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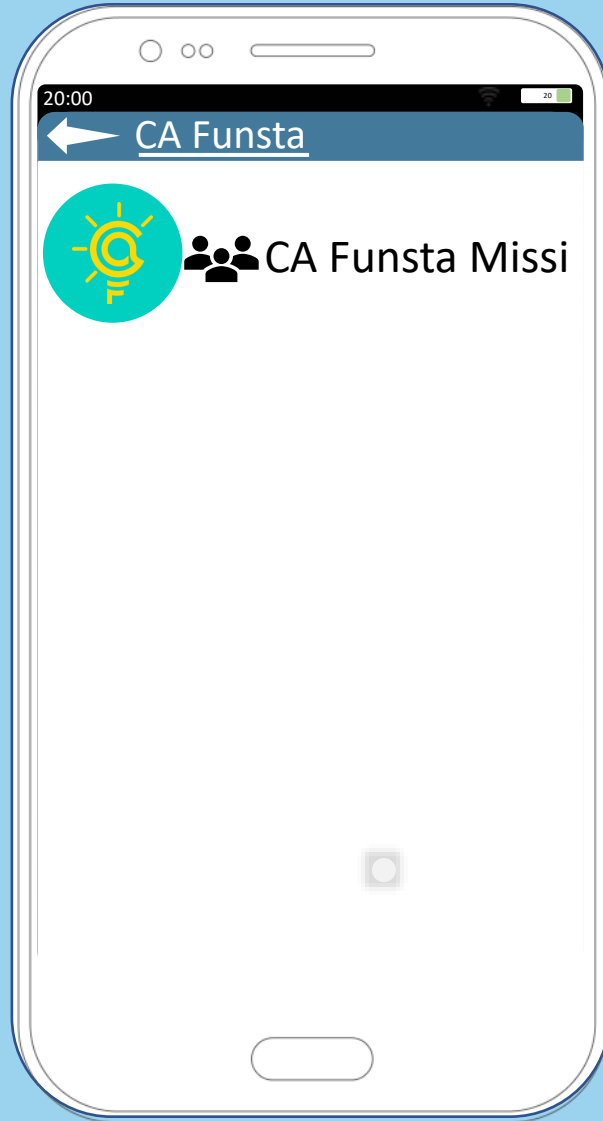
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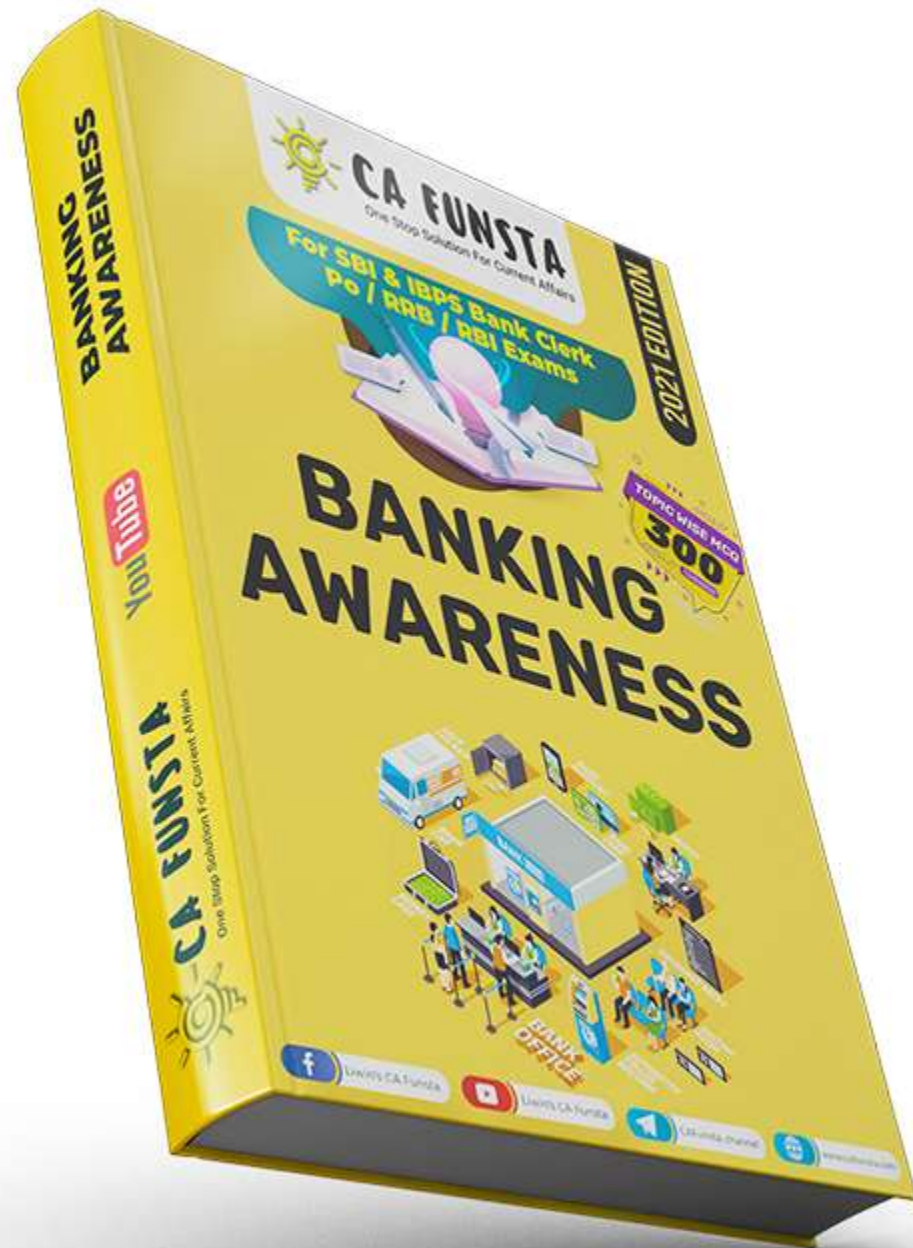
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## QUIZ

