

Current Affairs December 2015

1st December 2015

- Who has presented the Dr Abdul Kalam IGNITE award - President Pranab Mukherjee
- Who has received lifetime achievement award at Asian Business Leadership Forum 2015 - Hinduja Brothers
- Which mission has been launched by the World leaders for accelerating clean energy revolution - Mission Innovation
- Who has been awarded with four Guinness World Record certificates - Robert Lewandowski
- Who has launched IPV injection as part of Global Polio Endgame Strategy - Union Government
- Which two countries launched International Solar Alliance - India & France
- Who has been elected president of Burkina Faso - Roch Marc Christian Kaboré

2nd December 2015

- Which Koodiyattom artiste has passed away - Margi Sathi
- Name the Sarangi maestro who has passed away - Ustad Sabri Khan
- Who will be honoured with ITC Sangeet Samman - Renowned violinist L Subramaniam
- E-India Award presented to - Delhi Development Authority
- Who has approved Factories (Amendment) Bill, 2015 - President
- Who has assumed Presidency of the Royal Society - Sir Venkatraman Ramakrishnan
- Labour Laws (Gujarat Amendment) Bill 2015 received Presidential approval
- Aricent tied-up with - Nasscom Foundation
- Who has won gold medal in World Bodybuilding and Physique Championships - India's Thakur Anoop Singh
- International Day for the Abolition of Slavery Observed on - 2nd December

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3rd December 2015

- With whom did Union Cabinet approved MoU on water resources management and development cooperation - Israel
- Tata Sons Ltd tied-up with - Industrial & Commercial Bank of China Limited
- MoU between India and Germany for Solar Energy approved by - Union Cabinet
- Who has been elected as Bihar Assembly Speaker - Vijay Kumar Choudhary
- Who is named as Chairperson of RSNA - Indian-American Dr Vijay M Rao
- Which country has entered longest recession since 1930s - Brazil
- International Day of Persons with Disabilities observed on - 3rd December
- Who has sworn in as 43rd Chief Justice of India - Justice Tirath Singh Thakur
- Who has won prestigious INBA Award - Adidas India's Pulin Kumar

4th December 2015

- Integrity Pact was signed between - NTC and Transparency International India
- Where did the First India International Science Festival started - IIT-Delhi
- Who has passed bill to establish BIS as National Standards Body - Lok Sabha
- Introduction of Regional Centre for Biotechnology Bill, 2015 in Parliament
- Which state has become the first to launch Rotavirus vaccination project - Himachal Pradesh
- Accessible India Campaign for differently-abled launched by - Union Government
- FIFA World Rankings November 2015 Edition announced
- 44th Navy Day observed on - 4th December
- Estimates of the global burden of foodborne diseases released by – WHO

5th December 2015

- Which portal has been launched by GAIL for satellite monitoring of Pipelines - Bhuvan-GAIL Portal
- International Volunteer Day observed on - 5th December
- China's first electricity-powered aircraft RX1E approved for production

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6th-7th December 2015

- Name of four European countries which launched Transformative Carbon Asset Facility - Germany, Norway, Sweden, and Switzerland
- Name of rocket which was used to lift off Cygnus Cargo Spaceship to ISS - Atlas V rocket
- Commemorative coins of Rs 125, Rs 10 were released in honour of - Babasaheb Bhim Rao Ambedkar
- From which country India received first consignment of uranium - Canada
- Singapore replaced which country as top source of FDI into India - Mauritius
- Arvind Subramanian-led panel recommended standard rate for GST at - 17-18%
- Armed Forces Flag Day was observed across India on - 7th December
- Which country lifted Hockey World League Final - Australia

8th December 2015

- Which Indian state became first to join discom revival scheme UDAY - Andhra Pradesh
- Indra Navy-15 began in Visakhapatnam, this is a bilateral naval exercise between - India and Russia
- Negotiable Instruments (Amendment) Bill, 2015 was passed in - Rajya Sabha
- Who was appointed as Corporate President of Ola - Joy Bandekar
- Who was appointed as President and MD of General Motors India - Kaher Kazem
- Where was first ever Red Alert on Air Pollution was issued - Beijing
- Which state won Wheelchair Basketball Championship - Maharashtra
- India launched I-LTEO programme to monitor - 8 different biomes
- Name of the company which joined World Bank's Zero Routine Flaring by 2030 Initiative – ONGC

