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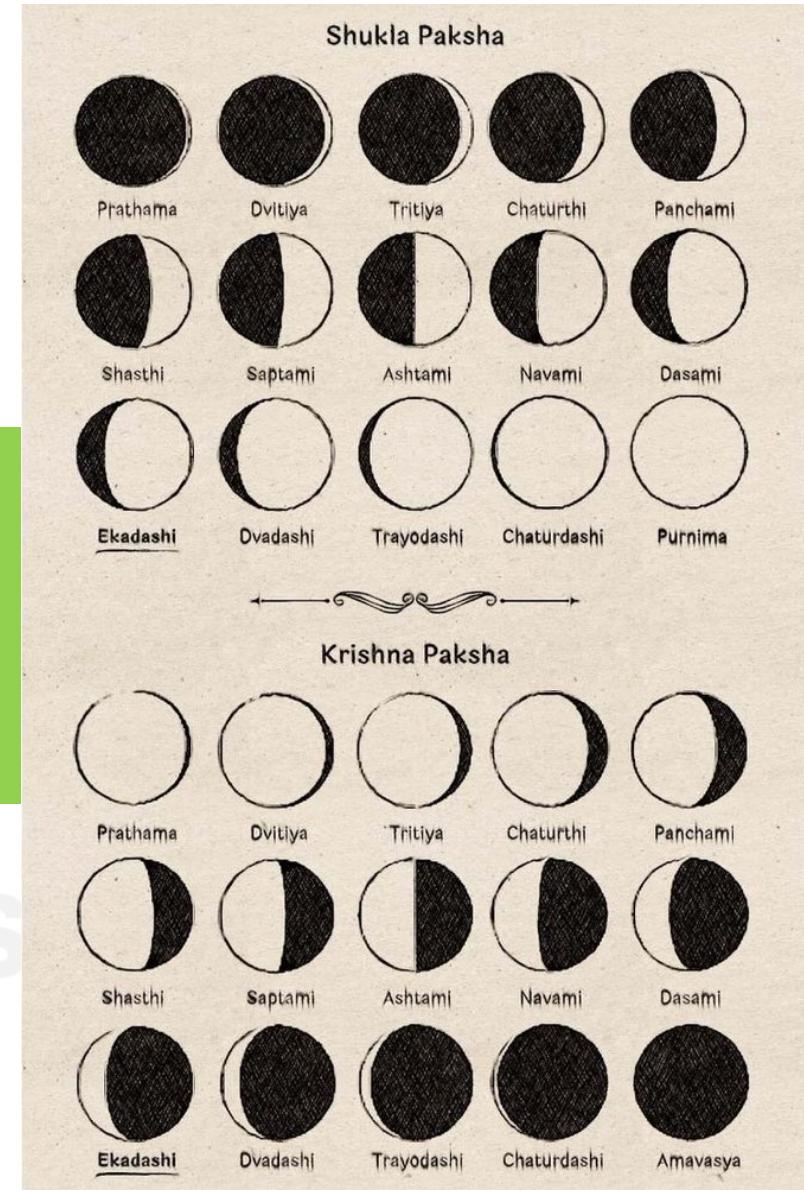
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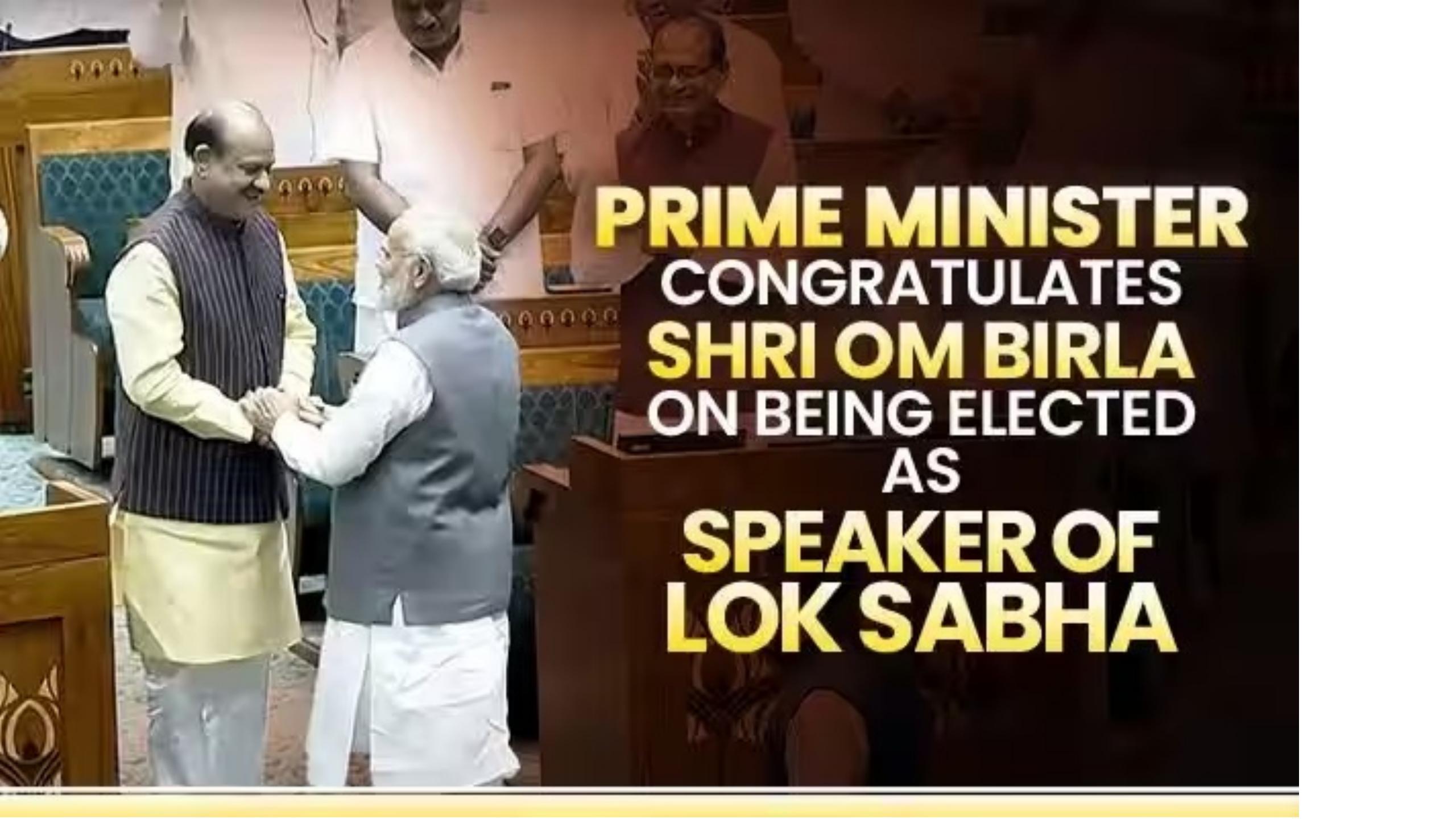