**#195**

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**C** Under- 21 age      **D** Under- 24 age

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**B) Under-18 age**

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## Khelo India Youth Games

- For athletes in the in the Under – 18 age category
- 2021, 4th Edition
- An annual Scholarship of 6.28 lakhs, which includes an out-of-pocket allowances of Rs 10,000 a month.





May 22



# CURRENT AFFAIRS





# IMPORTANT DAYS



➤ **International Day for Biological Diversity is observed on which date?**

- A) May 23
- B) May 22
- C) May 24
- D) May 26
- E) May 29

**Answer**

B) May 22



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# IMPORTANT DAYS



## Explanation

- The International Day for Biological Diversity is marked on May 22.
- This year, the day is falling on a Saturday.
- As the name suggests, International Day for Biological Diversity is observed to raise and create awareness about biodiversity issues.
- The theme of the day this year has been finalised as, "We're part of the solution #ForNature."
- The idea behind choosing this as the theme is to draw people's attention towards the fact that biodiversity continues to be the answer for a significant number of sustainable development challenges.



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# SPORTS



➤ **Boyd Rankin is related to which sports?**

- A) Baseball
- B) Basketball
- C) Volleyball
- D) Football
- E) Cricket

**Answer**

**E) Cricket**



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# SPORTS



## Explanation

- Ireland pacer Boyd Rankin announced his retirement from all forms of cricket with immediate effect.
- Having made his **international debut in 2007**, Rankin represented Ireland in two different stints – he played for England in 10 internationals in 2013/14 – and was one of the 11 players who played in Ireland's historic debut Test match against Pakistan in 2018.
- In all, the 36 year old played three Test, 75 ODIs and 50 T20Is in his international career.



