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**Menti Schedule**

# Important Days



➤ **Javelin Throw Day is observed on which date?**



- A) August 10
- B) August 4
- C) August 9
- D) August 8
- E) August 7

**Answer**  
**E) August 7**



The Athletics Federation of India (AFI)



➤ **Shakib Al Hasan bagged ICC player of the month in July 2021. Shakib Al Hasan is related to which country?**



- A) Australia
- B) Singapore
- C) Malaysia
- D) Bangladesh
- E) Iran

**Answer**

**D) Bangladesh**



## Explanation

- The International Cricket (ICC) announced Bangladesh all-rounder Shakib Al Hasan and **West Indies captain Stafanie Taylor** have been voted as the winners of the ICC Player of the Month for July 2021.



# OBITUARY



➤ **Dr Balaji Tambe passed away. He was related to which field?**

- A) Businessman
- B) Ayurveda practitioner
- C) Writer
- D) Actor
- E) Singer

**Answer**

**B) Ayurveda practitioner**





# OBITUARY



## Explanation

- Dr Balaji Tambe, an Ayurveda practitioner and proponent of Yoga, died
- The founder of “Atmasantulana Village”, a holistic healing centre near Lonavla, Tambe had written various books on spirituality, Yoga and Ayurveda.



# RANKING



➤ **What is the rank of India in new Global Youth Development Index?**



- A) 189
- B) 122
- C) 142
- D) 124
- E) 111



**Answer**  
**B) 122**

Released By: **Commonwealth Secretariat in London**  
Countries: 181



# RANKING



## Global Youth Development Index

Rank	Country
1	Singapore
2	Slovenia
3	Norway
122	India



# RANKING



➤ **Which country was the most polluted country across the world in 2020 prepared by British company HouseFresh?**



- A) Australia
- B) Singapore
- C) Malaysia
- D) Bangladesh
- E) Iran

**Answer**

**D) Bangladesh**



# RANKING



## Most Polluted Country Across The World In 2020

Rank	Country
1	Bangladesh
2	Pakistan
3	India

## Most Polluted City Across The World In 2020

Rank	City
1	Hotan , China
2	Ghaziabad , Uttar Pradesh
3	Manikganj, Bangladesh



## Explanation

- While the Chinese city of Hotan in Xinjiang province has been named the most polluted city, Ghaziabad in Uttar Pradesh took the second spot on the list with an average PM2.5 concentration of **106.6 $\mu$ g/m<sup>3</sup>**.
- PM2.5 refers to fine particulate matter suspended in the air that is two and a half microns or less in width.



➤ **ADB and IIFL Home Finance sign how much amount deal to promote green housing in India?**

- A) \$1 million
- B) \$6 million
- C) \$5 million
- D) \$4 million
- E) \$2 million

**Answer**

**A) \$1 million**



## Titbits

Asian Development Bank

Member Countries: 68

Founded Year: 1966

Headquarters: Manila, Philippines

Head: Masatsugu Asakawa

IIFL Home Finance Limited

Headquarters: Mumbai, Maharashtra

Chairman : Mr. Nirmal Jain





➤ The RBI has imposed a penalty of how much amount on Gadhinglaj Urban Co-operative Bank Limited, Gadhinglaj, Maharashtra, for contravention of certain norms?

- A) Rs 20 lakh
- B) Rs 30 lakh
- C) Rs 50 lakh
- D) Rs 40 lakh
- E) Rs 10 lakh

**Answer**

- E) Rs 10 lakh**



## Explanation

- The RBI said it has imposed a penalty of Rs 10 lakh on Gadhinglaj Urban Co-operative Bank Limited, Gadhinglaj, Maharashtra, for contravention of certain norms.
- In a separate statement, the RBI said it has also imposed a penalty of Rs 2 lakh each on Maharashtra-based Malkapur Urban Cooperative Bank Limited, Malkapur, and Dr Babasaheb Ambedkar Urban Co-operative Bank Limited, Nagpur, for contravention of certain norms.



## Titbits

### RBI

Abbreviation: Reserve Bank of India

Act: Reserve Bank of India Act, 1934

Headquarters– Mumbai, Maharashtra

Governor– Shaktikanta Das

Deputy Governors– 4 (T Rabi Sankar, Mahesh Kumar Jain,  
Michael Debabrata Patra, M. Rajeshwar Rao)



➤ Which Bank has been empanelled by the Reserve Bank of India (RBI) as an 'Agency Bank' to conduct banking business for the Central and State Governments?