## QUESTION OF THE DAY

Which country's spacecraft became the first to bring back samples from the far side of the Moon?

- A) USA
- B) Russia
- C) China
- D) India

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**PRIME MINISTER  
CONGRATULATES  
SHRI OM BIRLA  
ON BEING ELECTED  
AS  
SPEAKER OF  
LOK SABHA**

# **Om Birla (BJP) elected as Speaker of 18<sup>th</sup> Lok Sabha,**

श्री ओम बिरला लोकसभा के अध्यक्ष निर्वाचित

## **Election for Speaker of 18th Lok Sabha**

- **By convention**, the Speaker and Deputy Speaker of the Lok Sabha are **chosen by consensus** between the ruling and opposition parties. However, this time, the ruling NDA and the Congress Party-led INDIA block failed to reach a consensus.
- The Opposition candidate was K. Suresh of the Congress Party.
- Also - **Rahul Gandhi** appointed as **Leader Of Opposition in the Lok Sabha**

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## About Om Birla

- A **three-time member of Lok Sabha**, Om Birla was elected **from the Kota constituency of Rajasthan** in the **2014, 2019 and 2024** Lok Sabha elections.
- He became the Speaker of the **17th Lok Sabha in 2019** and has been re-elected for the second time as the speaker of the Lok Sabha
- He is the **fifth person** to hold the office of **Lok Sabha speaker twice**.
- According to **Article 93** of the constitution, members of the Lok Sabha are to elect a Speaker and a Deputy Speaker from **among the members of the House. The Speaker and Deputy Speaker** are elected by a simple majority.

