International News

November – 3

- “FAKE NEWS”, a term heavily popularized by US president Donald Trump has been named the ‘word of the year’ by Collins dictionary

- Banking

- AU Small Finance Bank received approval from Reserved bank of India(RBI) to operate as scheduled Commercial Bank

- ICICI Bank announced the launch of India’s first vice –based international remittance service to enable (NRIS) to send money to any bank in India

November – 4

- An International Conference on ‘Ramayan Circuit and Mithila - Awadh Relations’ started in Nepal

- Kazakhstan is changing its name to ‘Qazaqstan’ as a part of a transition from Cyrillic to a Latin based script

- A female bottlenose dolphin named ‘Nana’ thought to be around 47 years Old has died at a Japanese aquarium

November – 5

- President of Armenia, Serzh sargsyan arrived in New Delhi on a three day visit to India.

- China rubber-stamp legislature has made disrespecting the national anthem a criminal offense punishable up to 3yrs in prison.

- The minister of Youth affairs and Sports Rajyavardhan Rathore is going to attend World Youth forum, scheduled to be held at Sharm El Sheikh.
November – 6

- China has unveiled Asia’s largest artificial island – building ship. The 140m long vessel, which has been dubbed as ‘Magic Island Maker’

- NASA – backed starlight program has selected tardigrades and a roundworm special as earth’s first interstellar Voyagers

November – 7

- China Successfully launched two BeiDou-3 satellites named BeiDou – 3 M1 and BeiDou – 3 M2 into space from Xichang satellite launch centre.

- Guinea becomes new member of International Solar Alliance.

November – 8

- The Indian Pavilion at conference of Parities (Cop -23) was inaugurated by Union Minister Forest and Climate change Dr. Harsh Vardhan at Bonn in Germany

- Nepal inaugurated abridge built with India’s financial assistance of USD 430, 626 on the Kali Gandaki river near China Border

November – 10

- Hong Kong is the world’s Top city for International Visits says market research firm Euromonitor International’s report

- Bank of China formally launched its operation in Pakistan with its first branch inaugurated in Karachi

- US President Donald Trump and other world leaders are to address the annual Asia – Pacific Economic Co – operation Summit in Vietnam

November – 11

- Two-day International Energy Ministerial meets held in Paris, France.

- Qatar has appointed four women to one of its most important consultative bodies, the Shura Council, for the first time in the country’s history.
November – 14

- International Rice Research Institute (IRRI) in Los Banos, Philippines was inaugurated by ‘Shri Narendra Modi Resilient Rice field Laboratory’

- Nepal will host a three day summit in Kathmandu to strengthen economic integration in the sub-region for attaining inclusive and sustainable development. The summit will start from tomorrow.

November – 15

- United Nations is set to open its first official talks on the use of autonomous weapons, including killer robots at the convention on certain conventional weapons for 5 days, in Geneva.

November – 16

- China has launched world’s first all electric ship that can travel up to 80 km with 2000 tones cargo after a two hour charge

- Saudi Arabia declared that Yoga has been listed under ‘Sports activities’

- According to the UN report, Syria officially signed up to the Paris Climate Agreement leaving the United States as the only country to reject the global climate rescue Pact

- India, US, Japan, Australia Holds first Quad Talks on Indo Pacific co-operation

- A curtain Raiser event for the founding ceremony of the International solar Alliance was held in Born Germany

November – 18

- US approved first pill with digital tracking device

- The first global ministerial conference on Ending TB in the Moscow, Russia

November – 19

- The Iraqi forces successfully liberated town of Rawa from ISIS
November – 21

- Qatar has been named the world’s richest country as per the recent IMF report in the world per Capita

- The UNFCCC climate change conference (Cop23) was presided over by Government of Fiji

- The 13th Asia – Europe foreign ministers meeting began in Myanmar’s capital city of Nay Pyi Taw with a total of 51 countries participating in the meeting

- Sarajevo Haggadah the 14th century richly in UNESCO’s memory of the world

November – 25

- Myanmar and Bangladesh have signed a MOU for the return of over six lakh Rohingya Muslims who had fled to Bangladesh by the Myanmar Military.

November – 26

- International Multilateral Maritime search and Rescue Exercise (IMMS AREX) the first ever operational exercise held under the aegis of India Ocean Naval Symposium in Bangladesh

November – 27

- Ayodha Mahotsav depicting the cultural heritage of the temple town would be Staged in Seoul and Gimhae cities of South Korea next year

- Iran allows women weightlifters to compete internationally after establishing the Iran weightlifting federation

- China Successfully launched remote Sensing Satellites designed to conduct electromagnetic poles and other experiment

November – 28

- India and Russia have singed comprehensive anti – terror pact agreement for enhancing bilateral co-operation in tacking all forms of terrorism and the count

- India and Greece have singed Air service Agreement and MOU on co-operation in the field of New and renewable energy
• WHO for first time formulated clinical guidelines on responding to children and adolescents who have been sexually abused

• Indonesia raised its warning for Bali’s Mount Agung Volcano to the top level four alert closed the holiday island airport

November – 30

• Developing countries will receive $540 million to continue their work in phasing out Ozone – depleting chemicals according to UN Environment Programme

• India has pledged to contribute about USD 2.87 million to Afghanistan in its latest financial assistance to the neighboring country. The assistance will be used to repair around 350 public buses in the country

National News

November – 1

• King of Bhutan, Jigme Khesar Namgyel Wangchuck, arrived in New Delhi on four – day visit to India

• The Ninth edition of CMS Vatavaran an international film festival on environment and wildlife – Will begin in New Delhi

• Global meet on India Space industry in November will be held in New Delhi

• Indian Air force contingent leaves for Israel to participate in ‘Ex-Blue flag-17’

November – 2

• President Shri Ram Nath Kovind inaugurated the Global Clubfoot Conference being organised by the cure India in partnership, in New Delhi.

• The maximum age of joining the National Pension System from the existing 60 years to 65 years.
The Haryana government announced lifetime monthly pension to the Hindi ‘Satyagrahis’ from the state who jailed during emergency – 1975.

Uttar Pradesh cabinet decided to make India’s first conservation reserve for blackbuck in Allahabad Meja.

Assam government signed Memorandum of understanding and Term of Reference with Singapore for skilling youth of state.

Troops of Indian and Kazakhstan will engage in 14-day joint exercise ‘Prabal Dastyk’ 2017 in Bakloh belt of Himachal Pradesh.

The 210 mtr. High statue of Chhatrapathi Sivaji Maharaj has received environmental clearance making it the world’s tallest statue.

November – 3

The president of India Shri. Ram Nath Govind inaugurated the 2017 world congress of Mental health in New Delhi

The Inter –State council which is mandated to investigate and advise on disputes between states has been reconstituted with Prime Minister Narendra Modi as its chairman

According to a joint study by ASSOCHAM and EY, India is home to the largest number of malnourished children in the world

The restored ‘Royal Opera House’ located at Mumbai has received the Award of merit from the 2017 UNESCO Asia – Pacific awards for Cultural heritage Conservation

Odisha development Authority (ODSA) and Singapore bared education services signed a MOU for skill development in the state

Walmart stores has opened a fulfillment centre or ‘dark store’ in India one of its first globally in an effort to speed up operations in the country.

