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## Mou /Agreement

### International

#### MoU between India and United Kingdom

- The Union Cabinet chaired by the Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi has approved signing of a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) between India and United Kingdom regarding cooperation between both countries in the sphere of Law & Justice and to set up a Joint Consultative Committee.

<b>Monarch</b>	<b>Elizabeth II</b>
<b>Prime Minister</b>	<b>Theresa May</b>
<b>Capital</b>	<b>London</b>
<b>Currency</b>	<b>Pound sterling</b>

#### MoU between India and South Korea

- India and South Korea signed five MoUs in the field of Science & Technology. Both Agreed to establish Indo-Korean Center for Research and Innovation (IKCRI) in India.
- India and South Korea signed a joint statement agreeing to discuss an ‘early harvest’ package for the Comprehensive Economic Partnership Agreement (CEPA) aimed at identifying key areas for enhanced trade between the two countries.

<b>President</b>	<b>Moon Jae-in</b>
<b>Prime Minister</b>	<b>Lee Nak-yeon</b>
<b>Capital</b>	<b>Seoul</b>
<b>Currency</b>	<b>South Korean won</b>

#### MoU signed for enhancing bilateral cooperation in legal affairs between India and UK

- The Ministers of two countries signed a MoU for enhancing bilateral cooperation in legal affairs which, inter alia, provides a framework for promoting greater co-operation between the judicial and

legal professionals in both countries through exchange of expertise and training; exchanging information regarding current issues of international significance.

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### **Memorandum of Cooperation signed between National Police Academy and Bangladesh Police Academy**

- A Memorandum of Cooperation signed between Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel National Police Academy, Hyderabad and the Bangladesh Police Academy, Sardah, Rajshahi to establish mutual cooperation in the sphere of training, management and exchange of trainers and trainees between two Police Academies.

<b>President</b>	<b>Abdul Hamid</b>
<b>Prime Minister</b>	<b>Sheikh Hasina</b>
<b>Capital</b>	<b>Dhaka</b>
<b>Currency</b>	<b>Taka</b>

### **Memorandum of Understanding amongst BRICS Nations**

- The Union Cabinet chaired by the Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi has approved the signing of Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) amongst BRICS Nations on the Regional Aviation Partnership Cooperation viz. Brazil, Russia, India, China and South Africa.

<b>BRICS Countries</b>	<b>Brazil, Russia, India, China and South Africa.</b>
<b>Founded Year</b>	<b>June 2006</b>

### **MoU between India and Cuba**

- The Union Cabinet chaired by Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi has given its ex-post facto approval for the Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) between India and Cuba on cooperation in the field of Traditional Systems of Medicine and Homeopathy.

<b>President</b>	<b>Miguel Díaz-Canel</b>
<b>Vice President</b>	<b>Salvador Valdés Mesa</b>
<b>Capital</b>	<b>Havana</b>
<b>Currency</b>	<b>Peso (CUP)</b>

**MoU with UK for Improving Public Transport System**

- The Government has signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with United Kingdom for seeking help in improving overall public transport system in the country.

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<b>Capital</b>	<b>London</b>
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**MoU Signed between Invest India and Business France**

- Invest India and Business France has signed a MoU to promote investment facilitation and cooperation between startups of India and France.

<b>President</b>	<b>Emmanuel Macron</b>
<b>Prime Minister</b>	<b>Edouard Philippe</b>
<b>Capital</b>	<b>Paris</b>
<b>Currency</b>	<b>Euro, CFP franc</b>

**India signed MoU with Bangladesh in warship design**

- Garden Reach Ship Builders (GRSE) of Kolkata, a defence public sector undertaking, has signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with Khulna Shipyard Limited (KSY) of Bangladesh to help the country in design and construction of warships.

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**Invest India and UAE Ministry sign MoU for technological cooperation**

- Invest India and the UAE Minister for Artificial Intelligence (AI) signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) for India – UAE Artificial Intelligence Bridge in New Delhi.

<b>President</b>	<b>Khalifa bin Zayed Al Nahyan</b>
<b>Prime Minister</b>	<b>Mohammed bin Rashid Al Maktoum</b>
<b>Capital</b>	<b>Abu Dhabi</b>
<b>Currency</b>	<b>UAE dirham</b>

**National:****MoU signed for disaster management**

- The Odisha government will collaborate with the Regional Integrated Multi-Hazard Early Warning System (RIMES), based in Thailand, to manage all kinds of disasters.
- The Odisha State Disaster Management Authority on Friday signed a MoU with RIMES to enhance the early warning system for effective management of all disasters in the state.

**Agreement signed on repatriation of Bru persons to Mizoram**

- An agreement has been signed by Government of India, Governments of Mizoram and Tripura and Mizoram Bru Displaced People's Forum (MBDPF) on repatriation of displaced Bru persons from Mizoram since 1997.

**Transfer of Sashastra Seema Bal's land to the Arunachal Pradesh**

- The Union Cabinet chaired by Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi has approved the Transfer of Sashastra Seema Bal (SSB)'s land measuring 5.99 acres at Tawang to the State Government of Arunachal Pradesh for construction of a Mega-Festival-Cum-Multipurpose Ground.