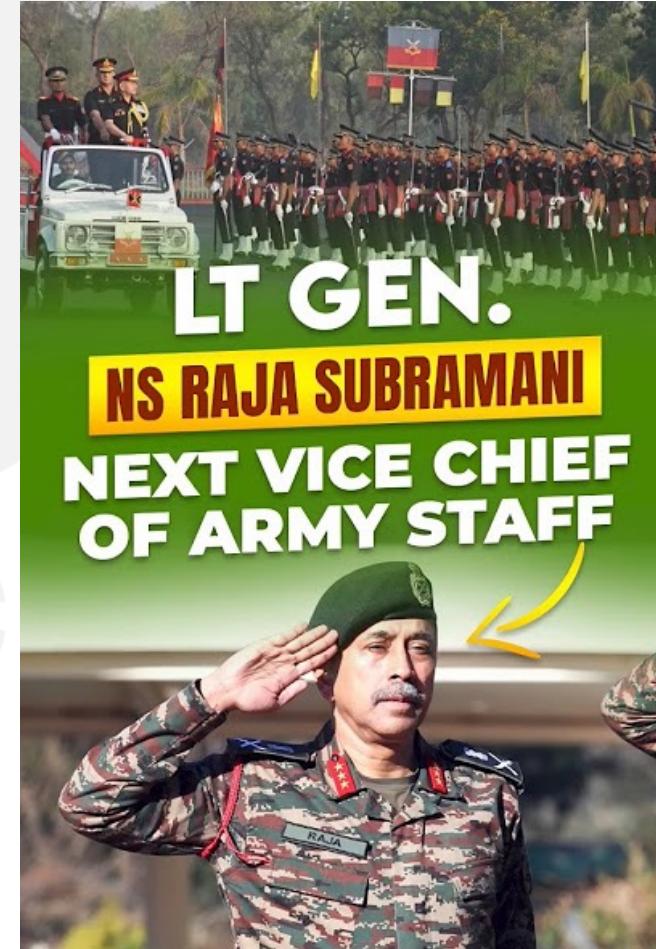
## Facts about the Lok Sabha Speaker

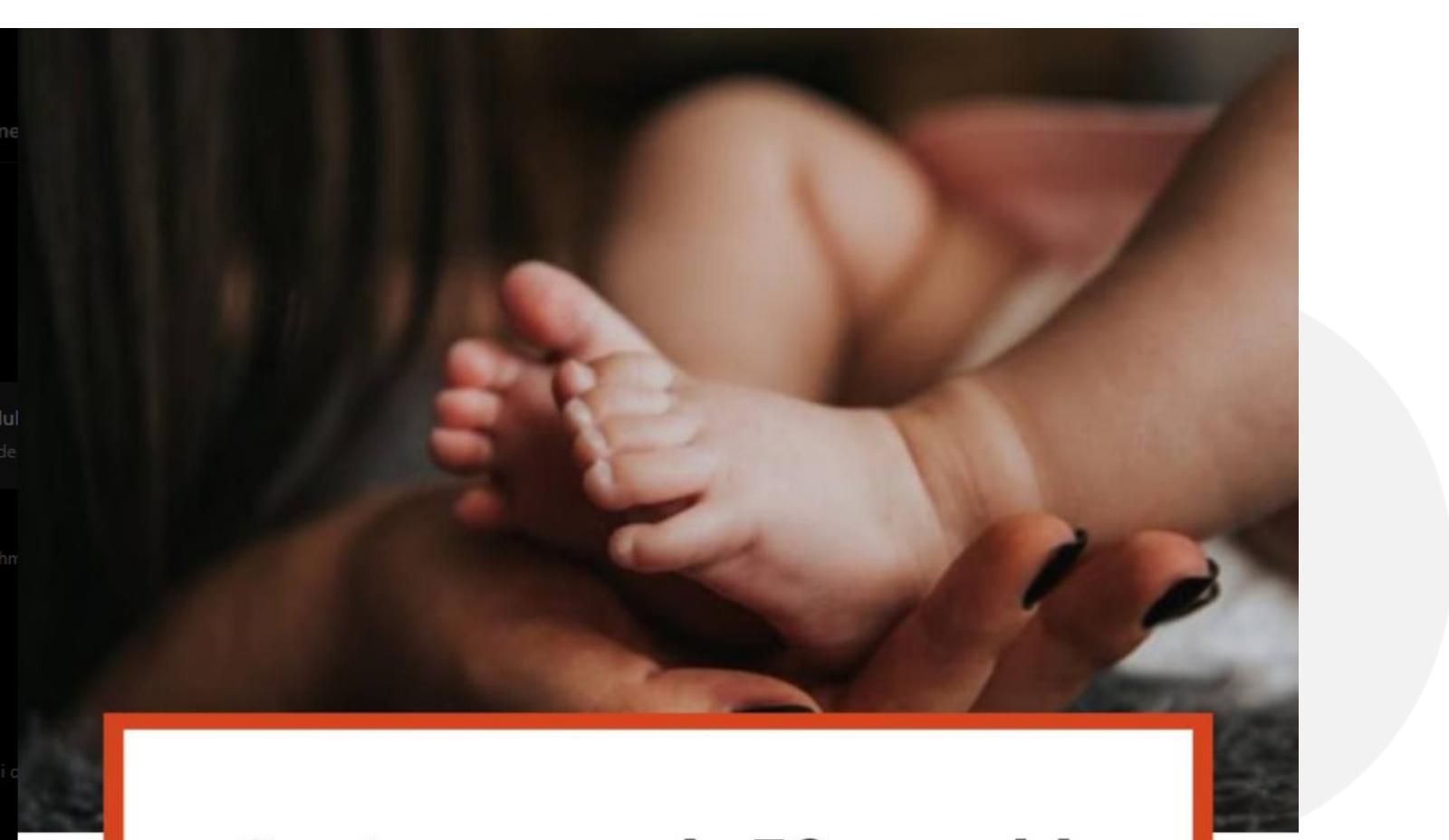
- **Ganesh Vasudev Mavlankar** was the **first Speaker** of the **Lok Sabha**.
- **Five persons** have been the **Lok Sabha Speaker twice**: Dr. Neelam Sanjiva Reddy, Gurdial Singh Dhillon, Balram Jakhar, G.M.C Balayogi, and Om Birla.
- **Dr Neelam Sanjiva Reddy** is the **only Lok Sabha Speaker** to be elected as the **President of India**.
- **Meira Kumar** of the Congress (Indira) party is the **first woman** to be the **Speaker** of the Lok Sabha.
- **Longest tenure** as a Speaker: **Balram Jakhar over 9 years**