9th December 2015

- International Day of Commemoration and Dignity of Victims of Crime of Genocide observed on - 9th December

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- Who has become interim IPL franchises to replace CSK, RR - Pune and Rajkot
- Who has won 2015 BWF Player of the Year Awards - Chen Long and Carolina Marin
- Union Government and NTC signed MoU for - Establishing a Technology Centre at Kanpur
- Who has become first Indian company to receive DGCI's approval for hepatitis C drug - Hetero
- US House passed Visa Waiver Program Improvement Act of 2015
- Who is the co-owner of UP Warriors in Pro Wrestling League - Rohit Sharma
- International Anti-Corruption Day observed on - 9th December

10th December 2015

- Human Rights Day observed on - 10th December
- Who has received solar panel research and development contract from US Military - IISc Bangalore
- Who has been named as the 2015 'Person of the Year' by TIME Magazine - German Chancellor Merkel
- Who has won 2016 Queen's Young Leaders Award - India's Kartik Sawhney & Neha Swain
- Who has become the 10th country to approve AoA of Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank - Luxembourg
- India-Pakistan agreed to replace 8-point Composite Dialogue with 10-point Comprehensive Bilateral Dialogue

11th December 2015

- Name the World's first dengue vaccine approved for use in Mexico - Dengvaxia
- Who has approved Haryana Panchayati Raj (Amendment) Act, 2015 - Supreme Court

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- Where did the 5th Ministerial Conference of Heart of Asia-Istanbul Process concluded - Islamabad
- Yangon Stock Exchange inaugurated by - Myanmar
- Who has sworn in as the President of Argentina - Mauricio Macri Blanco
- Sharad Pawar's autobiography - On My Terms : From the Grassroots to the Corridors of Power
- Who has been honoured with Lifetime Achievement Award at Dubai International Film Festival - Naseeruddin Shah

12th December 2015

- Who has been honoured with Mailer Prize for Lifetime Achievement - Salman Rushdie
- Which cities has been designated as members of Creative Cities Network by UNESCO - Varanasi & Jaipur
- Aegis Graham Bell Award 2015 for innovation in IoT won by - Wipro
- Who has won gold in 59th National Shooting Championships - Elizabeth Susan Koshy
- Which country has launched its first UNESCO Biosphere Reserve Inle Lake - Myanmar
- Which Indian has become World No. 4 Cyclist - Indian cyclist Deborah Herold
- Who has agreed to buy 112-year old newspaper South China Morning Post of Hong Kong – Alibaba

13th December 2015

- Name of veteran actor who has been conferred with Padma Vibhushan award - Dilip Kumar
- Sharad Joshi passes away, he was a - Renowned Agro-economist
- Diesel-run vehicles were banned by NGT in – Delhi

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14th December 2015

- What is the Mascot and Logo of 2016 South Asian Games - Tikhor (a one horned rhino)
- Which two countries have inked agreements for cooperation in Railway Sector - India and Japan
- Who has won singles titles at World Dubai Superseries Finals - Japan's Nozomi Okuhara & Kento Momota
- Who has won 2015 South East Asian Write Award for Singapore - Indian-origin writer J M Sali
- For first time in Municipal council polls Saudi voters elected - Women candidates
- Name the biggest Tibetan Buddhist Festival, began in Ladakh region - Losar
- Who has won gold in the 59th National shooting championship - Vijay Kumar
- Name the Typhoon which has struck the Philippines - Melor

