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M L Srivastava appointed protem chairman of Lalit Kala Akademi

एम एल श्रीवास्तव ने ललित कला अकादमी के प्रतिभा अध्यक्ष नियुक्त किया

- ❖ On 31st March 2018, it was announced that, M L Srivastava has been appointed as the protem chairman of the Lalit Kala Akademi. M L Srivastava – protem chairman of Lalit Kala Akademi. M L Srivastava is Joint Secretary (Akademies) at the Ministry of Culture. He has been appointed the Protem Chairman of Lalit Kala Akademi with immediate effect by the President based on the recommendation of the Minister of Culture. He will hold this post until a regular chairman is appointed. The previous administrator of Lalit Kala Akademi is CS Krishna Setty.

10% import Duty on Key Smartphone Parts Levied

चाबी स्मार्टफोन पार्ट्स पर 10% आयात शुल्क लगाया गया

- ❖ The government of India has imposed 10% import duty on key smartphone components. It includes populated printed circuit boards, which are at the heart of smartphones. A 10 percent customs tax was also imposed on the imports of camera modules for phones and connectors. The decision is taken to give a push to Make in India campaign. In the Budget 2018-19, the government increased the customs duty on mobile phones to 20 percent from 15 percent. India is now the second largest mobile phone producer in the world after China, as per information shared by the Indian Cellular Association (ICA) with Telecom Minister Manoj Sinha and IT Minister Ravi Shankar Prasad. India covered 11 percent of global mobile production in 2017 compared to 3 percent in 2014.

India ranks 37th in global startup ecosystem in 2017: Report

2017 में वैश्विक स्टार्टअप इकोसिस्टम में भारत का स्थान 37 वें स्थान पर है: रिपोर्ट

- ❖ India ranked 37th in the global startup ecosystem in 2017, according to a report released by global startup ecosystem map Start up blink. The list, measuring startup ecosystem strength and activity, was topped by the United States followed by the United Kingdom.

Multi Modal Logistic Park inaugurated at Balli, Goa

बाली, गोवा में उद्घाटन मल्टी मोडल लॉजिस्टिक पार्क

- ❖ Multi Modal Logistics Park at Balli Station near Madgaon in Goa was recently inaugurated. The park is located on Konkan Railway route. It has been set as per MoU entered between Konkan Railway & Container Corporation of India Ltd (CONCOR). It will benefit trade and industry from economic transport solutions and state of art facilities.

Indo-Kyrgyzstan joint training exercise KHANJAR-V concludes

भारत-किर्गिस्तान संयुक्त प्रशिक्षण अभ्यास खंजर-वी ने निष्कर्ष निकाला

- ❖ The fifth Indo-Kyrgyzstan Joint Training Exercise KHANJAR-V culminated on 29 March, after a joint tactical validation exercise and a closing ceremony held at Counter Insurgency Jungle Warfare School. Two week of joint training that commenced on 16 March included understanding tactics of platoon level, developing inter operability and sharing of best practices.

MoU between Indian Army and HDFC Bank

भारतीय सेना और एचडीएफसी बैंक के बीच समझौता ज्ञापन

- ❖ A Memorandum of Undertaking (MoU) was signed between the Indian Army and HDFC Bank on the Defence Salary Package on 03 Apr 2018. The first MoU between HDFC Bank and the Indian Army was signed in 2011 and was renewed on 13 Mar 2015. The current MoU is tailor made to suit the requirements of serving soldiers, pensioners and families. Currently Indian Army has MoUs on Defence Salary Package with 11 public and private sector banks.

Sindhu, Srikanth bag top honours at ESPN Multi-Sport Awards

सिंधु, श्रीकांत ने ईएसपीएन मल्टी-स्पोर्ट अवार्ड्स में शीर्ष सम्मान प्रदान किया

- ❖ Shuttlers ruled the roost as PV Sindhu and Kidambi Srikanth were today named 'Sportspersons of the Year' with their coach Pullela Gopichand being adjudged 'best coach' at the inaugural ESPN Multi-Sport Awards. Srikanth claimed the title of 'Sportsperson of the Year – Male' for his incredible run, bagging four Super Series titles. He became the only Indian and the fourth player ever to achieve it in one calendar year. Rio Olympics silver medalist Sindhu clinched the Sportsperson of the Year – Female' title for her fantastic performance round the year, winning the Indian and Korean Open Super Series titles. Other winners included the Indian National Women's Hockey Team, which bagged the 'Team of the Year' title for their first Asia Cup triumph in 13 years.

21st Commonwealth Games to begin today

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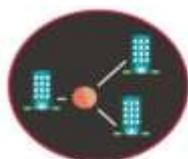
- ❖ The 2018 Commonwealth Games, officially known as the XXI Commonwealth Games and commonly known as Gold Coast 2018, is an international multi-sport event for members of the Commonwealth that will be held on the Gold Coast, Queensland, Australia, between 4 and 15 April 2018. It will be the fifth time Australia has hosted the Commonwealth Games. A total of 275 events will be held in 19 sports. Opening ceremony will be held in Carrara Stadium. The official motto for the 2018 Commonwealth Games is "Share the Dream". Borobi was named as the mascot of the 2018 Commonwealth Games.

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