PM Modi Flaged off Run unity is New Delhi to mark the 142nd birth anniversary of Sardar Vallabhai Patel.

Union Minister of social justice and empowerment Ramdas Athawale launched the Pradhan Mantri Bhartiya Jan Aushadhi Pariyojana in Mumbai with an objective of making quality medicine at affordable prices at all.
- World Vegan Day – Nov 1
- Rashtriya Ekta Diwas (National Unity Day) celebrated as Oct 31.

- Five States – Haryana, Madhya Pradesh, Kerala, Chhattisgarh and Karnataka are celebrating their Foundation Day on Nov 1.

**November – 4**

- The Cabinet Committee on Economic Affairs chaired by PM Modi approved extension of the Rashtriya Krishi Vikas Yojana (RKVY) as RKVY – RAFTAAR (Remunerative Approaches for Agriculture and Allied Sector Rejuvenation)
- PM Modi inaugurated the “world food India 2017” event at Vigyan Bhavan in New Delhi
- A Pan India scholarship program for school children called Deen Dayal SPARSH Yojana has been launched by the government to increase the reach of Philately
- The Centre has informed the Supreme Court that Aadhaar and mobile number must be linked by February 6, 2018
- The Border Roads Organisation (BRO) has constructed the world’s highest motorable road in the cold desert of Ladakh
- Sonepur Cattle fair, considered as Asia’s largest fair started in Bihar
- Two day Coastal Security exercise ‘Sagar Kavach’ Started in Goa

**November – 6**

- India will be free from poverty, corruption terrorism by 2022 by national Institution for Transforming India (NITI Aayog)
- The Indian railway has decided to install Aadhar based biometric attendance system across its zones and divisions
- The Goa government executed a trilateral MOU with the government of India (GOI) and Nobel media to hold the ‘Nobel prize series – India 2018’
• Trademark Hyderabadi dishes briyani, bagara baingan and seviyan have all made their way into India postage, with the department of post issuing stamps with photos of the same

• The Delhi Metro rail corporation Ltd installed the Nobel memorial wall at Rajiv Chowk Metro station

• Inauguration of 3 day international conference – FIPSPHYSIOCON 2017 by Defence Institute of Physiology and Allied Science (DIPAS) at New Delhi

November – 7

• Tata steel has established India’s largest Coke dry Quenching facility, capable of handling 200 metric tonnes per hour at Kalinganagar industrial Complex

• The annual Balijatra festival was Inaugurated at the Gadagadia Ghat in Cuttack on the banks of river Mahanadi

• The India and the Bangladeshi to hold joint military combat exercise ‘Exercise Sampriti’ at Vairengte in Mizoram

• Telangana set to provide 24×7 power supply in order to boost farm sector.

• Assam CM Sarbananda sonowal rolled out 647 schemes entailing an investment of Rs.24.57 crore for development of world’s largest river island Majuli

• PM Modi to participate in the 75th anniversary celebration of Thanthi in Chennai

November – 8

• Railway has launched the main arch of the world’s highest bridge on the River Chenab in Jammu and Kashmir’s Reasi district

• Coal India has launched ‘Grahak Sadak Koyla Vitaran App’ benefitting customers of coal India Limited lifting coal through road mode

• India has pledged an additional USD 100 million towards the UN partnership fund, significantly scaling up its support to sustainable development projects across the developing world

• Manipur is to host 10-day Shanghai International Festival beginning Nov 21 that will feature Polo and a 21km half Marathon among other activities
- India Successfully test – fired the indigenously designed and developed long – range subsonic cruise missile Nirbhay from an Integrated Test Range (ITR) at Chandipur in Odisha’s Balasore.

- Nagaland aims to promote ‘Plastic free’ motive through Hornbill festival.

- The State government is on the ‘No load shedding mission’ for the orange city and its rural areas. It has approved 312 crores under Deen Dayal Upadhyay Gram Jyoti Yojana.

- Vice President M.Venkaiah Naidu to inaugurate 9th edition of Agro vision, central India’s biggest agriculture summit at Reshimbagh Ground.

- ‘Operation Digital Board’ to run in every school. The main focus will be Digital Education, physical Education, Value Education, Life Skills in Education and Experimental learning.

November – 9

- Chennai included in UNESCO’s Creative cities Network for contribution in Music.

- According to government, a multi agency group headed by CBDT chairman Sushil Chandra will investigate the paradise papers on offshore financial holdings including a list 714 Indian Individuals and entities.

- A committee of government officials headed by M. Vinod Kumar has started a review of the laws governing goods and service tax signaling there is no reluctance to make the regime smoother for businesses.

- In the race to go digital, businesses judge India’s Silicon Valley – Bangalore – the best host among 45 cities world wide.

- The 20th International children’s film festival has been kick started in Hyderabad.

- India’s Second Technology and Innovation support centre established in Chennai at centre of Intellectual property Rights.
• The Indian Navy is likely to go with an advanced catapult – based aircraft launch Mechanism CATOBAR from the U.S for its second indigenous aircraft carrier (IAC-II)

• Information and Broadcasting Minister Smriti Irani flagged off Digital Rath in New Delhi to create awareness among people for cashless transaction

• The Kerala Government inked an MOU with Intel and UST Global for exploring the possibility of transforming the State into an electronic hardware Manufacturing hub.

November – 10

• A New passenger train between west Bengal and Bangladesh, Bandhan Express was flagged off by PM Modi and Bangladesh PM Sheikh Hasina Via video conferencing

• The Union Minister of state for Home Affairs Kiren Rijiju inaugurated the Indian Disaster Response summit organized jointly by NDMA (National Management Authority) and Facebook in New Delhi

• Haryana has become the first State in the Country to treat Hepatitis –C patients through oral medicine

• Kerala government launched ‘She Pad’ a Scheme to distribute free Sanitary napkins to girl students from classes 6th to 12th in government and private schools

• The Delhi government announced that the odd – even scheme will be re – introduced in National capital

• The Union government notified the third protocol between. India and New Zealand for the avoidance of double taxation and Prevention of fiscal evasion with respect to taxes on income

• The Delhi government signed a twin city agreement Establishment of friendship city relationship with the Seoul Metropolitan government for strengthening co – operation in the fields of e – governance, transportation Climate change and Smart city
• The **Union Agriculture and Farmers welfare minister Radha Mohan Singh** inaugurated the **three day organic world congress** at India Expo centre in Greater Noida

November – 11

• **Telangana state** Assembly passed the Telangana **Prevention of Dangerous Activities** of Bootleggers, Dacoits, Drug offenders, and **Land grabbers Amendment Bill 2017**

• Indians can soon get their ‘**mini**’ version of **Niagara** Falls in Bangalore iconic **Lalbagh botanical garden**.

• **Ayurvedic AIIMS** will be set up in **Haryana panchkula** to promote **Ayurveda** in the state.

• **The Economic advisory council** holds second meeting at NITI Aayog in New Delhi.

• The first ever **Nordic – Baltic Youth film festival** of European nations held in Delhi.

• **India re-elected** as the member of UNESCO’s executive board its top decision – making body.

November – 12

• The **Union Minister Rajnath Singh** chaired the **second meeting of Island Development Agency** in New Delhi.

