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****2. Key Events / News Highlights****

- * **Ladakh Unrest:** Four people were killed during protests in Ladakh demanding statehood and inclusion in the 6th Schedule of the Constitution. Officials claim the violence was planned and not spontaneous, alleging a conspiracy and incitement of people.
- * **Arms Syndicate Busted:** A social cell successfully busted an arms syndicate, uncovering its historical operations in Moradabad.
- * **Extreme Weather:** Himalayan states experienced a record 765 extreme downpours in the last 25 years, marking the worst such period in five years.

****3. Political Updates****

- * **Ladakh Demands:** Protests continue in Ladakh for statehood and 6th Schedule status.
- * **Karnataka Caste Survey:** The Centre informed the High Court that Karnataka's caste enumeration is a "Census cloaked as a survey."
- * **Voter Roll Changes:** Applications for changes in voter rolls will now require Aadhaar.
- * **Women's Reservation:** The government is seeking the removal of the 25% reservation for women in local bodies.

****4. Economic Updates****

- * **Shipbuilding Investment:** The government plans to invest 170,000 crore to boost the shipbuilding sector, aiming for India to join the "big league."
- * **Trade Show Expansion:** The buyer list for Uttar Pradesh's Trade Show has expanded.
- * **Overseas Job Opportunities:** Skilled workers are encouraged to consider job

opportunities available in Germany.

****5. International Relations****

* **Labor Mobility:** Indian skilled workers are advised to explore employment opportunities in Germany, indicating a focus on international labor mobility.

****6. Miscellaneous / Other Important Notes****

* **Education Reforms:** CBSE announced board exams from February 1, ahead of a new two-exam regime.

* **Healthcare Governance:** The National Medical Commission (NMC) has completed five years, but reportedly no patient appeals have been heard during this period.

* **Future Technology:** Discussions highlight the "playground of future" with advancements like snake robots and drone swarms.

* **Urban Planning:** A "Stormwater Plan" is noted as being "Easier Drawn Than Done," pointing to challenges in urban infrastructure projects.

* **Cultural Uniqueness:** A temple is highlighted where offerings at the deity's feet are shoes, showcasing a unique cultural tradition.
