster Communication**
- 242. SECL's CSR Scheme 'SECL Ke Sushrut' Becomes First Coal PSU Initiative Listed on DBT Portal**
- 243. Central government launches BioSaarthi to support Biotech Startups**
- 244. Punjab Assembly 1st in India to broadcast proceeding in sign language**
- 245. Central govt employees can opt for Unified Pension Scheme till June 30**
- 246. BHEL Secures ₹7,500 Crore Order for 800 MW Thermal Unit at Ukai Plant in Gujarat**
- 247. Delhi becomes 28th legislature to join National eVidhan Application Platform**
- 248. Govt Scraps 20% Onion Export Duty to Boost Farmer Incomes Starting April 1**
- 249. APEDA Pioneers Export of Sikkim's GI-Tagged Dalle Chilly to Solomon Islands**
- 250. India-Singapore to jointly develop Green and Digital Shipping corridor**
- Centre Notifies 24% Hike in Salaries and Pensions for MPs**

- 251. Ministry of Education** launches “Baalpan ki Kavita initiative: Restoring Bhartiya rhymes/poems for young children”
- 252. NSO, India and IIMA** Join hands to Strengthen Data-Driven Policy and Innovation
- 253.** Reliance Industries acquires **74%** stake in Nauyaan Shipyard for ₹382.73 crore
- 254.** IT major **Wipro bags £500 million**, 10-year deal with UK’s Phoenix Group
- 255.** Society for Applied Microwave Electronics Engineering & Research (SAMEER) and AIIMS sign MoU for collaborative research on medical devices
- 256. UIDAI & IIIT-H launch** biometric challenge to test age invariance in fingerprint algorithms
- 257.** Centre releases over Rs 436 crore to **Karnataka and Tripura** for rural development
- 258. MoRD & UNICEF YuWaah** Partner to Empower Rural Women and Youth
- 259. Haryana CM** launches AI chatbot ‘**Sarathi**’ for enhanced citizen engagement
- 260.** CDS Anil Chauhan inaugurates ‘**Techkriti 2025**’ ambitiousbaba.com Online Test Series
- 261. Chhattisgarh** Signs MoU with Nasscom to Boost Development and Employment
- 262.** Cabinet approves release of an additional instalment of Dearness Allowance to **Central Government employees**
- 263.** Cabinet approves Electronics Component Manufacturing Scheme for making **India Atmanirbhar** in electronics supply chain
- 264.** Cabinet Approves **Nutrient Based Subsidy Rates** For Kharif Season 2025
- 265.** Final Budget allocation for the **Department of Fertilizers** has increased to 1,91,836.29 crore
- 266.** Cabinet approves construction of 4-Lane greenfield and brownfield **PatnaArrah-Sasaram corridor** (NH-119A) (120.10 km) in Bihar

267. Punjab to develop **Jhajjar-Bachauli Wildlife Sanctuary** for Leopard safari
268. **India's core** sector growth slows down to 2.9% in Feb as against 4.6% in January
269. **Zaggle** Acquires 51% Stake in EffiaSoft for ₹41 Crore to Boost Fintech Capabilities
270. **India, Japan** sign loan agreements worth JPY 191.73 billion for 6 projects Banking and Financial
271. **HDFC Bank** introduces Embassy Fixed Deposit
272. RBI imposes penalty of Rs 36 lakh on **IDBI Bank** and Citibank
273. **Public sector banks'** dividend rises 33% to ₹27,830 crore in FY24
274. Bank of Baroda Unveils '**mDigiNext**' App to Enhance Corporate Cash Management
275. **614th Meeting** of Central Board of the RBI organised in Thiruvananthapuram
276. **India** to overtake **Japan** in 2025 and **Germany in 2027**: IMF
277. **SEBI** Doubles FPI Disclosure Threshold to ₹50,000 Cr
278. Ribbit Capital to Raise \$500 Million to **Boost Fintech Investments**
279. Bain Capital Acquires Joint Control in **Manappuram Finance** for 4,385 Crore
280. **RRBs** achieve a record 7,571 crore profit in FY 2023-24
281. **IRDAI** Sets New Standards for Health Insurance in India
282. **RBI, NPCI** approve **Rs 2 hike in ATM** interchange fee
283. **BOI's first dollar loan** deal in over a decade raises \$400 mn, woos 22 banks
284. RBI allows standalone primary dealers to participate in **all repo operations**
285. RBI imposes ₹75 lakh penalty on **HDFC Bank**, ₹68.2 lakh on Punjab & Sind Bank
286. RBI to raise foreign individual investment cap in listed firms to **10%**
287. **RBI Hosts 8th State Level Coordination Committee (SLCC)** Meeting in Gangtok to Tackle Financial Frauds and Boost Literacy
288. **MobiKwik** to enter stock broking business, incorporates new subsidiary