- A) Kotak Mahindra Bank
- B) IndusInd Bank
- C) Punjab National Bank
- D) RBL Bank
- E) Bank of Maharashtra



**Answer**

**D) RBL Bank**



## Explanation

- range of transactions related to government business, such as distributing Subsidies, Pension payments, collecting Central and State taxes including Income Tax, Excise Duties, Customs, GST, Stamp Duty, Registration, State Excise (VAT) and professional tax, in both online and offline modes.



## **Titbits**

RBL Bank

Hq: Mumbai, Maharashtra

MD and CEO: Vishwavir Ahuja



➤ **NABARD sanctions how much amount so far during year under RIDF assistance to Goa govt?**



- A) Rs 317.72 crore
- B) Rs 417.72 crore
- C) Rs 517.72 crore
- D) Rs 617.72 crore
- E) Rs 217.72 crore

**Answer**

**E) Rs 217.72 crore**



## Explanation

- NABARD said that it has sanctioned **Rs 217.72 crore so far** during year under Rural Infrastructure Development Fund (RIDF) assistance to Goa government.
- NABARD has sanctioned loans worth **Rs 188.81 crore for Construction of Super Speciality Block**, Bambolim and Enhancement of Solid Waste Treatment Plant, Saligao under Rural Infrastructure Development Fund (RIDF) to the Government of Goa for various Social infrastructure Projects in the State, taking the cumulative sanctions to ₹ 217.72 crore during 2021-22.





## Titbits

### NABARD

Abbreviation: National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development

Recommendation Committee: B. Sivaraman Committee

Act: National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development Act 1981

Founded: 12 July 1982

Headquarters: Mumbai, Maharashtra

Chairman: Govinda Rajulu Chintala

Goa

Capital: Panaji

CM: Pramod Sawant

Governor: PS Sreedharan Pillai



➤ **The RBI will start imposing penalty on banks in case the ATMs remain out-of-cash for a total period of 10 hours in a month from \_\_\_\_\_?**

- A) May 1, 2022
- B) December 1, 2021
- C) September 1, 2021
- D) November 1, 2021
- E) October 1, 2021

**Answer**

**E) October 1, 2021**



## Explanation

- Concerned over the inconvenience caused to the public due to the **non-availability of cash in ATMs**, the Reserve Bank has decided to penalise banks for failure to timely replenish currency notes in such machines.
- The RBI will start imposing penalty on banks in case the ATMs remain out-of-cash for a total period of 10 hours in a month from **October 1, 2021, onwards**



# APPOINTMENTS



➤ **Ganga Prasad has taken additional Charge of governor of Manipur. He was serving governor of which state?**

- A) Karnataka
- B) Odisha
- C) Sikkim
- D) Uttar Pradesh
- E) Assam

**Answer**  
**C) Sikkim**



# APPOINTMENTS



## Explanation

Sikkim Governor Ganga Prasad was given the additional charge of Manipur while Arunachal Pradesh Governor B. D. Mishra was given the additional responsibility of Mizoram.



# APPOINTMENTS



## Titbits

Manipur

Capital: Imphal

CM: N. Biren Singh

Governor: Ganga Prasad

Mizoram

Capital: Aizawl

CM: Zoramthanga

Governor: B D Mishra



➤ **B Nagabhushana Reddy appointed as new High Commissioner of India to which country?**

- A) Australia
- B) Singapore
- C) Malaysia
- D) Iraq
- E) Iran

**Answer**

**C) Malaysia**



# APPOINTMENTS



## **Titbits**

Malaysia

Capital: Kuala Lumpur

Currency: Malaysian ringgit





# APPOINTMENTS



➤ Who is appointed as brand ambassador of Unacademy?



- A) Rajinikanth
- B) Salman khan
- C) Mahendra Singh Dhoni
- D) Sonu Sood
- E) Narain Karthikeyan

**Answer**

**C) Mahendra Singh Dhoni**



# APPOINTMENTS



## **Titbits**

Malaysia

Capital: Kuala Lumpur

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➤ Which IIT won the prestigious Best Entrepreneurial Skill Training Project award?

- A) IIT Kharagpur
- B) IIT Kanpur
- C) IIT Mandi
- D) IIT Hyderabad
- E) IIT Madras

**Answer**

**B) IIT Kanpur**



## Explanation

- IIT-Kanpur has won the prestigious Best Entrepreneurial Skill Training Project award for its 'Tech for Tribal' program at the inaugural Van Dhan Annual awards of the Tribal Cooperative Marketing Development Federation of India (TRIFED).