# **Lt Gen NS Raja Subramani to be next Vice Chief of Army Staff**

लेफिटनेंट जनरल एनएस राजा सुब्रमणि अगले उप सेना प्रमुख होंगे

- Lt Gen NS Raja Subramani, currently heading the Army's Central Command, has been appointed as the next Vice Chief of Army Staff
- succeeding Lt Gen Upendra Dwivedi who will become Chief of the Army Staff upon Gen Manoj Pande's retirement.
- Gen Manoj Pande retires on June 30.





**Centre amends 50-yr-old  
rule, allows 6-month maternity  
leave for govt employees  
in case of surrogacy**

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# The Central Civil Services (Leave) (Amendment) Rules, 2024/केंद्रीय सिविल सेवा (छुट्टी) (संशोधन) नियम, 2024

- Till now, there were no rules to grant maternity leaves to women government employees in case a child was born through surrogacy.
- According to the changes made in the **Central Civil Services (Leave) Rules, 1972:**
- In case of surrogacy, the **surrogate, as well as the commissioning mother** with less than two surviving children, may be granted **maternity leave of 180 days**, in case either or both of them are **government servants**
- The “**surrogate mother**” shall mean the woman **who bears the child** on behalf of the commissioning mother

- In case of a child begotten through surrogacy, the **commissioning father** who is a **male government servant** with less than two surviving children may be granted **paternity leave of 15 days** within the period of 6 months from the date of delivery of the child
- In case of surrogacy, the **commissioning mother** with less than two surviving children, may be granted **child care leave**.
- A female government servant and single male government servant” **child care leave for a maximum period of 730 days** during entire service “for taking care of two eldest surviving children, whether for rearing or for looking after any of their needs, such as education, sickness and the like

**Union Minister Dr. Jitendra Singh announced grant of 'Mini RATNA' status (Category-1) for Central Electronics Limited**

**(CEL)**/केंद्रीय मंत्री डॉ. जितेंद्र सिंह ने सेंट्रल इलेक्ट्रॉनिक्स लिमिटेड (सीईएल) को 'मिनी रत्न' (श्रेणी-1) का दर्जा देने की घोषणा की

### **Central Electronics Limited**

- Under the Department of Scientific and Industrial Research (DSIR), Ministry of Science & Technology.
- **Established** in 1974
- Pioneer in the country in the field of Solar Photovoltaic (SPV)
- **HEADQUARTER** : Ghaziabad

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Government of India

MINISTRY OF FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING  
DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING



Workshop to Strategize & Empower the States/UTs for  
**21<sup>st</sup> Livestock Census**

Chief Guest

**Shri Rajiv Ranjan Singh alias Lalan Singh**

Hon'ble Minister for Fisheries,  
Animal Husbandry & Dairying, Government of India

Guest of Honor

**Prof. S. P. Singh Baghel**

Hon'ble Minister of State, Ministry of Fisheries,  
Animal Husbandry and Dairying, Government of India

**Shri. George Kurian**

Hon'ble Minister of State, Ministry of Fisheries,  
Animal Husbandry and Dairying, Government of India

In Esteemed presence of

**Smt. Alka Upadhyaya**

Secretary, Department of Animal Husbandry and Dairying,  
Government of India

Date : 25 June, 2024 | Time: 9:00 AM | Venue : Plenary Hall, Vigyan Bhawan, New Delhi



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# India to conduct 21<sup>st</sup> livestock census/भारत में 21वीं पशुधन गणना की जाएगी

- Union Minister of Fisheries, Animal Husbandry and Dairying, **Rajiv Ranjan Singh alias Lalan Singh**, inaugurated a **workshop** to discuss the preparation for the 21st Livestock Census in New Delhi.
- The ministers also launched a mobile application for data collection
- **21<sup>st</sup> Livestock Census**, scheduled for **September to December 2024**
- The **Livestock Census** has been conducted in the country periodically since **1919-20**. Since then it has been conducted **once every 5 years**.
- It covers **all domesticated animals** and their headcounts.