• The union environment ministry formed a **seven members committee** headed by environment secretary **C.K. Mishra** to formulate short and long period measures to **solve** the problem of **air pollution** in NCR – Delhi.

• The government has **tripled home loan limit** for **central government employees** to Rs.25 lakhs.

• A **1.5 MW** small hydropower plant in **Biaras Drass** of Kargil in **Jammu Kashmir** has become the first project to be commissioned under PM **Ladakh Renewable Energy** initiative.
The union ministry has formed **two new divisions** to exclusively deal with emerging security challenges such as **radicalization** and **cyber crime**.

The Island Agency decided to **develop** and **airport** of **Minicoy Island** to boast tourism and promote tuna fishing industry for **improving livelihoods** in Lakshadweep.

**November – 13**

According to **global risk index** (CRI) a report by **Germanwatch**, India is the **Sixth** most **Vulnerable country** in the world in terms of **facing extreme weather** events with Haiti.

**Gurugram** to have north India’s **biggest butterfly Park** which will be development on **15 acres** in sector 52 in Gurugram.

With a **Air Quality index** on **491** on the **500 point Scale**, **Varanasi** has become the **most polluted** Indian city among 42 cities.

**Union cabinet** has approved **Rs. 25,703 crore** for development **Exhibition cum convention Centre** at **Dwarka**.

The **government** has decided to give **proxy voting rights** to over **25 million non – resident Indians** spread across the world, **Attorney general K.K. Venugopal**.

**India** holds **Dubai’s first ever AYUSH conference** toSpread **awareness** about the prevention and management of **lifestyle diseases** through Yoga and Ayurveda.

- **Theme**: Lifestyle disease

**PM Modi** left for the **Philippines** where he will participate in various **bilateral and multilateral programmes**, including the **India – ASEAN Summit**.

**November – 14**

The government has launched **phase 2** of **Bharat Net** to connect **1.5 lakh gram panchayat** with high speed broadband by **March 2019**.

The ministry of women and child development would be celebrating the Child Rights week by hosting ‘**Hausla 2017**’ festival from **16-20 November 2017**.

The National Green Tribunal directed the authorities to **restrict** the number of **pilgrims visiting the VaishnoDevi Shrine in Jammu and Kashmir to 50,000 a day** to avoid any mishap.
• Minister of Development of North East Region Jitendra Singh announced that the north east region will get India’s first Air Dispensary.

• The Indian Ocean RIM Association (IORA) common platform of 21 countries including India and geographically bordering Indian Ocean is to set up a centre of Excellence in Kochi.

• Ten Railway stations spread across the country are set to redevelop with airport like amenities with an investment of Rs.5000 cr

• The occasion of 17th Jharkhand Foundation Day the state government will distribute an assets worth Rs.5000 cr on Nov 15

• The Sainik Sankshema Sabha will be organised in all district of Andhra Pradesh and Telangana.

• Union Minister of state for Youth Affairs and Sports Rajyavardhan Rathore released the ‘India Youth Development’ Index and Report 2017’ in New Delhi.

November – 15

• The Indian Railways will launch the country’s largest time bound ‘upskilling’ exercise for government employees to upgrade the skillset of 13 lakh strong workforce.

• The power minister has launched a centralized platform for collation and dissemination of Indian power sector information.

• India’s first tribal Entrepreneurship summit organized at Dantewada.

• India’s are the second highest public bingers in the world according to a survey.
• Binge means indulge in an activity especially eating to excess.

• Uttar Pradesh has topped in opening new Pradhan Mantri Jan Dhan Yojana.

• 37th India International Trade fair has begun at Pragati Mandir in New Delhi.
  ◦ Theme: Startup India standup India

• 10th South Asia Economic Summit (SAES) has begun in Kathmandu. Theme: Deepening Economic Integration for Inclusive and sustainable Development in South Asia.
• Filmmaker Sujoy Gosh has resigned as Head of the jury of the Indian panorama of the 48th International film festival of India.

• India and Philippines Inks four agreement in various fields including Defence co-operation Logistics, agriculture, micro, medium and small Enterprise (MSME)

November – 16

• National press day – November 16

• Maharashtra CM informed that the centre has given approval for Rs. 10000 crore for 107 Maharashtra irrigation to Pilgrims

• First APCERT (Asia Pacific Computer Emergency Response Team) conference held in New Delhi

• National Green Tribunal rapped the proper infrastructure facilities to pilgrims

• India is ranked 14th in this year’s climate change performance 2018

• Himachal Pradesh hosted the International Lavi Fair at Rampur Bushahr in Shimla district

• India’s first wave powered navigational buoy, developed by the National Institute of Ocean Technology(NIOT)

• Andhra Pradesh hosting its first ever hot – air balloon festival

November – 17

• Power and new Renewable energy ministry launched the Pradhan Mantri Sahaj Bijli Har Ghar Yojana – ‘Saubhagya’ web portal

• The target of 100 % completion of installing bio toilets in the Indian Railway Coaches has been advanced to December 2018

• India to host the global conference on Cyber Space at Aero city, New Delhi

• 12th North East Business summit inaugurated in New Delhi

• Hunar Haat was inaugurated at India International Trade Fair (IIFT) at India Maiden, New Delhi, a successful mission to provide employment for thousands of master artisans
• **Indian Peacekeepers in South Sudan** have been putting the high effort in the conflict torn region of South Sudan. Their dedication for **peace** has been **awarded by United Nations**

• The International rating agency **moody’s** investor Service **upgraded** India’s local and foreign currency issuer rating to Baa2 from Baa3 for the **first time** in 14 years

• Nepal electricity authority (NEA) signed a joint venture **agreement** with **China three gorges corporation** a Chinese company to construct **750 mw West Seti Hydropower project**

• **Karnadaka** state government to install **Wi – Fi Facility in all gram Panchayats** across the Panchayats

• **Nagaland** became the **first** among the North Eastern states to launch **point of sale for electricity bill payment**

• India is overtaking China to become world’s largest emitter of anthropogenic **Sulphor di – oxide**

• President **Ramanath Govind** has launched JOHAR Scheme worth Rs. **1500 cr** on the occasion of State Establishment day. The world Bank aided JOHAR(Jharkhand Opportunities for Harnessing Rural Growth) Scheme aimed at doubling the income of two lakh rural poor

• Vice President M. Venkaiah Naidu has inaugurated the 2017 **AP Ag Tech summit** organized by **Andhra government** in Visakhapatnam

• **DR. Subhash Bhamre** the Raksha Rajya Mantri has represented the Government of India at UN peacekeeping Defence Ministerial Vancouver 2017

  **November – 18**

• **The Bihar govt** gave its nod for setting up a ‘**State Ayush Society**’ to give a boost to **alternative Medicine** in the state

• The **Araku Valley Visakhapatnam** in **Andhra Pradesh** hosted the **first edition** of its **Hot Air Balloon Festival**. It is organized to **Promote tourism**

• **Maharashtra** government in a bid to become **plastic free state 2018** and has banned **Packaged water bottles** in **Mantralaya** and other government offices
The Maharashtra govt has set up a seven-member committee headed by Additional chief secretary Sudhir Shrivastava to recommend ways to stop the custodial deaths.

A seminar on cyber security in the content of Indian Navy was held in New Delhi.