15th December 2015

- Atomic Energy (Amendment) Bill, 2015 passed by - Lok Sabha
- Which operation has to be start from 1st January 2016 - Operation Smile-II
- Who has been appointed to head Judicial Committee on OROP - L Narasimha Reddy
- Where did the 26th Conference of Southern Zonal Council held - Vijayawada
- Who has been awarded with Lifetime Achievement Awards by West Bengal Government - Bappi Lahiri & Kumar Sanu
- Who has acquired Italian auto design firm Pininfarina - Mahindra Group

16th December 2015

- Chairman of Central Board of Direct Taxes - Arun Kumar Jain
- Name the four players to receive IOC Olympic scholarships - Gaurav Bidhuri, Sumit Sangwan, Shiva Thapa and Mandeep Jangra

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- Which online marketplace has launched mobile website in Hindi, Telugu - Snapdeal
- Where did the Commanders Conference held - Kochi
- Who has won the European Tour Golfer of the Year award - Rory McIlroy
- Who has won Gold at 59th National Shooting Championship - Apurvi Chandela & Chain Singh
- World Bank approved 1.5 billion US dollar loan to - support Clean India Campaign
- Vijay Diwas observed on - 16th December
- Who has been appointed as the Lokayukta of Uttar Pradesh - Virendra Singh
- National Air Quality Index of 17 cities released by - Green Peace India
- Who has launched 6 Singapore satellites into space - ISRO' PSLV-C29

17th December 2015

- Union Cabinet approved MoU with BRICS for - Energy conservation
- Who will be the Chief Guest at Republic Day in India - French President Francois Hollande
- Which bill regarding High Courts was passed in Lok Sabha - Commercial Benches in High Courts
- Who took oath as Delhi's Lokayukta - Justice Reva Khetrapal
- RBI liable to disclose information about which entities under RTI Act - Banks
- Federal Reserve of US increased interest rate by 0.25% for the first time since - 2006
- Who is author of "The Bose Brothers and Indian Independence – An Insider's Account" - Madhuri Bose
- Which state's MLA passed resolution to remove Speaker Nabam Rebia - Arunachal Pradesh

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18th December 2015

- Name the Veteran Communist leader who has passed away - Noorul Huda
- Who has resigned from the Jet Airways - Chief Executive Officer Cramer Ball
- Sahitya Akademi awards announced
- Who has been appointed as Chief Executive Officer of Tata Starbucks - Sumi Ghosh
- CII Industrial Innovation Awards 2015 conferred upon - 35 companies
- Who has adopted resolution to cut-off supply of funds to ISIS group - UN Security Council
- To acquire Indulekha agreement was signed between - Hindustan Unilever & Mosons Group
- CII-ITC Sustainability Awards 2015 for Excellence in Sustainable Business
- Who has approved Afghanistan's membership terms to join as 163rd member - WTO

19th December 2015

- Which noted theatre artiste has passed away - Chatla Sriramulu
- Who has been appointed as Chief Information Commissioner of India - Radha Krishna Mathur
- Who has been appointed as Chief Operating Officer of Apple Inc - Jeff Williams
- Which British Novelist has passed away - Peter Dickinson
- Who has approved the purchase of Russian S-400 Triumf Air Defence Missile System – DAC

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20th December 2015

- Name of the country which lifted a 40-year-old ban on export of crude oil - The United States
- Who won Miss World 2015 title - Mireia Lalaguna Royo From Spain
- The 2015 Indian Super League (ISL) for football was won by - Chennaiyin FC

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- Name the Famous German conductor who has passed away - Kurt Masur
- Who has been crowned Miss World 2015 - Miss Spain Mireia Lalaguna Royo
- Who has been crowned Miss Universe 2015 - Miss Philippines Pia Alonzo Wurtzbach
- Who became the first-ever Kiwi batsman to top ICC Test rankings - Kane Williamson
- Miss Iraq beauty pageant held for the first time after - 1972
- Which state has approved proposal for formation of 5 new districts - West Bengal Government
- Who has won the Spain election - Conservative People's party
- Who has won 2015 FIFA Club World Cup - FC Barcelona
- Migration and Remittances Factbook 2016 released by - World Bank
- Who has won the top AIFF honours - Eugenson Lyngdoh and Bala Devi