# 20<sup>th</sup> Livestock Census report

- It covered all domesticated animals and its headcounts for total 16 species of animals
- The **total Livestock** population is **535.78 million** in the country showing an **increase of 4.8% over Livestock Census-2012.**
- The total number of **Cattle** in the country is 193.46 million in 2019 showing an **increase of 1.3 % over previous Census.**
- A **decline of 6%** in the total **indigenous cattle** population has been observed.



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एक कदम स्वच्छता की ओर

Housing & Urban Affairs Ministry to roll out 'Safai Apnao Bimaari Bhagao' initiative under Swachh Bharat Mission-Urban 2.0 from July 1 to Aug 31.

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# **Housing & Urban Affairs Ministry to roll out 'Safai Apnao Bimaari Bhagao' initiative under Swachh Bharat Mission-Urban 2.0/आवास एवं शहरी कार्य मंत्रालय स्वच्छ भारत मिशन-शहरी 2.0 के अंतर्गत 'सफाई अपनाओ बीमारी भगाओ' पहल शुरू करेगा**

- The **Swachh Bharat Mission-Urban 2.0** under the aegis of the Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs (**MoHUA**), introduces the **Safai Apnao, Bimaari Bhagao (SABB) (1 July to 31 Aug, 2024)** initiative.
- This initiative seeks to enhance the preparedness of Urban Local Bodies, ensuring they are well-equipped **to handle the challenges posed by heavy rainfall** and heightened health risks during the months of June to August.
- Aligned with the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare's '**STOP Diarrhoea Campaign**'- 'Diarrhoea ki Roktham, Safai aur ORS se rakhen apna dhyaan'.

# THE FIRST IDF REGIONAL DAIRY CONFERENCE

## ASIA PACIFIC 2024

**Farmer Centric Innovations in Dairying**

June 26<sup>th</sup> - 28<sup>th</sup> • Kochi, India

[www.idfkochi2024.com](http://www.idfkochi2024.com)

**#IDFKochiIndia2024**



# **First International Dairy Federation Asia-Pacific Summit in Kochi**

कोच्चि में प्रथम अंतर्राष्ट्रीय डेयरी फेडरेशन एशिया-प्रशांत  
शिखर सम्मेलन

- first IDF Regional Dairy Conference Asia Pacific-2024 from June 26 to 28 in Kochi.
- Jointly organized by - Union Ministry of Fisheries, Animal Husbandry and Dairying and National Dairy Development Board (**NNDDB**)
- Theme - 'Farmer-centric innovations in dairying'



3rd Edition of Indian Air Force's Warfare and Aerospace Strategy Program Concludes

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# **IAF conclude 3rd Warfare & Aerospace Strategy Program (WASP) with Tri-Service**

भारतीय वायुसेना ने तीनों सेनाओं के साथ तीसरे युद्ध एवं एयरोस्पेस रणनीति कार्यक्रम का समापन किया

- This edition of WASP saw **tri-services participation for the first time.**
- **Theme "India's Strategic Culture and Imperative for Contemporary National Security"**
- WASP is a **strategic education programme of 15 weeks** duration which was **started in 2022** to provide the participants with a deep understanding of geo-politics, grand strategy and Comprehensive National Power.

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# **Tamil Nadu's Stalin govt announces new international airport for Hosur**

तमिलनाडु की स्टालिन सरकार ने होसुर के लिए नए अंतर्राष्ट्रीय हवाई अड्डे की घोषणा की

- Project is part of the state's goal of transforming Hosur into a major economic development hub.
- This move is aimed to bring socio-economic development in Hosur, Krishnagiri and Dharmapuri districts
- That the new airport would cover an area of 2,000 acres managing 30 million passengers annually.