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# OBITUARY



➤ **K R Krishna passed away. He was Former Legislative Assembly Speaker of which state?**

- A) Uttarakhand
- B) Karnataka
- C) Mizoram
- D) Madhya Pradesh
- E) Sikkim

**Answer**

**B) Karnataka**







# OBITUARY



## Explanation

- Former Karnataka Legislative Assembly Speaker K R Krishna passed away in his house.
- Krishna served as a member of K R Pet Taluk Board from 1978 to 1983.
- He was General Secretary, Janata Party, Mandya district between 1980 and 1985. Krishna was elected to the Karnataka Legislative Assembly in 1985 and became Minister for Sericulture and Animal Husbandry in 1988.
- He was elected as Speaker in 2004.





# OBITUARY

## Veteran boxer Shakti Mazumdar passes away

- Member of the Indian contingent at the **1952 Helsinki Olympics**, boxer Shakti Mazumdar passed away after suffering a heart-attack at his home in Kolkata.
- A flyweight boxer, Mazumdar had got a walkover from Vietnam's Nguyen Van Cua, but later lost to South Korea's Han Soo-ann.





# BANKING AND FINANCE



➤ **IRDAI Slaps how much amount Penalty On Policybazaar For Violating Advertisement Norm?**

- A) Rs 14 Lakh
- B) Rs 24 Lakh
- C) Rs 34 Lakh
- D) Rs 44 Lakh
- E) Rs 54 Lakh

**Answer**

**B) Rs 24 Lakh**







# BANKING AND FINANCE



## Explanation

- Insurance sector regulator IRDAI has slapped a fine of Rs 24 lakh on policy aggregator Policybazaar for violating advertisement norms with regard to SMS sent to customers last year about increase in term insurance policy premiums.





# **BANKING AND FINANCE**



## **Titbits**

### **IRDAI**

Abbreviation: The Insurance Regulatory and Development Authority of India

Act: The Insurance Regulatory and Development Authority Act, 1999

Headquarters: Hyderabad, Telangana

Chairman: Subhash Chandra Khuntia





# BANKING AND FINANCE



➤ Which organisation has proposed a \$50 billion global vaccination plan?



- A) AfDB
- B) AIIB
- C) ADB
- D) World Bank
- E) IMF

**Answer**

**E) IMF**





# BANKING AND FINANCE



## Explanation

- The International Monetary Fund has proposed a \$50 billion global vaccination plan that would cover at least 40 per cent of the global population by the end of 2021 and at least 60 per cent by the first half of 2022.







# BANKING AND FINANCE



## **Titbits**

### **IMF**

Abbreviation: International Monetary Fund

Managing Director: Kristalina Georgieva

Headquarters: Washington, D.C., U.S

Chief Economist: Gita Gopinath

Formation: 27 December 1945





# BUSINESS AND ECONOMY



➤ Which company, LaLiga expand partnership to digitally transform football experience?

- A) IBM
- B) Infosys
- C) Accenture
- D) TCS
- E) Microsoft

**Answer**

**E) Microsoft**





# BUSINESS AND ECONOMY



## Explanation

- Spain's premier football association LaLiga and Microsoft, are expanding their partnership to digitally transform the football experience globally, and to develop new technology solutions for the sports industry.
- The collaboration will focus on enhancing fan engagement with data-enhanced match coverage, next-generation over-the-top (OTT) streaming services, advanced content protection services and venue management systems





# BUSINESS AND ECONOMY



## Titbits

Microsoft

Founded: 4 April 1975

Headquarters: Redmond, Washington D.C., United States of America

CEO: Satya Nadella







# APPOINTMENTS



➤ **Narinder Batra of India was re-elected as the International Hockey Federation (FIH) President for \_\_\_\_ term?**



A) 5<sup>th</sup>

B) 4<sup>th</sup>

C) 3<sup>rd</sup>

D) 2<sup>nd</sup>

E) 1<sup>st</sup>

**Answer**

D) 2<sup>nd</sup>





# APPOINTMENTS



## Explanation

- Incumbent Narinder Batra of India was re-elected as the International Hockey Federation (FIH) President for a second term during the virtual 47th Congress of the sport's global governing body.
- Batra, who is also the President of the Indian Olympic Association (IOA) and an International Olympic Committee (IOC) member, narrowly defeated his rival Marc Coudron, chief of Belgium Hockey Federation, by a margin of two votes.
- Batra secured 63 votes as against his rival's 61 to emerge as the winner in the online voting process, in which 124 member associations participated.
- Batra will held the office until 2024.





