

- **Kerala to promote Neera**, a non- alcoholic beverage extracted from **coconut tree**, as a health drink in the international market.
- **Uttarakhand state's first City Gas Distribution (CGD)** network at Rudrapur in Udham Singh Nagar district.
- **India's first solar powered railway station** - Guwahati.
- For the **first time International Rail Coach Expo (IRCE)** to focus on Rail Coaches and train sets, is being held in **Chennai, Tamil Nadu**.
- **Infosys Ltd.** has formed a **blockchain-based trade finance network** to increase security and efficiency in the banking sector while also broadening its product offering.
- **BSE, Asia's oldest stock exchange** - the first Indian exchange to be recognised as a **designated offshore securities market (DOSM)** by the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC).
- **MoU between India and France** - Technical Cooperation in the field of Railways.
- **MoU between India and Morocco** - cooperation in the legal field of law and legislation;field of mining and geology.
- **MoU between India and Swaziland** - cooperation in the field of Health and Medicine.
- **MoU between India and Suriname** - cooperation in the field of electoral management and administration. including exchange of knowledge and experience in the field of organizational and technical development of electoral process.
- **MoU between India and Equatorial Guinea** for Cooperation in the field of Traditional Systems of Medicine; in the field of Medicinal Plants.
- **MoU between India and Colombia** on establishing cooperation on Traditional Systems of Medicine of India.
- **New All India Institute of Medical Sciences (AIIMS) in Deoghar, Jharkhand** under the **Pradhan Mantri Swasthya Suraksha Yojana (PMSSY)**.
- **Agreement between India and Brunei Darussalam** - Exchange of Information and Assistance in Collection with respect to Taxes.

- The Union Cabinet has approved the establishing a “**Central University of Andhra Pradesh**” in Jantalur Village of Ananthapur District.
- The Union Cabinet has approved the **establishment of National Institute of Mental Health Rehabilitation (NIMHR)** at Bhopal.
- The Union Cabinet has approved the strengthening of the mechanism for resolution of **commercial disputes of Central Public Sector Enterprises (CPSEs)**.
- Cabinet Committee on Economic Affairs setting up of a dedicated “**Micro Irrigation Fund**” (MIF) with **NABARD** under Pradhan Mantri Krishi Sinchayee Yojana (PMKSY).
- **Swachh Survekshan 2018** Winners – **Indore, Bhopal & Chandigarh** Emerge as The Top 3 Cleanest Cities in The Country.
- The **President of India** presented the **National Geoscience Awards** on May 16, 2018 in New Delhi.
- **Mullapudi Narendranath** honoured by **two Brazilian States** for his contribution in the **conservation and improvement of the Ongole cattle** in India.
- **Shashank Manohar** has been re-elected **chairman of the International Cricket Council** for another two years, the sport’s world governing body.
- Former Attorney-General **Mukul Rohatgi** - “**eminent jurist**” in the high-profile **Lokpal selection committee** led by the Prime Minister.
- The Minister of Commerce and Industry **Shri Suresh Prabhu** launched the **Intellectual Property (IP) mascot – IP Nani** in New Delhi.
- ‘**Swachhata Pakhwada**’ to **renew and reinforce the concept of cleanliness among the officers** and staff of the Department.
- To **strengthen security of women passengers in trains**, the **North Eastern Railway (NER)** plans to install ‘**panic buttons**’ in coaches.
- **2018 FIFA World Cup** will be held in **Russia** from June 14 to July 15, 2018.