

- Parliament has adopted a statutory resolution for levying 200 per cent duty on all goods originating in or exported from Pakistan.
- Government has decided to extend the ESI Act to the entire country by 2022.
- The Budget 2019 has set aside Rs.12,473.26 crore for the Department of Space about 15.6% higher amount than what was allocated for the 2018-19 fiscal.
- The Reserve Bank of India (RBI) board, which met in New Delhi, finalised a three- year roadmap to improve regulation and supervision, among other functions of the central bank Utkarsh 2022.
- The Ministry of Skill Development & Entrepreneurship has announced launch of “Kaushal Yuva Samwaad” (A Youth Dialogue).
- National Highways Authority of India (NHAI) signed an MoU with National Investment and Infrastructure Fund (NIIF).
- Rahul Dravid was formally appointed as the National Cricket Academy’s Head of Cricket by the BCCI.
- Indian Naval Ship Tarkash arrived at Tangier, Morocco today for a three day visit.
- The country’s first Indigenous Aircraft Carrier (IAC), Vikrant, is in advanced stage of construction and will be delivered to the Navy in 2021 for advanced trials.
- The Global Study on Homicide 2019 published on Monday by the UN Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC) said that about 4,64,000 people across the world were victims of homicidal violence in 2017.

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