# APPOINTMENTS



➤ Who is appointed as CEO of Reserve Bank Innovation Hub (RBIH)?

- A) Ramesh Bansal
- B) Rakesh Bansal
- C) Rajesh Bansal
- D) Raj Bansal
- E) Ram Bansal

**Answer**

C) Rajesh Bansal





# APPOINTMENTS



## Explanation

- Reserve Bank Innovation Hub (RBIH) has appointed Rajesh Bansal as its chief executive officer. Bansal was a member of the founding team of Aadhaar and previously served at the RBI in various capacities in the areas of technology, financial inclusion and payments systems.
- At the Unique Identity Authority of India (UIDAI), Bansal who was assistant director general played a key role in designing India's Direct Benefits Transfer (DBT) system, especially for cooking gas and the electronic KYC (eKYC).
- He also led the implementation of the world's first interoperable bank agent system which has become the industry norm now and has come in handy as India navigates the Covid-19 pandemic.





# SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

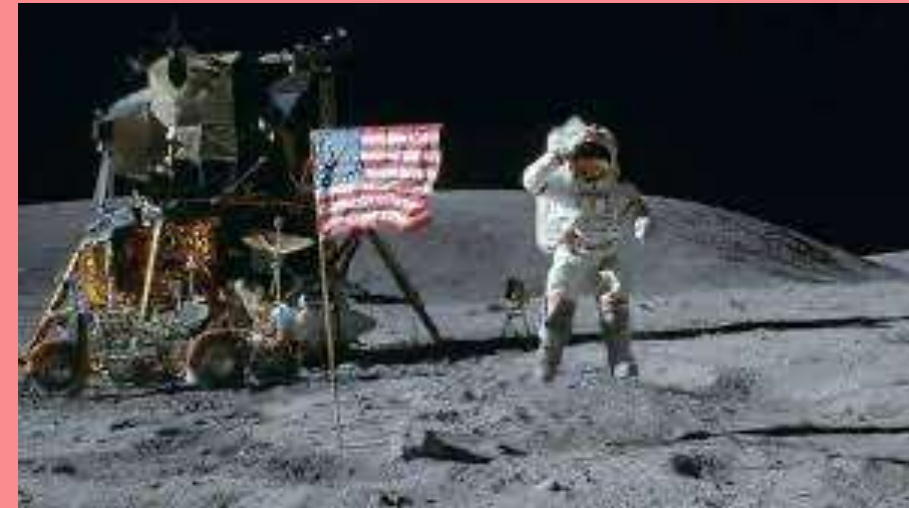


➤ **The United States National Aeronautics and Space Administration is planning to search for water and other resources on the moon in which year?**

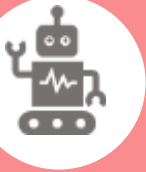
- A) 2026
- B) 2024
- C) 2025
- D) 2023
- E) 2022

**Answer**

D) 2023



# SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY



## Explanation

- The United States National Aeronautics and Space Administration is planning to search for water and other resources on the moon in 2023.
- The US agency, as part of its Artemis program, is planning to send its **first mobile robot to the Moon in late 2023 in search of ice and other resources on and below the lunar surface.**



# SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY



## **Titbits**

NASA

Abbreviation: The National Aeronautics and Space  
Administration

Founded: 1 October 1958

Headquarters: Washington, D.C., United States of America

Acting Administrator : Steve Jurczyk



# SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY



➤ Which country has launched its most powerful supercomputer to date, Simurgh?