# AWARDS



➤ Which state has bagged seven prestigious national awards in the Van Dhan Vikas Yojana (VDVY) and Minimum Support Price (MSP) schemes for exemplary performance in various categories?

- A) Karnataka
- B) Odisha
- C) Sikkim
- D) Uttar Pradesh
- E) Nagaland

**Answer**

**E) Nagaland**



## Explanation

- Nagaland has bagged seven prestigious national awards in the Van Dhan Vikas Yojana (VDVY) and Minimum Support Price (MSP) schemes for exemplary performance in various categories.
- The VDVY and MSP for Minor Forest Produce (MFP) scheme focus on farmers' entrepreneurship programmes through processing, packaging, branding and marketing of locally available products, according to an official statement issued.
- Nagaland topped in three categories – Best Survey, Best Training and the most number of Van Dhan Vikas Clusters (VDVKCs) established.



# AWARDS



## **Titbits**

Nagaland

Capital: Kohima

CM: Neiphiu Rio

Governor: R N Ravi



➤ **Which country host a 'Summit for Democracy', virtually, on December 9-10?**

- A) Australia
- B) Singapore
- C) USA
- D) Bangladesh
- E) Iran

**Answer**  
**C) USA**





## Explanation

- In line with his campaign message on foreign policy, U.S. President Joe Biden will host a 'Summit for Democracy', virtually, on December 9-10, around **three themes: defending against authoritarianism, fighting corruption, and promoting respect for human rights.**
- The summit will gather together heads of state, civil society, philanthropy, and the private sector.



# INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS



## Titbits

United States of America

Capital: Washington D.C

Currency: US Dollar

President: Joe Biden



➤ India has successfully tested the Defence Research and Development Organisation (DRDO)-developed Indigenous Technology **Cruise Missile** off the coast of Odisha's Balasore district. What is the range of this missile?

- A) 250 km
- B) 350 km
- C) 450 km
- D) 550 km
- E) 150 km

**Answer**

**E) 150 km**



## Explanation

- Earlier, on July 23 India had successfully test-fired indigenously developed New Generation Akash Missile (Akash-NG), a Surface to Air Missile defence system in Balasore.
- It was the second test firing of the 30 km strike-range air defence missile systems in two days.



## **Titbits**

DRDO

Abbreviation: Defence Research and Development Organisation

Founded: 1958

Headquarters: New Delhi, Delhi

Chairman: G. Satheesh Reddy



➤ Amit Shah chairs \_\_\_\_ meeting of Parliamentary Committee on Official Language?

- A) 33th
- B) 34th
- C) 35th
- D) 36th
- E) 37th

**Answer**  
**D) 36th**



## **Titbits**

Home Affairs and Cooperation  
Minister: Amit Shah  
Constituency: Gandhinagar, Gujarat



➤ Which Ministry has launched a loan **interest subvention** scheme in association with UNIDI and GEF to provide financial assistance for innovative waste to energy biomethanation projects?

- A) Education Ministry
- B) New and Renewable Energy Ministry
- C) Health Ministry
- D) Culture Ministry
- E) Agriculture Ministry

**Answer**

**B) New and Renewable Energy Ministry**





## Explanation

- The Ministry of New and Renewable Energy (MNRE) said it has launched a loan interest subvention scheme in association with UNIDO and GEF to provide financial assistance for innovative waste to energy biomethanation projects.
- United Nations Industrial Development Organisation & The Global Environment Facility (GEF)
- A GIS-based inventory tool of organic waste streams developed under the GEF-MNRE-UNIDO project was also launched during a webinar.



## Titbits

Power, New and Renewable Energy

Minister: Rajkumar Singh

Constituency: Arrah, Bihar



➤ Which state Govt announces award named after former PM Rajiv Gandhi for firms excelling in IT sector?

- A) Karnataka
- B) Odisha
- C) Sikkim
- D) Maharashtra
- E) Assam

**Answer**

**D) Maharashtra**



## Explanation

- These awards will be felicitated for their best work in **the IT sector**, said the resolution.
- For the social and economic development of the country, the usage of science and technologies is the center point and late Rajiv Gandhi had pressed for results-oriented usage of Information technology and science technology for the nation.



