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UIDAI has announced to introduce Aadhaar authentication using face recognition from?
A) July 1, 2018  
B) Mar 31, 2018  
C) Dec 31, 2018  
D) Oct 1, 2018

Which bank has become the first Indian Bank to cross Rs 5 trillion market cap?
A) ICICI Bank  
B) Axis Bank  
C) HDFC Bank  
D) IndusInd Bank

India successfully test-fired which nuclear-capable intercontinental ballistic missile, from Dr Abdul Kalam Island in Odisha?
A) Akash-IV  
B) Prithvi-III  
C) Agni-V  
D) Nirbhay-II

Raghunath Jha, who recently passed away, was a?
A) Scientist  
B) Politician  
C) Journalist  
D) Advocate

As per Ministry of Statistics, in December, India's consumer price inflation rose to?
A) 5.21%  
B) 4.64%  
C) 5.79%  
D) 6.13%

MoS in Ministry of Agriculture Gajendra Singh Shekhawat recently attended 10th 'Global Forum for Food and Agriculture' in?
A) Beijing  
B) New York  
C) Geneva  
D) Berlin

Which telecom company has unveiled 'Cloud and Fiber' Initiative for 2018?
A) Vodafone  
B) RCom  
C) Bharti Airtel  
D) Reliance Jio

Defence Acquisition Council (DAC) has cleared a proposal for procurement of 72,400 assault rifles and 93,895 carbines, worth?
A) Rs 3,547 crore  
B) Rs 5,374 crore  
C) Rs 2,926 crore  
D) Rs 4,132 crore

With which country did India recently sign MoU for collaboration in IT field?
A) Bangladesh  
B) Nepal  
C) Sri Lanka  
D) Myanmar

When was Indian Army Day celebrated?
A) Jan 15  
B) Jan 16  
C) Jan 14  
D) Jan 17

Which state government is going to hold a 'Blockchain Hackathon for Governance'?
A) Maharashtra  
B) Haryana  
C) Andhra Pradesh  
D) Karnataka

MoS for Power and New & Renewable Energy, Raj Kumar Singh recently attended the ministerial plenary session of the International Solar Alliance at?
A) Abu Dhabi  
B) Chennai  
C) Paris  
D) Colombo

India-Israel Business Summit was recently held in?
A) Agra  
B) Ahmedabad  
C) New Delhi  
D) Mumbai

India recently participated in its first military cooperation meeting of SCO in?
A) Astana  
B) Beijing  
C) Moscow  
D) Dushanbe
How many agreements did India sign with Israel to boost cooperation?
A) 14
B) 5
C) 9
D) 17

Centre has announced to end subsidies for the annual Haj pilgrimage. Who is the Union Minister for Minority Affairs?
A) KJ Alphons
B) Maneka Gandhi
C) Kiren Rijiju
D) Mukhtar Abbas Naqvi

Mihai Tudose recently resigned from his position as the Prime Minister of?
A) Austria
B) Spain
C) Romania
D) Peru

Which state has recently unveiled a public cloud policy?
A) Tamilnadu
B) Karnataka
C) Maharashtra
D) Gujarat

Which state government has decided to form a new NBFC for better management of surplus funds?
A) Rajasthan
B) Kerala
C) Haryana
D) Telangana

Which of the following has partnered with M&G Prudential to deliver enhanced service for its UK savings and retirement customers?
A) Infosys
B) HCL
C) TCS
D) Wipro

Three countries have given their approval to operating procedures for movement of passenger vehicles under BBIN motor vehicles agreement. Which of the following is not one of them?
A) Nepal
B) India
C) Bangladesh
D) Bhutan

Which bank has entered into a partnership with Hedge Equities for providing Portfolio Investment Scheme (PIS) services to NRIs?
A) Citi Bank
B) Yes Bank
C) Axis Bank
D) Federal Bank

Which state recently celebrated the 'Opinion Poll' day on Jan 16th?
A) Telangana
B) Karnataka
C) Goa
D) Gujarat

Footballer Ronaldinho recently announced his retirement. He hailed from?
A) Brazil
B) Spain
C) Argentina
D) Portugal

Which oil company has signed letters of intent (LoI) with two Israeli companies - Phinergy and YEDA?
A) HPCL
B) IOCL
C) BPCL
D) ONGC

Government has reduced its additional market borrowing programme from Rs 50,000 to?
A) Rs 20,000 crore
B) Rs 30,000 crore
C) Rs 10,000 crore
D) Rs 40,000 crore

Which country's securities regulator has prohibited local investment funds from investing in cryptocurrencies?
A) Russia
B) Brazil
C) India
D) South Africa