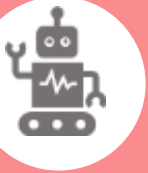
- A) Iraq
- B) USA
- C) UK
- D) Australia
- E) Iran

**Answer**

E) Iran



# SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

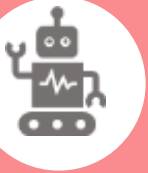


## Explanation

- Iran has launched its most powerful supercomputer to date, Simurgh.
- The system currently has a processing power of 0.56 petaflops, but will reach one petaflop in two months
- Developed at Tehran's Amirkabir University of Technology, the system is 100 times more powerful than previous Iranian supercomputers.



# SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY



## Titbits

Iran

Capital: Tehran

Currency: Rial

President: Hassan Rouhani



# NATIONAL AFFAIRS



➤ Which state dedicated eight “Sachetana Rathas” to sensitise people about the severity of second wave of Covid 19?

- A) Odisha
- B) Uttar Pradesh
- C) Haryana
- D) Madhya Pradesh
- E) Sikkim

**Answer**

A) Odisha





# NATIONAL AFFAIRS



## Explanation

- Odisha government dedicated eight “Sachetana Rathas” to sensitise people about the severity of second wave of Covid 19.
- The Rathas were launched in joint collaboration of the state Health and family welfare department, Odia Language, Literature and Culture, and Information and Public Relations department.
- The initiative was launched in the presence of Information and Public Relations and Odia Language, Literature and Culture Secretary Bishnupada Sethi, Culture Director Ranjan Kumar Dash and UNICEF State Culture Coordinator Basudev Malabisoi.
- Under the initiative eight vehicles decorated beautifully and fitted with audio visuals systems will cover four districts – Khurda, Puri, Cuttack and Jagatsinghpur for the next three months and educate people about Coronavirus.

# NATIONAL AFFAIRS

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## Titbits

Odisha

Capital: Bhubaneswar

Chief Minister - Naveen Patnaik

Governor - Ganeshi Lal



# NATIONAL AFFAIRS



➤ Which state announced the launch of Ankur, a scheme under which citizens will be awarded for planting trees during monsoon?

- A) Odisha
- B) Uttar Pradesh
- C) Haryana
- D) Madhya Pradesh
- E) Sikkim

**Answer**

- D) Madhya Pradesh





# NATIONAL AFFAIRS



## Explanation

- The Madhya Pradesh government on Saturday announced the launch of Ankur, a scheme under which citizens will be awarded for planting trees during monsoon.
- People who take the initiative to plant saplings will be given the Pranvayu Award for their participation.





# NATIONAL AFFAIRS

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## Titbits

Madhya Pradesh

Capital: Bhopal

CM: Shivraj Singh Chouhan

Governor: Anandiben Patel

# NATIONAL AFFAIRS



➤ How many Indian places added to tentative list of UNESCO World Heritage Sites?

A) 6

B) 2

C) 7

D) 5

E) 4

**Answer**

A) 6



# NATIONAL AFFAIRS



## Explanation

- Six Indian sites, including the temples of Kanchipuram in Tamil Nadu, the Ganga ghats in Varanasi, and the Satpura Tiger Reserve in Madhya Pradesh, have been added to the tentative list of UNESCO's world heritage sites, the Ministry of Culture, recently announced.
- The six sites are namely Satpura Tiger Reserve, Iconic riverfront of the historic city of Varanasi, Megalithic site of Hire Benkal, Maratha Military Architecture in Maharashtra, Bhedaghat-Lametaghat in Narmada Valley- Jabalpur, and temples of Kanchipuram.
- With the addition of these six sites, UNESCO has 48 proposals in the tentative list of India

# NATIONAL AFFAIRS



➤ Which state has launched the "Mission Oxygen Self-Reliance" scheme to meet the state's oxygen needs?

- A) Maharashtra
- B) Mizoram
- C) Nagaland
- D) Himachal Pradesh
- E) Manipur

**Answer**

A) Maharashtra



# NATIONAL AFFAIRS



## Explanation

- Maharashtra government has launched the "Mission Oxygen Self-Reliance" scheme to meet the state's oxygen needs.
- Special incentives will be given to oxygen producing industries under this scheme.
- In order to meet the increasing demand, state government has declared few incentives to meet the target of producing 3000 MT of oxygen per day.
- Units set up in Vidarbha, Marathwada, Dhule, Nandurbar, Ratnagiri and Sindhudurg regions will be eligible for incentives up to 150 per cent of their eligible fixed capital investments and units set up in the rest of Maharashtra will be eligible for up to 100 per cent general incentives.