# NATIONAL AFFAIRS



## **Titbits**

Maharashtra

Capital: Mumbai

CM: Udhav Thackarey

Governor: Bhagat Singh Koshyari



➤ **Govt sets target of achieving 175 Giga Watt of Renewable Energy capacity excluding large hydro by \_\_\_\_?**

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

**Answer**

**A) December 2022**



## Explanation

- **Minister of New and Renewable Energy and Power R. K. Singh** said, the Government has set a target of achieving 175 Giga Watt of Renewable Energy capacity excluding large hydro by December 2022.
- In a written reply to a question in Rajya Sabha, **Mr Singh said that a total of 98.44 Giga Watt of renewable energy capacity has been cumulatively installed in the country as on the 30th of June this year which includes 1.49 Giga Watt of off-grid and decentralised capacity.**



➤ **Who addressed the Confederation of Indian Industry (CII) Annual Meeting 2021 via video conferencing?**

- A) Ram Nath Kovind
- B) Narendra Modi
- C) Arjun Munda
- D) Venkaiah Naidu
- E) Ashwini Vaishnaw

**Answer**

**B) Narendra Modi**





## Explanation

- PDuring the meeting, the industry leaders appreciated the Prime Minister's commitment towards reforms in various sectors, **in order to achieve the goal of a \$5 trillion economy.**
- Speaking on the theme of the meeting '**India@75: Government and Business working together for AatmaNirbhar Bharat**', they gave inputs and suggestions to overcome infrastructural challenges, enhance manufacturing capacity, make the financial sector more vibrant, boost the technical prowess of India to attain a leadership position in the technology sector, among other things.



## Titbits

Prime Minister and also in-charge of Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions, Department of Atomic Energy, Department of Space, All important policy issues and All other portfolios not allocated to any Minister

Minister: Narendra Modi

Constituency: Varanasi, Uttar Pradesh



➤ Chief Election Commissioner of India inaugurates \_\_\_Annual Meeting of the Forum of the Election Management Bodies of South Asia (FEMBoSA) for 2021?

- A) 12th
- B) 13th
- C) 14th
- D) 15th
- E) 11th

**Answer**  
E) 11th



## Explanation

- Chief Election Commissioner of India and current Chairman, FEMBoSA **Shri Sushil Chandra** accompanied by Election Commissioners Shri Rajeev Kumar and Shri A. C. Pandey, today inaugurated the 11th Annual meeting of the Forum of the Election Management Bodies of South Asia (FEMBoSA) for the year 2021.
- The meeting in Virtual mode was hosted by the Election Commission of Bhutan. Along with India, delegations from **Afghanistan, Bangladesh, Bhutan, Maldives, Nepal and Sri Lanka** participated in the day-long meeting.



➤ \_\_\_ edition of the National Public Procurement Conclave (NPPC) was organized by Government e-Marketplace (GeM) in association with the Confederation of Indian Industry [CII]?

- A) 6th
- B) 5th
- C) 7th
- D) 8th
- E) 9th

**Answer**

**B) 5th**



**GeM**  
Government  
e Marketplace



## Explanation

- The 5th edition of the National Public Procurement Conclave (NPPC) was organized by Government e-Marketplace (GeM) in association with the Confederation of Indian Industry [CII] on August 9th&10th, 2021 on the theme “Technology enabled Government Procurement – Towards Efficiency, Transparency, and Inclusiveness”.
- The conclave was inaugurated virtually by Minister of State for Commerce and Industry, Smt. Anupriya Patel on August 9, 2021 in the presence of Shri BVR Subrahmanyam, Secretary Commerce and Chairman GeM.





# August 11 Overall Review



# IMPORTANT DAYS

Javelin Throw Day

August 7





# Sports

## **Shakib Al Hasan + Stafanie Taylor**

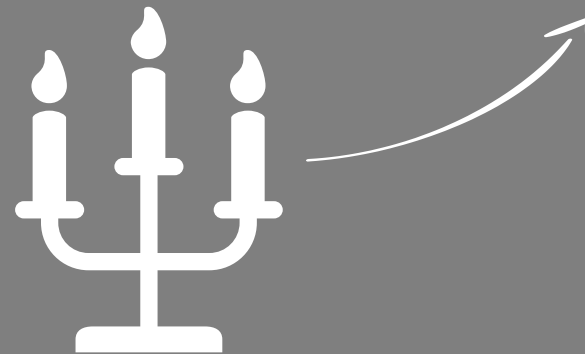
Winners of the ICC Player of the  
Month for July 2021.