# **Enemy Agents Ordinance (Jammu & Kashmir) / शत्रु एजेंट अध्यादेश (जम्मू और कश्मीर)**

- Jammu and Kashmir Director General of Police (**DGP**) R R Swain said those found assisting militants in J&K should be tried by investigating agencies **under the Enemy Agents Ordinance, 2005.**
- The J&K Enemy Agents Ordinance **was first issued in 1917** by the then Dogra Maharaja of J&K.
- It is referred to as an ‘ordinance’ since laws made during the Dogra rule were called ordinances.
- **After Partition in 1947**, the ordinance was incorporated as a law in the erstwhile state and was also amended.

- The Law has been used only occasionally so far. **Penalty is either death, life imprisonment or 10 years** of rigorous imprisonment & a fine.
- It is for those who are an **enemy agent or, aid the enemy**, or to impede the **military or air operations of Indian forces** or to endanger life or is guilty of promoting civil violence
- The trial under the Enemy Agents Ordinance is conducted by a **special judge** who is appointed by the “**government in consultation with the High Court**” Under the ordinance, the accused **cannot engage a lawyer to defend herself unless permitted by the court**.

- There is no provision for **appeal against the verdict**, and the decision of the **special judge can only be reviewed** “by a person chosen by the Government from the judges of the High Court and the decision of that person shall be final”.
- The ordinance also **bars any disclosure** or publication of the case tried under it.

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# UP brings ordinance to curb paper leaks: Life in jail, Rs 1 crore fine for guilty



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# **Uttar Pradesh brings Ordinance against paper leaks/**

उत्तर प्रदेश में पेपर लीक के खिलाफ अध्यादेश लाया गया

- Ordinance will come **into effect once it is approved by governor, set to become law after it is passed in assembly.**
- The Ordinance provides for **jail terms ranging from 2 years to life imprisonment**, and fines of **up to Rs 1 crore** for those involved in question paper leaks.
- All offences under the ordinance have been classified as **cognizable, non-bailable**, non-compoundable and triable by sessions courts.
- Once the ordinance becomes a law, the **UP Public Examination (Prevention of Unfair Means) Act, 1998, will be repealed**
- It entailed both **bailable and non-bailable** offences, while imprisonment ranged from three months to a **maximum five years**. It also stipulated a fine ranging **from Rs 2,000 to Rs 5,000**.

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# **Itanagar Woman Police Station Awarded With ISO 9001:2015 Certification/इटानगर महिला पुलिस स्टेशन को आईएसओ 9001:2015 प्रमाणन से सम्मानित किया गया**

- The Woman Police Station, Itanagar, has been awarded with ISO 9001:2015 certification.
- This recognition highlights the station's commitment to **dealing humanely and effectively with crimes against women and children.**
- The ISO 9001:2015 certification is an international standard that signifies the implementation of a **comprehensive quality management system.**

**Leopard safari launched at  
Bannerghatta, more facilities  
promised**

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# **South India's First Leopard Safari Opens at Bannerghatta/दक्षिण भारत का पहला तेंदुआ सफारी बन्नेरघट्टा में खुला**

- **South India's first and the country's largest leopard safari at the Bannerghatta Biological Park (BBP), Karnataka.**
- An area of **20 hectares** has been demarcated and fenced for the safari. Currently **eight leopards** have been released for the safari in the open forest area.
- Created at a cost of ₹4.5 crore

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## **Bannerghatta Biological Park (BBP):**

- It is the first biological park in India to have a fenced, forested elephant sanctuary.
- It has been **an integral part of Bannerghatta National Park** and emerged as an independent establishment in 2002.

## **Bannerghatta National Park:**

- It is located near Bangalore, Karnataka, in the hills of the Anekal range.
- It was declared a **National Park in 1974**.
- In **2006, India's first butterfly enclosure** was inaugurated at the park.



BRICS GAMES 2024

# **The inaugural BRICS Games concluded in Kazan/क़ज़ान में प्रथम ब्रिक्स खेल संपन्न हुए**

- The BRICS Games 2024 took place **in Kazan and Moscow from 12 to 24 June**. Russia hosted these competitions for the first time
- **27 Sports, 82 Participating Countries, 2,852 Athletes**
- **Bricsik the leopard - mascot of the Games.**



- Top on medal tally - Russia: 509, with 266 gold.
- Belarus second, China third
- Most titled participant - **Maryna Litvinchuk** of the Republic of Belarus won **5 gold medals** in the BRICS Games canoe sprint.

