

March 01 - Zero Discrimination Day

- **Theme - 'Act to change laws that Discriminate'.**
- Railway Ministry said that the number of deaths on account of accidents has come down by 81 per cent in the last five years.
- The government has extended ban on the Students Islamic Movement of India (SIMI) for five years.
- Prime Minister Narendra Modi will launch five National Highways projects worth around three thousand crore rupees in Kanniyakumari, Tamil Nadu.
- Union Home Minister inaugurated Rajnath Singh NIA office in Hyderabad. He also inaugurated Guwahati office from Hyderabad.
- Indian economy expected to grow at 7.3% in 2019-20.
- The GST collection in the month of February stood at 97 thousand 247 crore rupees.
- Union Cabinet approved setting up of a Railway Zone at Vishakhapatnam in Andhra Pradesh.
- Cabinet has approved the implementation of Master Plan to convert AIIMS, New Delhi into a world class Medical University.
- The Centre has banned the Jamat-e-Islami Jammu and Kashmir for five years under anti-terror law.
- The Cabinet has approved the Memorandum of Understanding between India and the USA to access tipline reports on Missing and Exploited Children.
- The Union Cabinet has approved the Constitution (Application to Jammu and Kashmir) Amendment Order, 2019.
- Visakhapatnam hosts its first-ever International Beach Volleyball Tournament. India becomes the 50th country to host an FIVB Beach Volleyball World Tour.
- National champion Deepak Singh (49 kg) was the lone Indian boxer to notch up a gold in the Makran Cup in Chabahar, Iran.

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