Nagaland becomes the first North east state to launch Point of Sale (POS) facility for electricity bill payment. Where the mode of payment will be Cashless.

November – 19

Union Cabinet approves an increase in carpet area of houses eligible for Interest Subsidy under credit linked subsidy scheme for middle income group under Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana.

Maharashtra CM Fadnavis launches initiative to curb childhood obesity which will benefit over 6000 children in Pune and make them aware of their Body Mass Index (BMI).

The WHO Global Ministerial Conference “Ending TB in the sustainable Development Era: A Multi sectoral Response” was held in Moscow.

India and France have agreed to deepen security co-operation bilaterally and in the multilateral Fora to combat terrorism.

Maharashtra Government announced a ban on plastic bottle, from 18 March 2018. Which will cover government offices, function and educational institution.

Telangana and Patanjali Group join hands together to establish Food park in Telangana.

November – 20

Indian oil corporation (IOC) has collaborated with app based taxi aggregator Ola to launch the country’s first electric charging station in Nagpur.

The 42nd World Congress of the International committee of military medicine (ICMM) begins in New Delhi.
• **Theme**: ‘Military Medicine in Transition Looking ahead’

• The 12th Biennial International conference and Exposition of Society of Petroleum and Geophysicists (SPG) was held at Jaipur

• An interim meeting of the Steering committee of the International Monetary Fund’s South Asia Regional Training and technical assistance centre (SARTTAC) was held in New Delhi

• The Union cabinet setting up National anti – profiteering authority, for applying anti – profiteering measures in event of reduction GST rate on the Supply of goods and Service

• Assam Launches its first air ambulance for the public in the state

• Andhra Pradesh soon to get a centre of excellence on space sciences and technologies at Hindupur

**November – 21**

• The Indian government is the third most trusted government in the world, a survey by the world Economic forum has revealed

• Delhi’s Khan market is the world’s 24th most expensive retail location, 11th in Asia - Pacific

• The Federation of obstetric and Gynecological Societies of India launched ‘Manyata’- a nationwide movement urging the need for quality care for mothers during child birth. This was flagged off by Shilpa Shetty and Pankaja Munde, minister of Rural development women and Child welfare government of Maharashtra

• Radha Mohan Singh inaugurated world Fisheries Day celebration on 21st November

• United Nation – Universal Children’s day Nov 20. Theme: Kids take over

• The ministry of Health and family welfare launched daily drug Regimen for treatment of Tuberculosis Patients across the Country under the Revis.

• Interim meeting of steering committee of IMP’s south Asia Regional Training and Technical assistance centre (SARTTAC) was held in New Delhi
November – 22

- **India** has improved its ranking to **51 globally in terms of ability** to attract, **develop and retain talent**

- **World’s biggest toilet** pot model at **Marora Popularly known as ‘Trump Village’** in **Gurugram, Haryana**

- **Sri Lankan PM Ranil Wickremesinghe** arrives in **Bangladesh or a 3 day visit to India**

- President **Ramnath Kovind** reached **Imphal** to inaugurate the **Manipur Sangai Festical 2017**

- **Maharashtra** Government set to **Constitute ‘Gender Budget Cells’** to effectively Implement welfare Schemes of **women and children**

- **Nagaland, Andaman & Nicobar Island** signed MoU with India under **UDAY (Ujwal Discom Assurance Yojana) Scheme**

- **India** becomes **second Largest Fish producing Country** in the **world**. The Production reached about **11.41 million tonnes** in **2016 – 2017**

- The Indian **Film festival of India** was launched at **Panaji in Goa** by actor **Sridevi**

- **India’s mission to the sun** will be launched in **2019 from Sriharikota in Andhra Pradesh** on the **PSLU – XL launch Vehicle**

- **India** and **Russia** have joined their **hands and signed** a pact for giving **Visa – Free entry** to his **crew members** of Chartered and scheduled **flights in both the nations**
November – 23

- Cabinet approves establishment of 15th Finance Commissions which will assess the tax resource of the nation and suggest a formula for their devolution among states.

- The cabinet has given approval to the new scheme called ‘Mahila Sakthi Kendra’ which will empower rural women through community participation to create an environment in which they realize their full potential.

- The union cabinet approved India’s membership for European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD) a more which will help in obtain funding in various areas including service and Manufacturing.

- The government constituted a task force for redrafting the 50yr old income tax law.

- Face book Aims to train 15 lakh Indians on Digital skills by 2020.

- India successfully tests worlds fastest supersonic ‘Brahmos’ from the Indian Airforce frontline fighter aircraft Sukhoi-30MK1 against a sea based target in the Bay of Bengal.

- Rajasthan government has launched ‘Dishari’ an educational mobile application that provides free study materials for youths preparing for competitive examinations.

- Union Agriculture minister Radha Mohan Singh has sent a proposal to UN for declaring 2018 as “Year of Millets” to raise awareness among consumers, policy makers industry and research sector.

- The union Ministry of Health and family Welfare observed vasectomy fortnight to raise awareness about male sterilization and to promote men participate in family planning.

- Conference of Commanders of Eastern Air command commence shillong in Meghalaya.

- Andhra Bank Launches Sitaramayya — Self Business Group (PS-SBG) to encourage Entrepreneurship.

- Jp Nadda inaugurates the 1st world conference on Access to medical products in New Delhi.

- Telangana makes Telugu compulsory till Intermediate, including CBSE and ICSE schools from next academic year.

November – 24

- Prime Minister Modi has launched among mobile application an integrated platform for government to citizen service.
PM Modi inaugurated first global conference on cyber space

Theme: A secure and inclusive cyberspace for sustainable development

According to airport released recently by the organization for economic co-operation and development India has slipped from a rating of ‘complain’ to an overall rating of ‘largely complain’ on exchange of tax information

Tamil Nadu has the highest number of women entrepreneurs according to a state wise analysis report

Manipur hosted the first ever North East Development summit in Imphal

The International seminar on Indian Space Programme: Trends and opportunities for Industry was inaugurated in New Delhi

The Interdisciplinary O.P. Jindal Global University has been ranked among the Top 10 private Institutions in India by QS University Rankings.

The Union Cabinet approved the continuation of the scheme Indian Institute of corporate affair for another three years

November – 25

Prime Minister Narendra Modi launched a mobile app – UMANG (Unified Mobile Application for New-age Governance) which allow citizens to access government services on a single platform

The centre approved setting up of Pradhan Mantri Mahila Shakti Kendra across 115 most backward districts of the Country through a new scheme for reaching out rural women

Ministry of HRD launches Digital signature campaign on 26th November which is celebrated as constitution

Odisha Government has launched a new scheme to provide irrigation facility for agricultural land across the State.

Tamil Nadu has the highest number of women entrepreneurs in India followed by Kerala and West Bengal reveals a new report

PM inaugurates 5th global conference on cyberspace 2017 in the Capital (New Delhi) with the theme cyber 4 all
November – 26

- The union Home Minister Rajnath Singh chaired the 12th meeting of the standing committee of Inter-State council (ISC) in New Delhi.

- New National Policy on Biofuels and Pradhan Mantri Ji-van Yojana organised in New Delhi.

- President inaugurates the International Gita Mahotsava – 2017 in Kurukshetra, Haryana.