# NATIONAL AFFAIRS



## Jharkhand launches App for online booking of hospital beds

- Now, corona patients in Jharkhand can book hospital beds online through 'Amrit Vahini' App launched by CM Hemant Soren.
- Soren also launched 'Chatboat' through which one may also get all information related to coronavirus.
- In addition, Soren launched 'Chatboat' App to provide online information related to Covid-19.





# NATIONAL AFFAIRS

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## Titbits

Maharashtra

Capital: Mumbai

CM: Udhav Thackarey

Governor: Bhagat Singh Koshyari



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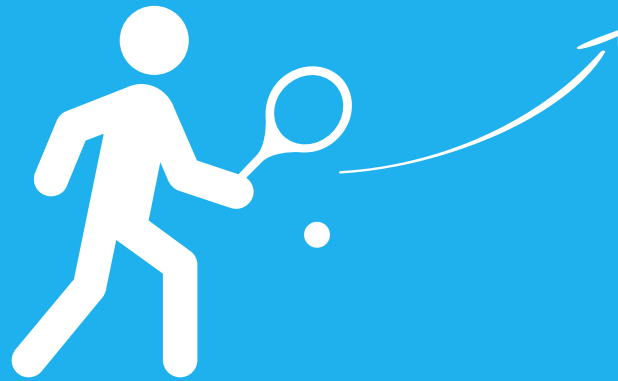


# Sports



## Boyd Rankin

Ireland pacer retires from cricket



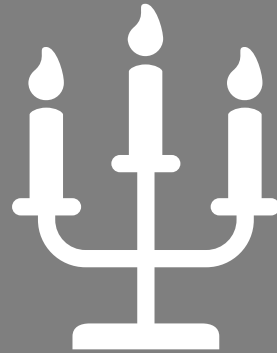


# Obituary



**K R Krishna**

Former Karnataka  
Assembly Speaker





# BANKING AND FINANCE



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**IRDAI**



Propose \$50 billion  
Global Vaccination plan

**IMF**







# BUSINESS AND ECONOMY

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**Microsoft + LaLiga**



# APPOINTMENTS



**Narinder Batra**

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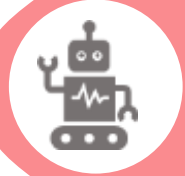


**Rajesh Bansal**

CEO of RBI Innovation Hub

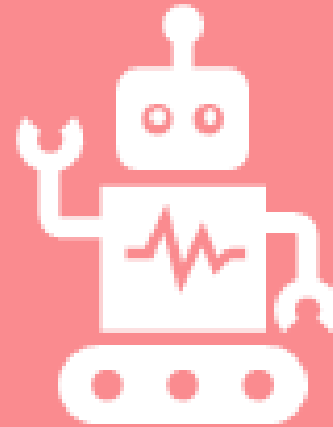


# SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY



Most powerful  
supercomputer

**Iran**



Send its first mobile robot  
to search for water on the  
moon in 2023

**NASA**





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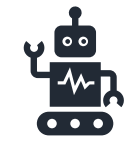
Six Indian places

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# Telangana



Capital : Hyderabad  
CM : K. Chandrashekar Rao  
Governor : Tamilisai Soundararajan

## National Park

- Mahavir Harina Vanasthali NP
- Kasu Brahmananda Reddy NP

## WLS

- Manjeera crocodile WLS
- Srisailem WLS



# Mali



Capital: Bamako

Currency: West African CFA franc

Prime Minister : Moctar Ouane

# The National Health Authority



**Founded: 23 May 2018**  
**chairman : Ram Sewak Sharma**

# Social Justice and Empowerment.



**Minister : Thawar Chand Gehlot**  
**Constituency : Rajya Sabha MP, Madhya Pradesh**



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