Who presented Sangeet Natak Akademi Awards (Akademi Puraskar) to 43 artists for the year 2016?
A) Narendra Modi
B) Ram Nath Kovind
C) Smriti Irani
D) Venkaiah Naidu
Which state government has announced ‘Mukhyamantri Kalakar Sahayata Yojana’ to provide pension of Rs 1200 per month to 50,000 artists?
A) Jharkhand  
B) Odisha  
C) Rajasthan  
D) Uttarakhand

Prime Minister Narendra Modi recently laid the foundation stone of Rs 43,129 crore refinery project in?
A) Barauni  
B) Numaligarh  
C) Digboi  
D) Barmer

65th Meeting of the Central Advisory Board of Education (CABE) was recently held in?
A) New Delhi  
B) Bengaluru  
C) Hyderabad  
D) Mumbai

Who will head the newly-constituted 5-judge constitution bench of SC, which will hear a range of crucial cases?
A) AK Sikri  
B) Dipak Misra  
C) AM Khanwilkar  
D) DY Chandrachud

Charu Rohatgi, who recently passed away, was a famous?
A) Singer  
B) Politician  
C) Actor  
D) Journalist

Which state government has allowed people to forge a fraternal relationship with trees, through a practice locally known as Mith/Mit or Mitini?
A) Arunachal Pradesh  
B) Sikkim  
C) Assam  
D) Mizoram

Who has been named the ICC Cricketer of the Year at the ICC Awards 2017?
A) R Ashwin  
B) Virat Kohli  
C) Rohit Sharma  
D) Jasprit Bumrah

With which country did Indian Coast Guard conduct the 8th edition of 'National Maritime Search and Rescue Workshop and Exercise' in the Bay of Bengal?
A) France  
B) Japan  
C) Sri Lanka  
D) US

As per Health Minister J P Nadda, antenatal check-ups under Pradhan Mantri Surakshit Matritva Abhiyan (PMSMA) has crossed the mark of?
A) 3 crore  
B) 1 crore  
C) 5 crore  
D) 2 crore

Principal Adviser of NITI Aayog, Ratan P. Watal recently inaugurated the first GIAN course on sustainable urban planning at?
A) IIT Kharagpur  
B) IIT Lucknow  
C) IIT Kanpur  
D) IIT Guwahati

Election Commission of India has announced to conduct assembly elections in three north-eastern states. Which of the following is not one of them?
A) Nagaland  
B) Meghalaya  
C) Tripura  
D) Mizoram
Bar Council of India (BCI) has formed a 7-member panel to resolve the differences between Supreme Court judges. Who is the chairperson of BCI?
A) Vijay Narayan
B) S. Prabhakaran
C) Manan Kumar Misra
D) Umesh S N

Scientists at which space agency have spotted the farthest known galaxy in the universe, named SPT0615-JD?
A) CNSA
B) ISRO
C) NASA
D) ESA

N S Pharande, who recently passed away, was a?
A) Sportsperson
B) Journalist
C) Advocate
D) Politician

Centre signed a MoU with Confederation of Indian Industry (CII) in which sector?
A) Transport
B) Agriculture
C) Logistics
D) Infrastructure

Which team won the third edition of the Premier Badminton League championship held in Hyderabad?
A) Hyderabad Hunters
B) Bengaluru Blasters
C) Chennai Smashers
D) Delhi Dashers

Which team won the 8th Hockey India Sub Junior Men National Championship 2018, held in Hojai, Assam?
A) Haryana
B) Assam
C) Tamilnadu
D) Punjab

Indian peacekeepers from the UN mission have rebuilt the Akoka bridge in the record time of 10 days. It is located in?
A) Congo
B) Mali
C) Haiti
D) South Sudan

Who has been inducted in the WWE Hall of Fame Class of 2018?
A) Seth Rollins
B) Bill Goldberg
C) Jason Jordan
D) Brock Lesnar

Pandit Buddhadev Dasgupta, who recently passed away, was associated with?
A) Literature
B) Law
C) Music
D) Politics

As per the data released by the commerce ministry, exports grew at what percent in December 2017 on YoY basis?
A) 10.78%
B) 27.92%
C) 12.36%
D) 19.83%

Which state’s HC has made it mandatory to obtain Aadhaar Cards of accused persons and sureties for granting bail?
A) Gujarat
B) Chhattisgarh
C) Kerala
D) Karnataka

Which of the following have been unveiled as the mascots of the ‘Khelo India’ initiative by Union Sports Minister Rajyavardhan Singh Rathore?
1. Vijay the tiger
2. Jaya the black buck
3. Rani the peacock
4. Heera the elephant
A) 1 & 2
B) 2 & 3
C) 3 & 4
D) 1 & 4
Who has been appointed as the CMD of Security Printing and Minting Corporation of India Ltd (SPMCIL)?
A) Laxminath Naidu
B) Saikanth Uppal
C) R Sunkara
D) S Selvakumar