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22nd December 2015

- Which shipyard has become the first licensed Indian shipyard to make LNG Ships - Cochin Shipyard Limited
- Gopal Subramaniam Commission on DDCA scam appointed by - Delhi Government
- Which company has successfully launched and landed Falcon 9 rocket - SpaceX
- Which scheme has been launched by the Odisha Government to provide free education to SC/ST students - Anwesha scheme
- Who has been named Yahoo's Personality of the Year - Cow
- Who has won 2015 BBC Sports Personality of the Year Award - Andy Murray
- National Mathematics Day observed on - 22nd December
- Which country has launched DAMPE satellite to shed light on mysterious dark matter – China

23rd December 2015

- Who has approved scheme for integrated development and management of fisheries - CCEA
- Which country has become the first to approve world's first-ever dengue vaccine - Philippines
- Who has passed Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Bill, 2015 - Rajya Sabha
- Lucknow Metro Rail Project Phase-1A approved by - Union Cabinet
- Which country has announced to adopt Chinese currency Yuan - Zimbabwe
- Patna Metro Rail project approved by - Bihar Chief Minister Nitish Kumar
- RBI created Dedicated Helpline for - guiding Start-ups in India
- 2015 ICC Awards announced
- Who has been banned by FIFA's Independent Ethics Committee - Sepp Blatter & Michel Platini

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- Winners of 2015 World Champions announced by - International Tennis Federation
- Who has been appointed as the Chief Financial Officer of Jet Airways - Amit Agarwal
- Who has been appointed as CEO of FSSAI - Pawan Kumar Agarwal

24th December 2015

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25th December 2015

- With whom did the Reliance Defence partnered for Air Defence Missile Systems - Russia's AlmazAntey
- Who has been nominated for 2015 Col. CK Nayudu Lifetime Achievement Award - Former Wicket-Keeper Syed Kirmani

26th December 2015

- Good Governance Day observed on - 25th December
- Who has inaugurated the Afghan Parliament House in Kabul - PM Narendra Modi

27th – 28th December 2015

- Name the veteran indian actress who has passed away - Sadhana Shivdasani
- Which country has amended One Couple, One Child Policy - China
- NFC-based wallet MoboMoney launched by - Tech Mahindra
- Name the Indigenously developed Air-to-Air missile which has been successfully test fired - Astra
- MoU on technology initiatives has been signed with Microsoft India by - AP Government
- Who has bagged the silver at Asian Luge Championship - Shiva Keshavan
- Who has launched 4G telecom service - Reliance Jio
- Globe Soccer Awards 2015

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29th December 2015

- Who has been appointed as the CEO of NITI Aayog - Amitabh Kant
- Who has been appointed as CEO of Adani Ports and SEZ - Karan Adani
- Who has gave clearance for four greenfield airports - Civil Aviation Ministry
- Which Oscar-winning cinematographer has passed away - Haskell Wexler
- Which state has won the maiden Vijay Hazare Trophy - Gujarat
- Name the geostationary satellite launched by China - Gaofen-4

30th December 2015

- Name the Ex Chief of Indian Army who has passed away - General Om Prakash Malhotra
- Which Veteran singer has passed away - Subir Sen
- Who has been selected for the 51st Jnanpith award - Gujarati writer Raghuvir Chaudhary
- Who has commissioned Prayagraj power project unit - BHEL
- Who has won gold at National Weightlifting Championship - Rakhi Haldar & Kavita Devi
- Name the founding member of metal band Motorhead who has passed away - Ian Fraser Lemmy Kilmister
- Whose Santa Claus sculpture has been recorded in Limca Book of Records - Sand artist Sudarsan Pattnaik
- Travel solutions platform SpiceVacations.com launched by - SpiceJet
- Russia tied up with HAL to manufacture - Kamov 226T helicopters
- Who has been elected as the Prime Minister of Georgia - Giorgi Kvirikashvili

- Who has been elected as first Vice-Chairman of Gujarat Cooperative Milk Marketing Federation - Jetha Bharwad

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