- A two day Korea festival showcasing Korea’s rich art, culture and heritage was inaugurated in Gurugram, Haryana.

- The Ministry of Home Affairs conducted multi stage mega Mock Tsunami Exercise 2017.

- Defence of Andaman and Nicobar Island Exercise (DANK) conducted under the aegis of Andaman and Nicobar Command.

- Documentary firm on Delhi chief Ministry Arvind Kejriwal titled “An insignificant man” was released.

November – 27

- Indo – UK Joint Army training exercise Ajeya warrior 2017 at Maharajan field firing ranges in Rajasthan.

- India to help Mauritius with Digital locker to offer technical support and advisory service to Mauritius.

- The 36th International Geological congress to be held in Delhi in the year 2020.

- President Ram Nath Kovind cleared an ordinance Amending the Indian forest Act 1927 omits bamboo grown in non-forest areas.

- India and Finland jointed hands to boost mutual ties in the area of trade and investment, renewable energy, science and technology.

- Maharashtra stands as the single largest consumer of electricity in India followed by Uttar Pradesh and Telangana.

- Google offers 1,30,000 scholarship for development and students for skill India mission.

- First Indian casting game training course centre to be setup in Goa.
• Dr. Jitendra Singh announce exclusive Rural Livelihood scheme project for North – eastern States to India

• Eights edition of the Global Entrepreneurship summit – 2017 will be held at Hyderabad

• Indian Railway installs Asians largest Solid State Interlocking in Kharagpur

November – 28

• India’s first rooftop Solar Car port at unity one mall in Rohini in association with Delhi metro Rail corporation

• Odisha government launched a scheme to boost fish production in the state under the budget 96 crore. The ‘Fish pond Yojana‘ Scheme

• Manipur CM inaugurated two – day India – Myanmar media Interaction programme in Imphal

• Amazon India launched startup e- cube – a multilevel challenge for the startups that will commerce in Bangalore

• Punjab Government notified the Punjab goods carriages 2017, banning goods carriage operators from the forming cartels in the state

• Hyderabad metro prime minister Modi is set to inaugurated it in this week along with CM chandrasekar Rao

• The Union ministry of women and child development launched an intense training program for Elected women Representative of Panchayat Raj institution and master trainers in New Delhi

• The President Ram Nath Kovind inaugurated the International Ambedkar conclave organised by the Forum of SC and ST legislators and Parliamentarians in New Delhi

November – 29

• The Eastern Railways has pressed India’s first Swarna Rajdhani rake

• Goa CM Parrikar launched the Jai Krisaan App, a former engagement app packet with features and functions to fulfill the needs of the farmer community in India.
• World’s first Sanskrit 3D ‘Anu rakthi’ was among the main attraction in 3D category at International film festival of India in Panaji in Goa.

• Ivanka Trump attended the Global Entrepreneurship summit in Hyderabad
  This year’s theme: Women first, Prosperity for full

  November – 30

• SAUBHAGYA Scheme introduced with transform the lives, especially poorest of the poor by providing power supply to every house hold of the country

• Madhya Pradesh becomes First state to adopt Panch Parmeshwar portal and app system for making Panchayat’s functions more transparent easy reliable

• The union ministry of Health and Family welfare and Indian council of medical Research had launched India Hypertension management Initiative which aims to reduce disability and death relative to cardiovascular disease

• The First Edition of International symposium to promote Innovation and Research in energy efficiency INSPIRE 2017 was held in Jaipur

• Russia to held India to set up National crisis response centre in the country to handle disaster other emergency situations

• The US India business council announced a collaborative, initiative titled “women for women Innovators, Social leaders and Entrepreneurs

• Chhattisgarh government bans Bursting of Firecrackers in six of its cities including the state capital Raipur ahead of wedding season from Dec 1 to Jan 31

Sports

November - 1

• Heena Sidhu wins 10 metre air pistol gold medal at common wealth shooting championship in Brisbane, Australia

November - 2

• The Delhi and District cricket Association (DDCA) has named a gate of feroz shah kotta ground after former Indian opener Virender Sehwag.
• Indian fast Bowler Jasprit Bumrah became the number one bowler in latest ICC 720 I taking Indian players.

• Pakistan will host next Asian Cricket Council emerging nation’s cup in April 2018.

• Martina Hingis – 25 time grand slam champion has announced her retirement from tennis.

November - 3

• Indian Ace Shuttler Srikanth Kidambi has risen to the Zenith of his career as he established himself as world number 2 is the latest BWF men’s singles

• Indian Wrestler Geeta phogat who won India’s first ever gold medal in women’s wrestling has won a gold medal at the All India Police Championship 2017.

November – 6

• The Indian women’s hockey team today qualified for next year’s world cup by winning the Asia Cup hockey title

• Shiv Kapur has clinched his first Asian tour title in India. At the Delhi golf club in New Delhi. He bagged the Panasonic

November – 7

• Aditi Ashok wins her third Ladies European tour by clinching the Fatima Bint Mubarak ladies open

• Indian women Win Asia Cup and Qualifies for Hockey world cup

• Shiv Kapur clinched his first Asian tour Title in India bagging the Panasonic open by three strokes

November – 8

• The official mascot of the 2017 AIBA youth women’s world boxing championship is Assam famed one – horned rhino
• MC Mary KOM entered the final of Asian women’s Boxing championships at Ho Chi Minh City in Vietnam. She defeated Japan’s Tsubasa Komura

November – 9

• Mary Kom clinches Fifth Asian Boxing championship title by beating Korea’s Hyang Mi Kim

• Saina Nehwal defeated PV Sindhu in the senior National Badminton Championship to clinch the women’s singles title

• H.S. Prannoy defeated a Kidambi Srikanth in the championship to clinch men’s singles title

November – 10

• Virat Kolhi has Consolidated his position at the top of the latest ICC Twenty – 20 Ranking for Batsman

November – 11

• Adidas football has unveiled the Telstar 18’ official ball for the 2018 FIFA World cup to be held in Russia.

November – 13

• Pankaj Advani Clinched his 17th world title in the IBSF world Billiards championship to ‘Doha, Qatar’

• India’s star gymnast Dipa Karmakar has been conferred with D. Lift (Doctors of Letters) degree from National institute of Technology (NIF) Agartala

• MS Dhoni inaugurated his first global cricket academy in Dubai, UAE

November – 14

• Indian women’s cricket team captain Mithali Raj bagged the Indian Sports woman of the year award

• Sebastian vettal won his fifth race of the formula one season at the Brazilian Grand Prix
- Spain Rafael Nadal was presented with ATP world No.1 award.
- Indian duo Leander Paes and Purav Raja won the Knoxville challenger men’s doubles titles at Tennessee in United States.

**November – 16**

- Aditi Ashok qualified for the season-ending CME group Tour Championship on LPGA becoming the first from the country to play in the prestigious meet.