**Accession to WIPO Copyright Treaty, Performance and Phonograms Treaty**

- The Union Cabinet chaired by Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi has approved the proposal submitted by Department of Industrial Policy and Promotion, Ministry of Commerce and Industry regarding accession to the WIPO Copyright Treaty and WIPO Performers and Phonograms Treaty which extends coverage of copyright to the internet and digital environment.

**NSG signs pact with IRCTC**

- National Security Guard (NSG) is the first paramilitary force to opt for e-ticketing in lieu of Railway Warrants.

**Rajasthan signs MoU with Microsoft**

- Rajasthan has emerged as the first State to sign a memorandum of understanding with Microsoft to provide digital training to 9,500 students of government colleges. It will also train 500 faculty members.

**MoU between Indian Army and State Bank of India**

- A Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) was signed between the Indian Army and SBI on the Defence Salary Package on 12 July 2018.

**Home Minister Rajnath Singh to sign MoU on “revised travel arrangements”**

- India will sign a pact with Bangladesh to ease visa restrictions for citizens from the neighbouring country.

**Airbus units partner with Indian start-ups**

- European aircraft-maker Airbus said its subsidiaries Navblue and Aerial have signed contracts with three Indian start-ups that were accelerated at Airbus Bizlab India.

**MoU with Mahametro for MRTS in Nagpur**

- Indian Railways signed MoU with Mahametro for introducing Mass Rapid Transit System (MRTS) in Nagpur.

**MoU signed between AIIA and IIT Delhi**

- Signing of a MoU between All India Institute of Ayurveda and Indian Institute of Technology, New Delhi.

**Special remission for prisoners approved by the Union cabinet**

- The Union Cabinet approved the Women and transgender convicts above 55 & male convicts over 60 who have completed half of their prison sentences will be released under an amnesty scheme during the year-long celebrations to mark the 150th birth anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi, beginning October 2.

**Cabinet relaxes NELP, pre-NELP pact rules**

- The Union Cabinet approved the policy framework to streamline production sharing contracts signed in the pre-New Exploration Licensing Policy (NELP) and NELP periods.

**MoU signed between CSIR-NPL and HPCL**

- CSIR- National Physical laboratory (NPL) has signed a MoU with Hindustan Petroleum Corporation Limited (HPCL) for indigenous development of petroleum certified reference materials (CRMs) under trade name of Bhartiya Niredeshak Dravyas (BNDTM).

**Fugitive offenders Bill passed**

- The Lok Sabha passed the Fugitive Economic Offenders Bill, which will now replace the Ordinance by the same name promulgated by the President in April.

**Greenko's 1550 MW renewable energy project cleared**

- The Andhra Pradesh State government approved the proposal of Greenko Energies Private Limited (GEPL) for the establishment of India's largest Integrated Renewable Energy Project (IREP) at Pinnapuram village in Panyam mandal of Kurnool district.
- The project comprises 1000 MW solar and 550 MW wind energy plants and 1200 MW standalone pumped storage facility.

**NITI Aayog signs SoI with Lupin Foundation**

- A Statement of Intent (SoI) was signed between NITI Aayog and Lupin Foundation to collaborate in Aspirational Districts Programme.

**NCTE amendment Bill passed**

- The Lok Sabha passed the National Council for Teacher Education (Amendment) Bill to grant retrospective recognition to Central/State institutions that are conducting teacher education courses without NCTE approval.

**Lok Sabha passes anti-graft amendment Bill**

- The Lok Sabha passed the Prevention of Corruption (Amendment) Bill, 2018 that seeks to punish bribe-givers and bribe-takers.
- The Bill provides for jail terms of three to seven years, besides fine, to those convicted of taking or giving bribes to public officials.

**Lok Sabha passes Anti-Trafficking Bill**

- The Lok Sabha passed the Trafficking of Persons (Prevention, Protection and Rehabilitation) Bill, 2018. The Bill lays down a stringent punishment of 10 years to life imprisonment for aggravated forms of trafficking.

**MoU between IOCL & ALMICO**

- UPSO-II (IOCL) dedicates Rs. 1 crore for the benefit of Divyangjans by under CSR scheme. The objective of the UPSO-II's CSR project is to empower the Disabled.

**Indian firm Ashok Leyland to supply heavy vehicles to Army**

- For the first time, an Indian vehicle manufacturer, Ashok Leyland will deliver heavy duty, high mobility vehicles for the Army's Russian-built Smerch Multi-Barrel Rocket launchers (MBRL).

**LS passes Bill on rape of girls**

- The Lok Sabha passed the Criminal Law (Amendment) Bill, 2018, that provides for the death sentence for raping a girl under 12 years and enhances the minimum punishment for rape of a woman from seven to 10 years.

**Health Ministry signs MoU with MeitY**

- Health Ministry signs MoU with Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology to facilitate access of Ayushman Bharat-National Health Protection Mission (AB-NHPM) to the last mile.

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