Place	Country	1 Gold	2 Silver	3 Bronze	In Total
1	Russian Federation	266	142	101	509
2	Belarus	55	85	107	247
3	China	20	24	18	62
4	Uzbekistan	17	39	58	114
5	Brazil	8	20	23	51

- India secured a total of **29 medals comprising 3 gold, 6 silver, and 20 bronze medals.**
- **3 Gold Medals:**
- Indian Wushu athlete **Aparna Dahiya** in the women's 48kg category in Chinese martial art **Wushu Sanda**
- **Minakshi** bagged gold in women's **48kg boxing**
- **Anamika** bagged gold in women's **50kg boxing**



# **Virat Kohli's life size statue unveiled in Times Square, New York/विराट कोहली की आदमकद प्रतिमा का न्यूयॉर्क के टाइम्स स्क्वायर में अनावरण किया गया**



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**Rohit Sharma creates history,  
became the first player in the  
world to hit 200 sixes in T20Is**

# Rohit Sharma became first batsman to hit 200 Sixes in T20Is/रोहित शर्मा टी20 अंतर्राष्ट्रीय में 200 छक्के लगाने वाले पहले बल्लेबाज बने

- during the **T20 World Cup 2024** Super Eight Group 1 match against **Australia** at the Daren Sammy National Cricket Stadium in St. Lucia
- Sharma broke **several records**:
  - most sixes by an Indian in a T20 World Cup match (8)
  - first-ever player to smack 600 sixes across formats.

## List of batters with the most T20I sixes.

Position	Player	Country	Matches	Runs	Sixes
1	Rohit Sharma	India	157*	4114*	200
2	Martin Guptill	New Zealand	122	3531	173
3	Jos Buttler	England	123	3241	137

# Kapil Dev has been appointed President of the Professional Golf Tour of India/ कपिल देव को प्रोफेशनल गोल्फ टूर ऑफ इंडिया का अध्यक्ष नियुक्त किया गया है।



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# UNGA Honoured Hansa Mehta



# **UNGA President pays tribute to Indian reformer Hansa Mehta/यूएनजीए अध्यक्ष ने भारत की हंसा मेहता को सम्मानित किया**

- UN General Assembly **President Dennis Francis** paid tribute to **Indian reformer and educator** Hansa Mehta as he honoured women diplomats' "invaluable contributions" **on International Day of Women in Diplomacy.**
- Born **on July 3, 1897** to the Dewan of Baroda Manubhai Nandshankar Mehta
- Mehta served as the **Indian delegate to the UN Commission on Human Rights from 1947 to 1948**

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- widely known for ensuring a **more gender-sensitive language** in the landmark **Universal Declaration of Human Rights**.
- She is widely credited with significantly changing the language of **Article 1 of the UDHR**, by replacing the phrase "**All men are born free and equal**" with "**All human beings** are born free and equal."
- She died in Mumbai at the **age of 97 in 1995**.

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Arundhati  
Roy wins  
PEN Pinter  
Prize 2024

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# Arundhati Roy wins PEN Pinter Prize 2024/अरुंधति रॉय ने जीता पेन पिंटर पुरस्कार 2024

- Writer Arundhati Roy has won the PEN Pinter award for her “unflinching and unwavering” writings.
- **Established in 2009** by the charity English PEN. It defends freedom of expression and is in memory of Nobel-Laureate playwright Harold Pinter.
- It is given to a writer from the UK, Ireland and the Commonwealth whose work is committed to a fearless exposition of truth about contemporary life.

# India's First AI University Appoints Simon Mak as the VC/भारत

के पहले एआई विश्वविद्यालय ने साइमन माक को कुलपति नियुक्त किया

- **Universal AI University (UAIU), in Mumbai**

India's pioneering institution dedicated to Artificial Intelligence, has named Simon Mak, an international strategist and award-winning professor, as its **vice chancellor**

- **Tarun Anand, Chancellor, Universal Ai University**



# RBI inducts additional Director on Bandhan Board ahead of CMD Chandra Shekhar Ghosh's retirement/आरबीआई ने सीईओ घोष की सेवानिवृत्ति से पहले बंधन बोर्ड में अतिरिक्त निदेशक को शामिल किया

- Arun Kumar Singh, a retired Chief General Manager of the RBI, will serve additional director on the Board of Bandhan Bank **from June 24, 2024, to June 23, 2025**
- **Chandra Shekhar Ghosh is set to retire on July 9, 2024**

■ Bandhan Bank HQ – Kolkata

■ Tagline - 'Aapka Bhala. Sabki Bhalai'

■ Started its operations in 2015

# SBI General Insurance announces Naveen Chandra Jha as its new MD & CEO

/एसबीआई जनरल इंश्योरेंस ने नवीन चंद्र झा को अपना नया एमडी और सीईओ घोषित किया

- He succeeds Kishore Kumar Poludasu.

**Naveen Chandra Jha**

Managing Director and CEO



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# **Bajaj Auto inaugurates its first overseas manufacturing facility in Brazil**/बजाज ऑटो ने ब्राजील में अपना पहला विदेशी विनिर्माण संयंत्र खोला

- Bajaj Auto, India's largest exporter of two and three wheelers has inaugurated its new manufacturing plant in Manaus, Brazil, will be the company's first manufacturing facility outside India.
  