**November – 17**

- Shagun Chowdhary crowned National women’s Trap champion at the 61st National shooting championship in New Delhi

**November – 18**

- France will host the 2023 Rugby world cup in huge surprise

**November – 19**

- Shagun Chowdhary bagged a national championship crown when she won the women’s trap event at the 61st National Shooting championship in New Delhi
- N. Nivetha of Tamilnadu won the junior women’s title in the same event shooting

**November – 21**

- Women’s youth world Boxing Championship begins in Guwahati
- Afghanistan – won U-19 Asia youth cup trophy in Kuala Lumpur in Malaysia
- Grigor Dimitrov won the ATP finals Title in London, UK
- Ethiopians Berhanu Legese and Almaz Ayana won the Delhi Half Marathon 2017
November – 22

- Hockey Karnataka win 5-a side senior men’s National championship – 2017

- Virat Kohli jumps to 5th spot in test ranking for batsman

November – 23

- AIBA World Boxing championship at Quwahati, Astha Pahwa entered quarterfinals, while Sashi Chapra beat bulgaria’s Melis Yonuzova in the opening round 69 kg category to reach quarter finals.

November – 26

- Indian Football team remains 105th in FIFA rankings

- Goa set to host second world Gaming Festival

- Mairaj Khan crowned national champion after a marathon final at New Delhi.

- Ritu Phogat wins silver in U-23 senior world wrestling championship at Poland.

November – 27

- Gopi Thonakal became the first Indian man to win the Asian Marathon championship held at china’s Dongguan

- India Clinched five gold medals at world youth women boxing Championship

- P.V Sindhu enters Semi – Final of Hong Kong Open Super series Badminton tournament

November – 28

- Valtteri Bottas won the Abu Dhabi Grand Prix the 20th and final race in the 2017 formula one held in Abu Dhabi
November – 29

- The Indian men’s and women’s kabaddi teams were both crowned the championship of Asia after beating Pakistan and South Korea respectively in gorgan, Iran

  France have won their 10th Davis cup title after 3-2 victory in the final against Belgium

November – 30

- UK’s premier south hall football club will jointly setup an International level football academy with cordial Institutes at its campus in Punjab

- Indian sports honors held in Mumbai

- Sports man and woman of the year in team sport – off spinner R. Ashwin and Mithali Raj respectively.

- Inspirational Honor – Tennis player Sania Mirza

- Transformational contribution to sports award – Abhinav Bindra

- Team of the year – The Indian women cricket team

Banking and Finance

November – 1

- Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank approved USD 2 million loan for five projects in Andhra Pradesh

- State Bank of India has announced a loan of Rs.2,300 cr in collaboration with world Bank to finance grid connected solar rooftop projects in the country

November – 4

- The government has announced that India Post Payment Bank (IPPB) will become operational in all 650 districts of the Country by April next year
November – 5

- The RBI has directed corporate borrowers having exposure of Rs 5 crore and above to mandatorily obtain 20 digit legal Entity Identifier
- The revenue department has announced that farmers do not need to quote PAN for cash sale of their produce up to Rs 2 lakh a day.

November – 7

- ICICI Bank announced to launch of India’s first voice based international remittance service to enable NRI’S – Non-resident India’s to send money to any bank in India

November – 8

- A Finance Agreement for IBRO loans of US $ 119 million for the excellence and Equity project was signed with the world Bank
- HDFC Bank limited made online transactions through RTGS and NEFT free of cost from November 1, with an aim to promote a digital Economy
- Paytm introduced payments using BHIM UPI through which users can create their own paytm BHIM UPI ID on the app

November – 9

- India Post payments Bank will become operational in all 650 districts of the country by April Next year. These Banks will be linked to 1.55 lakh rural post offices and carrying out banking services

November – 10

- Dubai Bank Emirates NBD the UAE’S second largest leader has started operations in India with an aim to invest USD 100 Million capital into its Indian operations
- IDFC Bank Partners Mobikwik to launch virtual Prepaid Cards
- Federal Bank has obtained RBI approval to open representative offices at Kuwait and Singapore
November – 12

- The RBI asked the banks to provide **door step banking facilities** to senior citizen more than **70 years** of age and **differently abled** person by **December**.

November – 13

- **Yes Bank** is all set to launch a **first** of its **kind fin Tech survey** called India fin Tech opportunities review the study will cover India and a few major fin Tech markets

- **Mumbai** to host **Asian banker’s association summit**.

- Theme ‘**Asian’s turn to transform**

November – 16

- The Reserve Bank has reportedly rejected **HDFC’s Banks plea to declassify its Parents Housing development finance corporation as a foreign institutional investor**

November – 17

- **Paytm, ICICI Bank** collaborate to offer **Short term instant digital credit**

November – 19

- **Reliance General Insurance** a subsidiary of Reliance Capital, has signed bank assurance corporate agency agreement with **YES BANK**

November – 20

- **Yes Bank Ties** up with centre **Denmark** India for **fintech collaboration** which aims to build bridges to **promote Innovation** and assist fintech companies in India and Denmark to expand into each other’s **market**

- India’s first mega coastal economic zone in **Maharashtra** as a part of a plan to develop **14 Industrial** cluster to **Spur** manufacturing and generate **jobs**

- Tourist sector of India **earned Rs. 14,354 crore** by **foreign tourist** arrivals in October 2017

November – 21

- The **Union government** and the **World Bank** signed a agreement for **USD 98 mission and USD 2 million** for the **Shared infrastructure for Solar Parks Project**
• Private Sector RBI Bank has set up an au women branch in Chennai, Tamil Nadu

• The First India – Myanmar Bilateral Military Exercise 2017(IMBAX) held at the Umroi joint Training node in Meghalaya

November – 23

• The Shanghai-based Brics New Development Bank (NDB) has approved two infrastructure and sustainable development projects in India and Russia with loans of $400 millions.

• USA president Donald Trump and putting agree to support UN in Syrian peace process to resolve the seven year long Syrian civil war.

November – 25

• RBI has decided to allow asset Reconstruction Companies to have highest holding than the 26 % cap set earlier with regard to limits on shareholding under reconstruction

• SBI launched comprehensive digital service platform ‘You Only Need One’ also known as YONO

November – 26

• Kotak Mahindra Bank has launched 24 hour accessible e-lobbies in Mumbai “SmartBanking 24 × 7”

November – 29

• RBI asks co-operative societies not to use word ‘Bank’ in names as it violates the section 7 of Banking Regulation Act.

• Karnataka bank ties up with Boston consulting group (India) Pvt. Ltd. for its transformation initiatives.
  The transformation project KBL Vikaas – was launched in Mangaluru.

November – 30

• Asian Development Bank to provide $20 billion loan to India over 5 years

• Arun Jaitley launches paytm, payments bank providing Zero balance accounts and Zero digital transaction charges

• India first Life Introduces first ever micro – Insurance plan ‘Insurance Khata’ targeted at those in the informal Sector and agricultural labourers with seasonal incomes
Awards & Recognition

November – 1

- Late Singer Michael Jackson has been named highest earning dead celebrity for the 5th consecutive year

November – 3

- CEO of ICICI Bank Chanda Kochhar was named the most powerful woman in India as she ranked 32nd in world’s 100 most powerful women list by forbes

November – 4

- Eminent Hindi Literature ‘Krishna Sobti’ has been awarded the 53rd Jnanpith Award for the year 2017
- Tata Power Solar has won ‘DUN & Bradstreet – Everest Infra Awards 2017’
- Mukesh Ambani has topped Forbes annual list of India’s 100 richest tycoons of 2017

November – 5

- Air New Zealand has been named Air Line of the year 2018.
- Versatile actor and playwright Girish Karnad will be honored with Tata literature live Lifetime Achievement award 2017.
- The Sri Ranganatha Swamy Temple in Srirangam has won the UNESCO Asia Pacific Award of Merit 2017.

