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National

Railways Minister Reviews Festive Arrangements at New Delhi Railway Station

Union Minister Shri Ashwini Vaishnaw inspected New Delhi Railway Station on 06 NOV 2026 to review passenger and security arrangements for Diwali and Chhath. Measures include special trains and 700 new AI cameras.

Why it matters: Useful for questions on railway infrastructure upgrades and festive season management measures.

Source: PIB

UPSC Announces 2020 Stenographers Exam Select List Results

UPSC released the category-wise merit list for the 2020 Combined Stenographers Limited Departmental Competitive Examination based on December 2025 written tests and November 2026 service evaluations.

Why it matters: Tests candidate knowledge of UPSC exam results and departmental vacancy allocations.

Source: PIB

Department of Justice Concludes Special Campaign 6 for Swachhata and Pendency Reduction

The Department of Justice successfully concluded Special Campaign 6 on 06 NOV 2026, achieving 100% disposition of pending matters, realizing Rs. 2,41,000/- from e-waste auctions, and freeing up 300 sq. feet of space.

Why it matters: Useful for current affairs questions regarding government cleanliness campaigns and pendency clearance.

Source: PIB

Economy and Banking

RBI Releases Provisional Results of 2025-26 FLA Census

The Reserve Bank released provisional results of the 2025-26 annual census on foreign liabilities and assets, covering cross-border investments of Indian entities.

Why it matters: Useful for banking exam questions regarding RBI census releases.

Source: RBI

SEBI Completes Recovery Certificate for Sathish Kumar N

SEBI successfully completed Recovery Certificate No. 7694 of 2024, issued on November 06, 2026, to Sathish Kumar N regarding the Arvind Remedies Ltd. matter.

Why it matters: Tests knowledge of SEBI regulatory actions and recovery proceedings for competitive exams.

Source: SEBI

Government Doubles OMSS Rice Sale Target and Mandates Stock Disclosure

The Centre has doubled the OMSS (D) rice sale target to 50 LMT for 2026-27 and mandated nationwide stock disclosures for rice and paddy to curb hoarding.

Why it matters: Tests current affairs on government policy interventions for food security and price stability.

Source: PIB

SEBI Revises Underlying Exposure Limits for Currency Derivatives

SEBI has announced a revision of the limits relating to the requirement of underlying exposure for currency derivatives contracts.

Why it matters: Tests knowledge of SEBI regulatory updates on currency derivatives for banking and financial exams.

Source: SEBI

Science and Technology

Startup India and I-STEM Portals Launched API Integration

On 6 November 2026, the Office of the Principal Scientific Adviser and DPIIT launched the API integration between the Startup India and I-STEM portals to help DPIIT-recognised startups access national research infrastructure.

Why it matters: Tests knowledge of recent portal integrations linking startups to research facilities.

Source: PIB

Defence and Security

IAF SDI and IIT Madras Sign MoA for Indigenous Airborne Communication

The Indian Air Force's Software Development Institute signed a Memorandum of Agreement with IIT Madras and IITM Pravartak Technologies Foundation on November 6, 2026, to jointly develop an indigenous digital secure communication system for airborne applications.

Why it matters: Tests current affairs on defense technology collaborations for Indian government exams.

Source: PIB

Maiden BIMSTEC Maritime Security Exercise Concludes at Andaman and Nicobar Command

The first BIMSTEC Maritime Security Exercise concluded successfully at Sri Vijaya Puram on 03 Nov 2026 under the Andaman and Nicobar Command, featuring naval ships from India, Myanmar, and Sri Lanka.

Why it matters: Tests knowledge of recent multinational defence exercises and maritime cooperation.

Source: PIB

India and Myanmar Commence Inaugural Tri-Services HADR Exercise 'Rahat Mitra'

India and Myanmar commenced their maiden bilateral Tri-Services Humanitarian Assistance and Disaster Relief exercise, 'Rahat Mitra', in Chennai on 05 Nov 2026, involving over 300 personnel.

Why it matters: Direct factual question about bilateral defence exercises.

Source: PIB

Awards and Honours

Uttarakhand Police Receives President’s Colour from Union Home Minister

Union Home Minister Shri Amit Shah presented the President’s Colour to Uttarakhand Police in Dehradun. With this, Uttarakhand became the 16th state police force in India to receive this highest honour.