- Bajaj Auto HQ – Pune
- Founded: 29 November 1945
- Founder: Jamnalal Bajaj; Rogen Frias



Paraguay has become the 100th country to join as a full member of the International Solar Alliance, International Solar Alliance

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# **Paraguay Becomes 100th Member Of The International Solar Alliance/पैराग्वे अंतर्राष्ट्रीय सौर गठबंधन का 100वां सदस्य बन गया**

- Paraguay has become the 100th country to join the International Solar Alliance (ISA) **as a full member**.
- with **119 countries now signatories** to the ISA Framework Agreement.
- Of these, **100 have completed the ratification process** to become full members, with **Spain joining as the 99th member** in May this year.
- The International Solar Alliance (ISA) is an intergovernmental organization that **was launched in 2015** by the Prime Minister of **India** and the President of **France**, at the United Nations Climate Change Conference **held in Paris**.

- The ISA is guided by its '**Towards 1000**' strategy, which aims:
  - To mobilize **USD 1000 billion of investments** in solar energy solutions by 2030
  - To deliver **energy access to 1000 million people** using clean energy solutions
  - To install **1000 GW of solar energy capacity**.
  - To **mitigate** global solar emissions to the tune of **1000 million tonnes of CO2** every year.
- **Headquarter:** National Institute of Solar Energy (NISE) in Gurugram, India.



**US PRESIDENT BIDEN TO  
EXTEND MAJOR NON-NATO  
ALLY STATUS TO KENYA**

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# **US Designates Kenya as Major Non-NATO Ally**/अमेरिका ने केन्या को प्रमुख गैर-नाटो सहयोगी घोषित किया

- The United States has designated Kenya as a Major Non-NATO Ally, MNNA **for arms exports to the country.**
- The designation of Kenya as a major non-NATO ally **will enhance cooperation and boost trade and investment between the two countries.**
- Kenyan President William Ruto

- Capital: Nairobi
- President: William Ruto
- Currency: Kenyan shilling (KES)

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# REVISION QUESTIONS



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Which of the above given statement/s regarding International Solar Alliance (ISA) is/are correct?

1. Paraguay has joined as the 100th full member of the International Solar Alliance (ISA).
2. The headquarters of the International Solar Alliance (ISA) is located in Gurugram, India.

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

- a. Only 1
- b. Only 2
- c. Both 1 and 2
- d. Neither 1 nor 2

Ans: c

Parcham Classes

Which police station has been awarded the ISO 9001:2015 certification?

किस पुलिस स्टेशन को ISO 9001:2015 प्रमाणन प्रदान किया गया है?

- a) The Woman Police Station, Itanagar
- b) The Main Police Station, Delhi
- c) The Child Protection Unit, Mumbai
- d) The Crime Branch, Bangalore

Ans: a

Parcham Classes

Which country did the USA recently designate as a major non-NATO ally (MNNA)?

हाल ही में अमेरिका ने किस देश को प्रमुख गैर-नाटो सहयोगी (एमएनएनए) के रूप में नामित किया है?

- a) Brazil
- b) South Korea
- c) Israel
- d) Kenya

Ans: d

Parcham Classes

Recently, What status was granted to Central Electronics Limited (CEL)?

हाल ही में, सेंट्रल इलेक्ट्रॉनिक्स लिमिटेड (सीईएल) को क्या दर्जा दिया गया?

- a) 'Navratna'
- b) 'Maharatna'
- c) 'Mini RATNA' (Category-1)
- d) 'Mega RATNA' (Category-2)

Ans: c

Parcham Classes

Consider the following statements regarding the Enemy Agents Ordinance, 2005

1. It was first issued in 1917
2. There is no provision for appeal against the verdict under this ordinance
3. The ordinance does not bar any disclosure or publication of the case tried under it

Which of the above given statement/s is/are correct?

- a. Only 1 and 2
- b. Only 2 and 3
- c. Only 3
- d. None of the above

Ans: a

Who has been elected as the Speaker of the 18th Lok Sabha?

18वीं लोकसभा के अध्यक्ष के रूप में किसे चुना गया है?

- A) Om Birla
- B) C. M. Ramesh
- C) Vallabhaneni Balashowry
- D) Ganti Harish Madhur

Ans: a



Parcham Classes

## QUESTION OF THE DAY

Who has won the PEN Pinter award 2024?

पेन पिंटर पुरस्कार 2024 किसने जीता है?

- a) Salman Rushdie
- b) Arundhati Roy
- c) Jhumpa Lahiri
- d) Vikram Seth

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