November – 9

- Maya Swaminathan Sinha awarded as Entrepreneur of the year award 2017 in Ranchi She owns CMC skills
- Indian short film The School Bag Wins Best Short film Award at South Asian Film Festival of Montreal.
- Senior IAS officer V. Irai Anbu received the S.P Adithanar Literary Award 2017 from prime minister during platinum jubilee celebrations of Tamil daily dina thanthi. He received award for his literary work Ilakkiyathil Melanmai
November – 12

- Dubai, police officer set a Guinness world record by pulling the world’s largest passenger airliner Airbus A380 for a distance of 100 metre.

- Transport for London has been given the 2017 ‘Bad Grammar award’ by the Idler Academy in Britain, to highlight “the incorrect use” of English by people and institutions who should know better.

November – 14

- President Ram Nath Govind, the supreme commander of armed forces, will award the prestigious ‘President’s standard’ to the 223 squadron and the 117 helicopter unit of the Indian airforce on Nov 16.

November – 15

- National Child Award 2017 was presented by Shri Ramnath Kovind on the occasion of Children’s Day.

- Master Akash Manoj from Tamil Nadu was the only child winning gold for Innovation.

November – 16

- Kamal Haasan and Rajinikanth and Film director K. Raghvendra Rao have bagged the NTR National Film awards for 2014, 2015, 2016

- Indonesia’s Kevin Lilliana was crowned miss international 2017 at an event held at the Tokyo Dome city Hall

- India’s Ambani family topped the forbs list of Asia’s Richest families for the first time with a net worth of $ 44.8 billion

- Anand Kumar of Super 30 program awarded to Rashtriya Bal Kalyan award for this year

- Pakistan off spinner Saeed Ajmal announced retirement from all forms of cricket

November – 17

- Amitabh Bachan will be honored with personality of the year award at the upcoming International Film festival of India in Goa

- The Andhra Pradesh Ministerial Development Corporation has bagged an international award from Adu Dhabi
November – 20

- Former **PM Manmohan Singh** will receive the **Indira Gandhi Prize for peace, Disarmament and development** this year his leadership of the country between **2004 and 2014**

November – 22

- **Popular Bengali** writer **Nabaneeta Dev** declared as winner in Author in **Bengali language category Big Little Book**
- **Beyonce** named **2017’s Highest paid women in music** in 2017 by the forbes

November – 25

- India’s Oscar entry ‘**Newton**’ secured **two wins** at the **Asia Pacific awards** in Brisbane.

November – 26

- **Newton** bagged two wins at **Asia Pacific screen awards** in **Brisbane**,
- **Rajkumar Rao** won the best actor award and **Mayank Tewari** and **Amit V. Masurkar** best screenplay honour.
- **Lionel Messi** wins the **fourth European Golden shoe award**.

November – 28

- **Demi – Leigh Nel Peters** owned **Miss Universe**
- **Health ministry** wins **Bronze medal** at the **India International trade Fair 2017**

November – 30

- The president of India conferred the **3rd ICCR distinguished Indologist award** on professor **Hiroshi Marui** of Japan
- **Robin Campillo’s** French film **120 Beats Per Minute** about a passionate fight against indifference towards AIDS won the prestigious **Golden peacock award at 48th film festival of India**
Appointment and Resigns

November – 1

- Birendra Prasad has been re-elected president of the Indian weightlifting federation in Annual General Body meeting.

November – 2

- Y.C. Modi appointed as the National Investigation Agency new Director General.
- Bharti Axa Life Insurance has appointed Vikas Seth as CEO.
- Indian table tennis player Diya Chitale won a Silver in ITTF world cadet challenge in Suva, Fiji.

November – 3

- Ajay Bisaria has been appointed as the next High Commissioner of India to the Pakistan.
- Neelamani N.Raju is named as Karnataka’s first woman Director general and Inspector general of Police.

November – 4

- Nasir Kamal IPS has been appointed as Additional Director general(ADG) of the Border Security Force (BSF)
- The US senate has Confirmed by a voice vote the nomination of ‘Kenneth Juster’ as the next US Ambassador to India

November – 5

- Mary Kom named as world championship ambassador
- Lebanese PM Saad Hariri Resigns.

November – 7

- Hasmukh Adhia designated as new Finance Secretary
- N Poonguzhali has become the first woman to be appointed as senior Deputy Director general, Tamil Nadu for Department of Telecommunication.
November – 10

- Britain’s first India origin Cabinet Minister Priti Patel resigned as International Development secretary due to controversies over her unauthorized secret meetings with Israeli Politicians

November – 12

- K.J. Alphons elected unopposed to Rajya Sabha from Rajasthan
- The National Association of software and services company (Nasscom) named Debjani Gosh as its president designate; she will be the first woman president of Nasscom.
- UNESCO member states confirmed the nomination of France’s former culture minister Audrey Azoulay to head the cultural agency.

November – 13

- The Supreme court also appointed SY Quraishi, former chief Election commission of India who also served as secretary in the ministry of youth affairs and sports, Government of India as the Ombudsmen to formulate the AIFF (All India foot ball federation) constitution within eight weeks
- Tulsi Gabbard the first Hindu lawmaker in the US congress has been named as the Chairperson of the world Hindu congress to be held in Chicago

November – 14

- Bangladesh first Hindu Chief justice Surendra Kumar Sinha resigned his post.

November – 15

- Sethuraman Ravi has been appointed as the chairman of the leading stock exchange BSE
- Kenneth Juster sworn in as new US Ambassador to India.
- Ganga Kumari becomes first transgender to be appointed in Rajasthan Police.

November – 16

- Slovenian president Borut Pahor was reelected for a second term in close race
- Vijay Prasad Dimri appointment as the President of the 36th International Geological congress
November – 17

- RBI Governor Urjit Patel appointment to financial stability Institute Advisory Board

November – 19

- Chakravarthi AVPS, Managing Director, Ecobliss India appointed as global ambassador or of world packing organization

- Nicaragua’s Sergio Ramirez wins Spain 2017 Cervantes Prize

November – 22

- India – nominee Dalveer Bhandari was re-elected as the fifth judge of international Court of justice

- South – African, Indian – origin AIDS researcher professor Quarraisha Abdool Karim has been appointed as a UNAIDS special Ambassador

- Actress Trisha becomes UNICEF celebrity advocate for Child rights

November – 23

- Robert Mugabe Resigns as Zimbabwe’s president, Ending 37 year Rule after lawmakers began impeachment proceedings against him.

- Zimbabwe’s former vice president Emmerson Mnangagwa sworn in as president

November – 24

- Ira Joshi appointed as Director general of Doordarshan News

- Shubhangi Swaroop becomes India Navy’s first woman pilot.