Which of the following has launched an Intellectual Property Competition named "IPrism"?
A) NITI Aayog
B) CIPAM
C) ECGC
D) DGFT

Which country has built the world's largest air purifier?
A) China
B) India
C) Japan
D) US

India Ratings and Research (Ind-Ra) has projected India's economic growth in 2018-19 to improve to?
A) 7.3%
B) 6.9%
C) 7.5%
D) 7.1%

Which of the following has topped the "Top 100 Global Technology Leaders" list published by Thomson Reuters?
A) Alphabet
B) IBM
C) Apple
D) Microsoft

How much amount of investment has the DoT announced for improving the telecommunication network in the northeastern states?
A) Rs 10,743 crore
B) Rs 31,859 crore
C) Rs 22,462 crore
D) Rs 19,374 crore

Who was recently conferred the Honorary Fellowship of Institute of Company Secretaries of India (ICSI)?
A) PP Chaudhary
B) Upendra Kushwaha
C) Kiren Rijiju
D) Mahendra Nath Pandey

Supreme Court has declared attack by khap panchayats against an adult man and woman opting for inter-caste marriage to be "absolutely illegal". The SC bench was led by?
A) D Y Chandrachud
B) Dipak Misra
C) A M Khanwilkar
D) AK Sikri

Which state cabinet has approved 1% reservation for orphans in government jobs and education?
A) Rajasthan
B) Andhra Pradesh
C) Chhattisgarh
D) Maharashtra

Which bank has tied up with Amplus Energy Solutions to co-finance projects in the solar energy sector?
A) Axis Bank
B) Yes Bank
C) Kotak Mahindra Bank
D) IndusInd Bank

With which bank has Invoicemart tied-up to discount invoices for MSMEs?
A) Bank of Baroda
B) Vijaya Bank
C) Punjab National Bank
D) State Bank of India

Three states have opted out of the Centre’s Transformation of Aspirational Districts scheme. Which of the following is not one of them?
A) Punjab
B) West Bengal
C) Kerala
D) Odisha
World's fifth largest diamond, weighing 182 grams, has recently been discovered in?
A) Malawi
B) Lesotho
C) Botswana
D) Swaziland

Who has been appointed as UK's first-ever minister in charge of combating loneliness and social isolation?
A) Tracey Crouch
B) Nicola Sturgeon
C) Diane Abbott
D) Yvette Cooper

Who recently took over as the new Chief of Staff, Western Naval Command?
A) Anant Saini
B) Ravneet Singh
C) Satish Reddy
D) AB Singh

Which nation has lifted all restrictions on the use of the Internet?
A) China
B) Pakistan
C) Iran
D) Bangladesh

Jo Jo White, who recently passed away, was associated with which sport?
A) Basketball
B) Cricket
C) Football
D) Boxing

Which country has launched a new guided-missile frigate called 'Wuhai'?
A) Russia
B) Pakistan
C) China
D) Japan

W B Rao, who recently passed away, was a?
A) Politician
B) Journalist
C) Cyclist
D) Cinematographer

India recently began the joint military exercise 'Vajra Prahar' with?
A) US
B) Russia
C) France
D) UK

Kashinath, who recently passed away, was associated with?
A) Sports
B) Film industry
C) Politician
D) Journalism

Which state government has signed an MoU with the Centre titled, 'School Education Transformation Roadmap'?
A) Jammu and Kashmir
B) Tamilnadu
C) Goa
D) Assam

Indian PM Narendra Modi and Israeli PM Benjamin Netanyahu recently inaugurated the iCreate centre in?
A) Agra
B) New Delhi
C) Ahmedabad
D) Mumbai

RBI has announced that all the designs of Rs 10 coin are valid and legal tender for transactions. How many designs of Rs 10 coins are in circulation?
A) 21
B) 18
C) 9
D) 14

NV Sankaran, who recently passed away, was?
A) Politician
B) Actor
C) Cricketer
D) Journalist

Which state/UT government has signed a friendship agreement for cooperation in various fields with Fukuoka Prefecture in Japan?
A) Maharashtra
B) Delhi
C) Gujarat
D) Puducherry
Who inaugurated a Central Government Health Services Wellness Centre in Bambolim, Goa?
A) Anupriya Patel
B) Manohar Parrikar
C) Shripad Naik
D) JP Nadda

Who has been appointed as the MD & CEO of NCDEX?
A) Hemant Jain
B) Samir Shah
C) Deepak Mittal
D) Vijay Kumar