Why it matters: Tests current affairs on state police forces receiving prestigious national honours.

Source: PIB

Schemes and Policies

Ashwini Vaishnaw Launches Semicon 2.0 Portal and 12 ECMS Applicants

Union Minister Ashwini Vaishnaw launched the Semicon 2.0 Web Application Portal for Pillars 2, 3 and 4, and announced 12 approved applicants under the Electronics Components Manufacturing Scheme on November 6, 2026.

Why it matters: Tests current affairs on government initiatives and technological advancements in India's semiconductor sector.

Source: PIB

Telangana Signs Agreement for Amended BharatNet Program with ₹3,189 Crore Support

Digital Bharat Nidhi and partners signed an agreement on 06 NOV 2026 for the Amended BharatNet Program in Telangana, backed by ₹3,189 crore to cover 12,769 Gram Panchayats.

Why it matters: Tests knowledge of digital infrastructure schemes and state-specific implementation budgets.

Source: PIB

Nationwide DLC Campaign 5 Launches with 40 Lakh Certificates

Union Minister Dr. Jitendra Singh launched Nationwide DLC Campaign 5, generating nearly 40 lakh certificates in five days, marking a 60% increase.

Why it matters: Direct factual question on government campaign statistics and metrics for competitive exams.

Source: PIB

Today's quiz

1. What is the revised rice sale target under the Open Market Sale Scheme (OMSS) for the year 2026-27 set by the Centre to curb hoarding?

A. 25 LMT
B. 50 LMT
C. 75 LMT
D. 100 LMT

2. Which institution signed a Memorandum of Agreement with the Indian Air Force's Software Development Institute in November 2026 to develop an indigenous digital secure communication system for airborne applications?

A. IIT Delhi
B. IIT Bombay
C. IIT Madras
D. IIT Kanpur

3. Where did the maiden BIMSTEC Maritime Security Exercise conclude successfully on November 3, 2026?

A. Visakhapatnam
B. Sri Vijaya Puram
C. Kochi
D. Port Blair

4. Union Minister Ashwini Vaishnaw launched the Semicon 2.0 Web Application Portal for which pillars on November 6, 2026?

A. Pillars 1, 2 and 3
B. Pillars 2, 3 and 4
C. Pillars 1, 3 and 4
D. Pillars 1, 2 and 4

5. Uttarakhand has become the __ state police force in India to receive the President’s Honour, the President's Colour.

A. 12th
B. 14th
C. 16th
D. 20th

6. What is the total financial support approved for the implementation of the Amended BharatNet Program in Telangana, as per the agreement signed on 06 NOV 2026?

A. ₹1,540 crore
B. ₹2,410 crore
C. ₹3,189 crore
D. ₹5,000 crore

7. Name the maiden bilateral Tri-Services Humanitarian Assistance and Disaster Relief (HADR) exercise commenced between India and Myanmar in Chennai on November 5, 2026.

A. Exercise Rahat Mitra
B. Exercise Sampriti
C. Exercise Impex
D. Exercise Maitree Sahyog

8. The Reserve Bank of India (RBI) released the provisional results of which annual census covering cross-border investments of Indian entities for 2025-26?

A. Foreign Liabilities and Assets (FLA) Census
B. Foreign Direct Investment (FDI) Survey
C. External Commercial Borrowings (ECB) Census
D. International Banking Statistics (IBS) Survey

9. Which portals launched API integration on November 6, 2026, to help DPIIT-recognised startups access national research infrastructure?

A. Startup India and Make in India portals
B. Startup India and I-STEM portals
C. Digital India and I-STEM portals
D. Startup India and GeM portals

10. What is the recovery certificate number completed by SEBI on November 6, 2026, regarding Sathish Kumar N in the Arvind Remedies Ltd. matter?

A. Recovery Certificate No. 4512 of 2024
B. Recovery Certificate No. 6210 of 2024
C. Recovery Certificate No. 7694 of 2024
D. Recovery Certificate No. 8921 of 2024

Answers: 1. B 2. C 3. B 4. B 5. C 6. C 7. A 8. A 9. B 10. C

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