289. Insurers can deny health claims for **alcohol-related hospitalisation**
290. Govt to mobilise Rs 8 lakh cr via bonds in **first half of FY26**.
291. **Interest rates** on small savings schemes unchanged for **April-June quarter**
292. Central Bank of India Partners with **PSB Alliance for Digital Supply Chain Finance**
293. **Fintech Startup** Abound Raises \$14M to Serve Indian-Americans
294. Bank of Baroda Goes Live with **PM-Vidyalaxmi Scheme** to Boost Education Loans Appointment and Resignation
295. Government Appoints Rahul Bhawe as **MD and CEO of IFCI**
296. **Anuj Kumar Singh** appointed as Joint Secretary in **UPSC**
297. Justice Harish Tandon takes oath as Chief Justice of **Orissa High Court**
298. Ashok Singh Thakur elected as Chairman of Indian National Trust for Art and Cultural Heritage (**INTACH**)
299. Vikram Sahu to take over as the new Bank of **America India Head**
300. **Canara Bank** Appoints S K Majumdar as Executive Director
301. Sanjay Singh elected **UWW-Asia bureau member**
302. Ajay Seth Appointed as the **New Finance Secretary**
303. Sanjay Kumar Mishra Joins **EAC-PM as Full-Time Member**
304. **Sunil Kakkar** becomes **first Indian full-time** director of Maruti Suzuki India
305. Netumbo Nandi-Ndaitwah Sworn in as **Namibia's First Woman President**
306. **Dr Jay Bhattacharya** confirmed as Director of NIS of the United States
307. **IBA** elects CS Setty as new Chairman
308. Ajay Kapur reappointed as **MD of Ambuja Cements**
309. **TATA AIA's Swaminathan S. Iyer** Joins IRDAI as Whole-Time Member (Life) ambitiousbaba.com Online Test Series Awards
310. **Hindi Writer** Vinod Kumar Shukla Honored with 59th Jnanpith Award Defence
311. **India** achieves record ₹1.27 lakh crore in indigenous defence production in 2023-24

- 312. **MoD** inks Rs 2,500 crore contracts for **NAMIS** Tracked version of anti-tank weapon platform
- 313. **DRDO** successfully tests VL-SRSAM missile at Chandipur, **Odisha**
- 314. **Ex Indra**: 14th edition of India, Russia bilateral naval exercise set to take place off Chennai
- 315. **HAL** signs **Rs 62,700-cr** deal with MoD for supply of light combat helicopters Sports
- 316. Anahat Singh and Veer Chotani Triumph at **SRFI Indian Tour PSA** Challenger in Chennai
- 317. **Oscar Piastri** Wins **Chinese Grand Prix**
- 318. **India** clinches both **Men's & Women's Kabaddi** World Cup 2025
- 319. Pranati Nayak wins bronze in **Women's Vault** at **FIG World Cup**
- 320. **India** Wins Bronze in Mixed Quad at ISTAF Sepak **Takraw World Cup 2025**
- 321. Sunil Kumar wins bronze in **Asian Wrestling Championship**
- 322. Former CWG medallist **Sumeeth Reddy** retires
- 323. Manav Thakkar Becomes **First Indian to Reach Final Eight of WTT** Star Contender
- 324. **Novak Djokovic** becomes oldest man to reach ATP Masters 1000 semi-final
- 325. Anahat Singh & Kareem El Torkey win the **Indian Open 2025** Squash Title

### IMPORTANT DAYS

- **1 March** – World Seagrass Day
- **1 March** – Zero Discrimination Day (Theme 2025 – We stand together)
- **3 March** – World Wildlife Day (Theme 2025 – Wildlife Conservation Finance: Investing in People and Planet)
- **3 March** – World Hearing Day (Theme 2025 – Changing mindsets: empower yourself to make ear and hearing care a reality for all)
- **4 March** – National Safety Day (Theme 2025 – Safety & Well-being Crucial for Viksit Bharat” (Developed India)) ambitiousbaba.com Online Test Series
- **5 March** – International Day for Disarmament and Non-Proliferation Awareness
- **8 March** – International Women’s Day (Theme 2025 – For All Women and Girls: Rights, Equality, and Empowerment.)
- **10 March** – International Day Of Women Judges
- **10 March** – CISF Raising Day
- **14 March** – Pi Day
- **14 March** – World Sleep Day (Theme 2025 – Make Sleep Health a Priority)
- **15 March** – World Consumer Rights Day (Theme 2025 – A Just Transition to Sustainable Lifestyles)
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- **18 March** – National Ordnance Factories Day
- **15 March** – International Day to Combat Islamophobia
- **20 March** – World Sparrow Day (Theme 2025 – A Tribute to Nature’s Tiny Messengers)
- **20 March** – International Day of Happiness (Theme 2025 – CARING AND SHARING)
- **20 March** – World Oral Health Day (Theme 2025 – A Happy Mouth is... A Happy Mind)
- **20 March** – French Language Day
- **21 March** – World Poetry Day

- **21 March** – World Down Syndrome Day (Theme 2025 – Improve Our Support Systems)
- **21 March** – World Day for Glaciers
- **21 March** – International Day of Forests (Theme 2025 – Forests and Food)
- **22 March** – World Water Day (Theme 2025 – Glacier Preservation)
- **23 March** – World Meteorological Day (Theme 2025 – Closing the Early Warning Gap Together)
- **24 March** – World Tuberculosis Day (Theme 2025 – Yes! We Can End TB: Commit, Invest, Deliver)
- **24 March** – International Day for the Right to the Truth Concerning Gross Human Rights Violations and for the Dignity of Victims ambitiousbaba.com Online Test Series
- **25 March** – International Day of the Unborn Child
- **March 25** – International Day of Solidarity with Detained and Missing Staff Members
- **March 26** – Purple Day of Epilepsy
- **March 27** – World Theatre Day (Theme 2025 – Theatre and a Culture of Peace)
- **29 March** 2025 – World Piano Day
- **28 March** – Universal Acceptance Day (Theme 2025 – Connecting the Unconnected – Building a Multilingual Internet for Viksit Bharat.)