November – 25

- Shubhangi Swaroop’ who hails from Uttar Pradesh becomes Indian Navy’s first woman pilot

November – 26

- Navtej Sarna, Indian ambassador to the US, Got a year’s Extension
November – 27

- N. Sambasiva Rao appointment as Andhra Pradesh DGP

November – 28

- The 15th finance commission will be headed by ex – Mp NK Singh

November – 29

- Snehlata Shrivastava appointed first woman secretary General of Loksabha

November – 30

- Pradeep singh kharola as the chairman and managing director(MD) of Air India
- Uhuru Kenyatta sworn in as president of Kenya

Environment

November – 12

- The Aam Aadmi party government announced free bus rides aboard its Delhi Transport Corporation from Nov 13 to 17 proposed dates of odd-even rationing scheme.

Agreements and Approvals

November – 17

- The Union cabinet Chaired by PM Narendra Modi has given a set of Approvals The Cabinet has approved
- The establishment of the National Anti – Profiteering Authority under GST
- Resolution for Adoption of the recommendation of the Railway convention committee (2014) as Contained in their Sixth Report on “Rate of dividend by the Railway to the General Revenues for the Year 2016-17 and other ancillary matters
• Agreement between India and Belarus on Scientific and Technological co-operation for mutual benefit in the areas of Science, technology, agriculture

• MOU between India and Poland for the Promotion of Civil Aviation Co-operation

• Continuation of Sub – Schemes under umbrella Scheme ‘Integrated Child Development Services’ for the Period till Nov 2018

Economy

November – 1

• India jumps to 30th rank of 100th in world Bank’s ease of doing business list

• Easy doing Business list: India ranked 4th in protecting minority

• India tops the list of seven nation said a Global TB Report 2017, released by the world health Organisation

November – 2

• The government gave ex-post facto clearance to implementation of the Special Banking Arrangement (SBA) of Rs.10,000 cr for payment of outstanding claims towards fertilizer subsidy in 2016-2017.

November – 7

• HSBC Bank pledged to provide $100 billion in financing and investing by 2025 to help Combat Climate Change

November – 9

• India slips to 7th position in business optimism ranking a per Thornton’s International Business report

November – 10

• According to the Q3 2017 Salary Budget Planning Report India’s Projected Salary growth for 2018 stood the highest in the Asia – Pacific region at 10 percent despite a decreasing year on year Pattern
• IRDA (Insurance Regulatory and Development Authority) of India announced that linking of Aadhaar number to Insurance Policies is now a mandatory requirement under prevention of money laundering

November – 15

• The Government of India launched the BHARAT-22 Exchange Traded Fund managed by ICICI prudential mutual fund targeting an initial amount about of Rs.8000 cr.

• India will overtake Japan and Germany in nominal GDP by 2028 to emerge world’s third largest economy stated the Bank of America Merrill Lynch in a report titled.

November – 20

• India has moved up one position in to 126th in terms of per capita GDP of countries as per International monetary fund

• In August the RBI has paid a dividend of Rs. 30,659 crore for the fiscal ended is June 2017

Obituary

November – 2

• Veteran Kannada writer and journalist Khadri Achyuthan died at 71.

November – 8

• Veteran Malayalam actor Vettoor Purushan who had essayed roles in 70 odd film has passed away

• Saudi Prince Mansour bin Muqrin deputy governor of Asia, died in a helicopter crash near the border with Yemen

November – 9

• Tamil Scholar and Periyarist Ma. Nannan passed away

November – 11

• Former cricketer A.G. Milkha Singh passes away.
November – 12

- Noted Hindi author and Padma Shri Manu Sharma passed away.
- Formed PM of Nepal Kirti Nidhi Bista has passed away

November – 13

- Veteran Cyclist Ashok Khale passed away

November – 16

- Noted Hindi Poet Kunwar Narain passed away
- Hindustani Vocalist of Kirana Gharana Jagadish Mohan passed away
- Veteran journalist Virendra Sanghi who worked for Samachar Bharti and PTI Bhasha has passed away

November – 18

- Former Murshidabad MP and senior Trinamool Congress leader Abdul Manaan Hossain passed away

November – 21

- Veteran union minister Priya Ranjan Dasmunsi Passed away
- Former Wimbledon champion Jana Norotna passes away

November – 22

- Former Chief justice of Jharkhand high Court Bhagwati Prasad has passed away

November – 23

- Assam’s prominent film actor Biju phukan has passed away.
Business

November – 4

- Popular Mobile bared digital payment platform paytm launched ‘Inbox’ a messaging service that will allow Consumers to chat with friends and family, and send and request money at the same time

- ONGC(Oil and Natural Gas Corporation) has received the information memorandum for acquiring majority stake in fellow public sector undertaking HPCL(Hindustan Petroleum)

November – 5


November – 7

- Apollo Munich Health Insurance wins ‘General Insurance company of the year’

November – 11

- Adani Power has inked long term pact with Bangladesh power development to supply electricity from its upcoming 1600 MN plant at Godda in Jharkhand.

November – 13

- Karnataka CM has inaugurated the Sixth China India Forum meet hosted jointly by Government of China

November – 14

- PNB metlife has signed a corporate agency agreement with Bank of Bahrain and Kuwait B.S.C. This will help PNB metlife distribute its retail and group products to BBK’s customer in India.

November – 19

- Digital payment Service Company, Paytm entered into tie up with ICICI Bank to jointly launch Paytm-ICICI Bank Postpaid that offers short term credit to their common customers.
November – 22

- The ministry of Defence has decided to cancel the $500 million deal for spike ATGM with Israel

November – 23

- Paytm has acquired stake in online loans firm creditMate to create a loan management system.

November – 24

- Hike has entered a tie-up with Airtel payment bank for its mobile wallet products
- Swedish home furnishing major IKEA launched its first experimental center ‘IKEA Hej Home’ in Hyderabad
- Samsung partners with UP government for ‘Smart Healthcare Programme’ to setup 20 new smart health centres.
- Union Government notifies the minimum Export price of onion at 250 dollars per done to ensure its availability in the domestic market.

November – 27

- Bajaj Allianz General Insurance Lunched ‘Profit’ a platform that will act as a and stop solution to all the health – record tracking needs

Important Day

November – 6

- World Tsunami Awareness Day is observed across the world. The theme for 2017 WTAD is ‘Reduce the Number of Affected People’

November – 7

- World Tsunami Awareness day – 5 November
  - Theme 2017: Reduce the Number of Affected People
November – 9

- **International Day of Radiology** – Nov 8
- Theme: “Emergency Radiology”

November – 13

- November : 10 **World Science day** for peace and development
- November : 11 **National Education Day**

November – 15

- World Diabetes Day – **November 14**
- Theme: “Women and diabetes – our right to a healthy future.”

November – 20

- Former **PM Manmohan Singh** will receive the **Indira Gandhi Prize for peace, Disarmament and development** this year his leadership of the country between 2004 and 2014

Science and technology

November – 9

- The latest discovery published in Nordio journal of Botany is a Species of wide **Banana** named **Musa Paramjitiana**. The Species was found in North Andaman’s Krishnapuri forest

November – 16

- The Space kingdom of Asgardia has launched its first satellite **Asgardia -1** into space. It will be a nation in space
**November – 17**

- Astronomers have discovered an Earth – Sized planet outside our Solar System which is expected to be temperature and could be a ‘**Comfortable abode for possible life**’ The Earth sized world, named **ROSS 128 b**

**November – 21**

- Scientists from **Botanical Survey of India** have **discovered** a **new Species of Parasitic flowering plant** named **Gleadovia Konyakianorum**