# Obituary

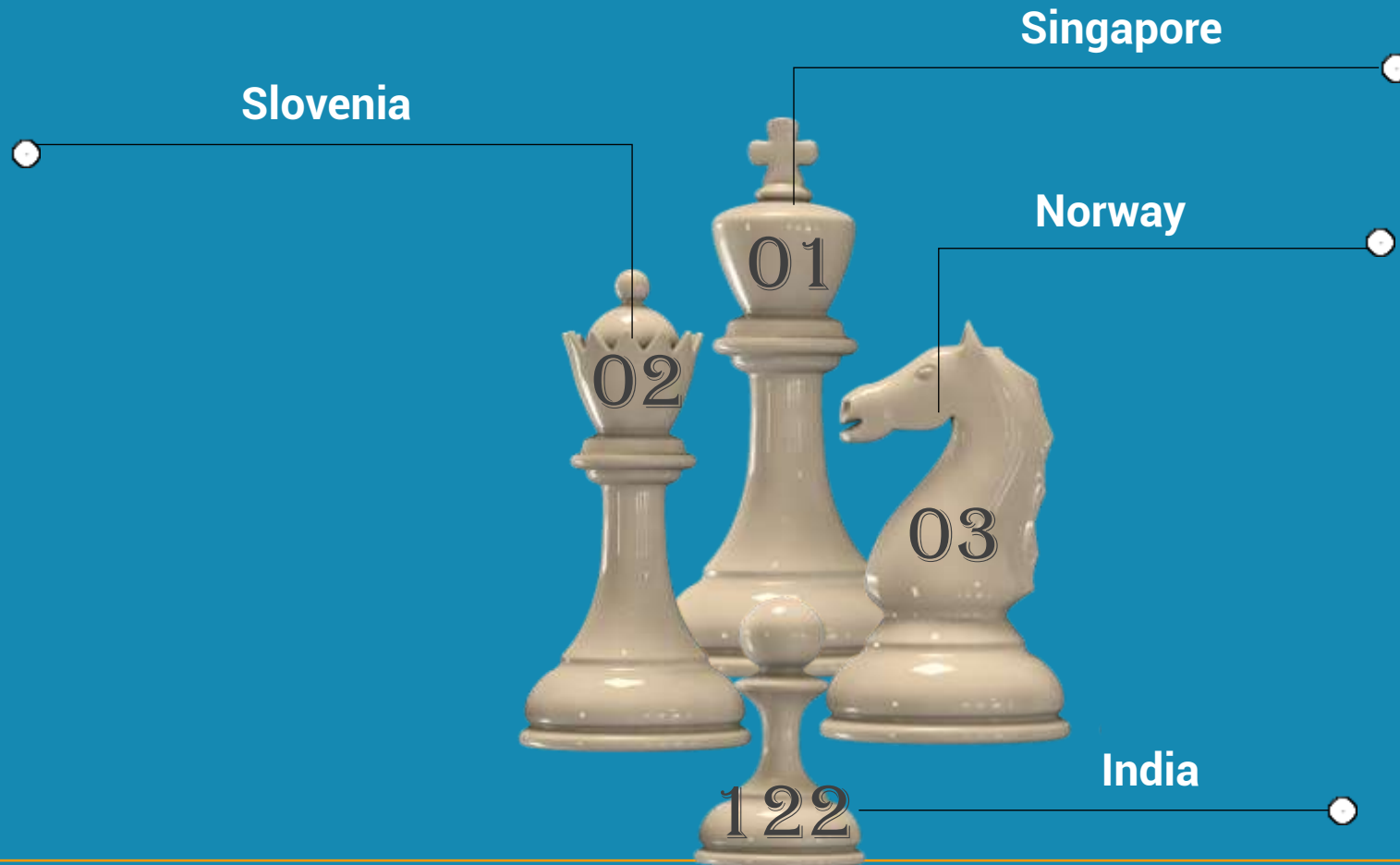
## **Dr Balaji Tambe**

Ayurveda practitioner and  
proponent of Yoga



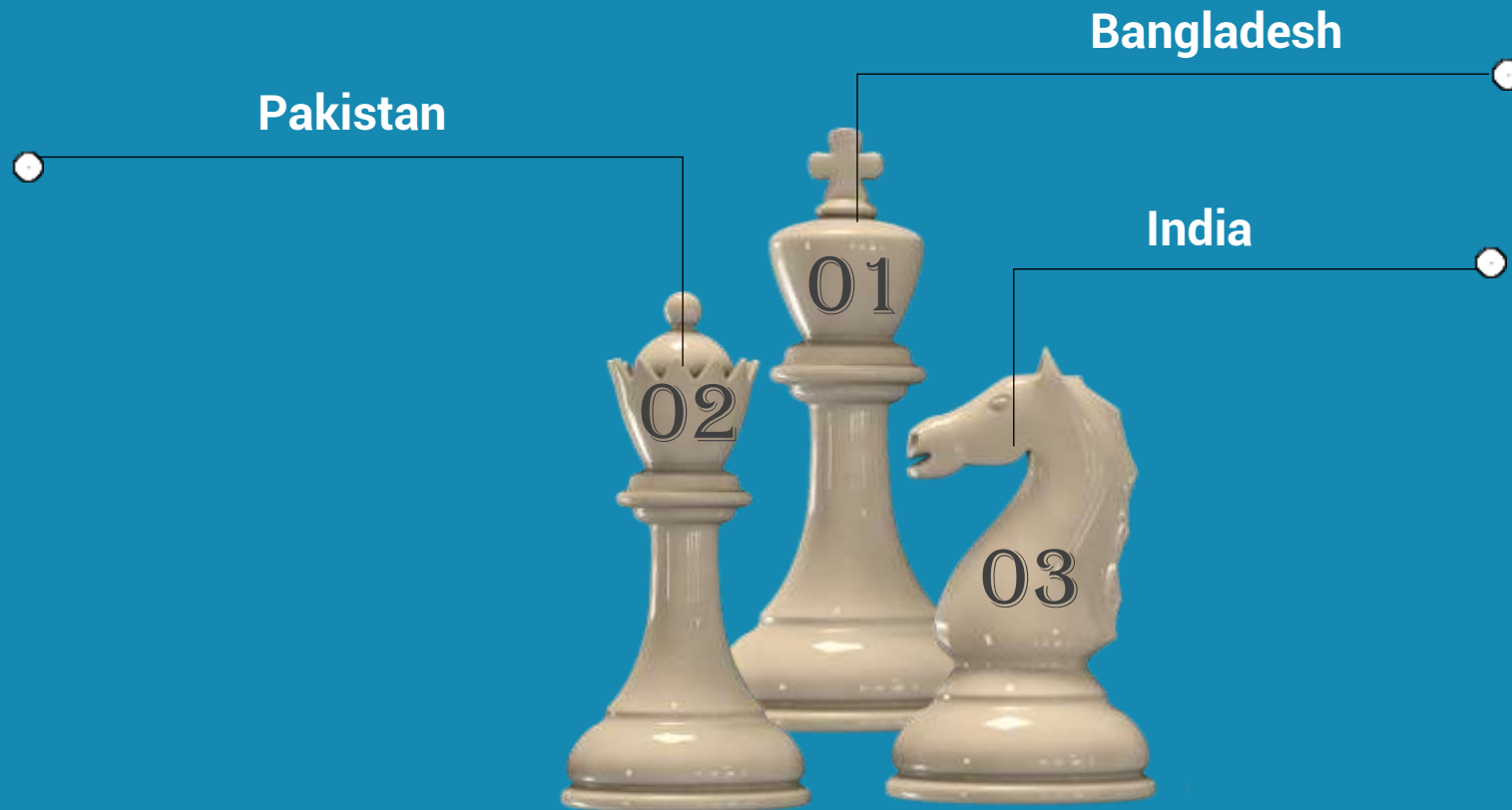
# Ranking

## GLOBAL YOUTH DEVELOPMENT INDEX



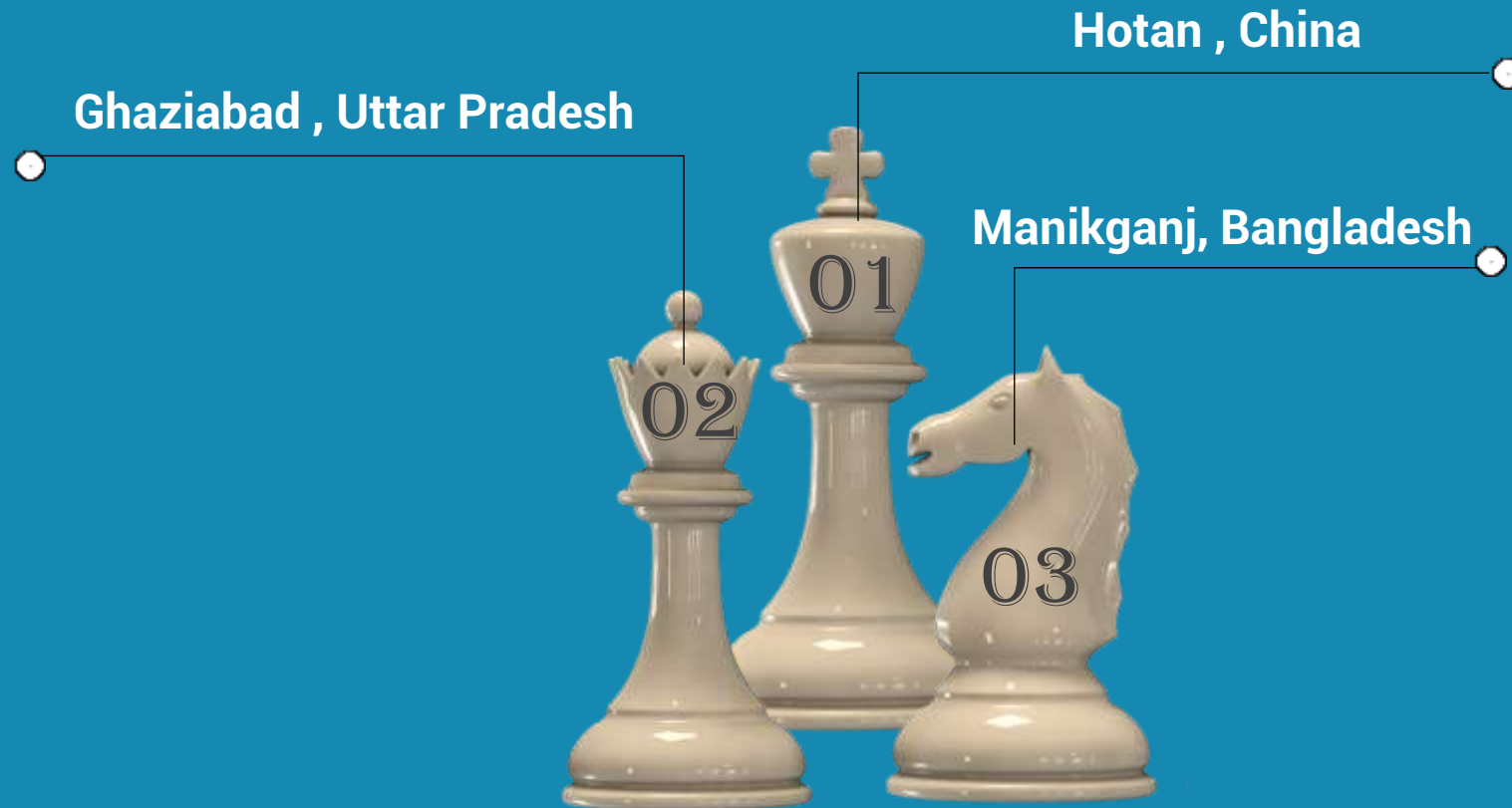
# Ranking

MOST POLLUTED COUNTRY ACROSS THE WORLD IN 2020



# Ranking

MOST POLLUTED CITY ACROSS THE WORLD IN 2020



# BANKING AND FINANCE

Rs 10 lakh penalty on  
Gadhinglaj Urban Co-operative Bank

\$1m deal to promote  
Green Housing in India

**RBI**



**ADB +  
IIFL Home Finance**

Empanel as  
Agency Bank to RBI

**RBL Bank**



# BANKING AND FINANCE



Rs 217.72 crore so far  
during year under  
RIDF assistance to Goa govt

**NABARD**

Penalise banks for non-availability of cash  
in ATMs from October 1

**RBI**



# BUSINESS AND ECONOMY

New High Commissioner of  
India to Malaysia

**B Nagabhushana Reddy**

Additional Charge of  
Governor of Manipur

**Ganga Prasad**



Brand ambassador of  
Unacademy

**MS Dhoni**





# AWARDS

## Nagaland

7 national awards in  
Van Dhan Vikas Yojana



## IIT Kanpur

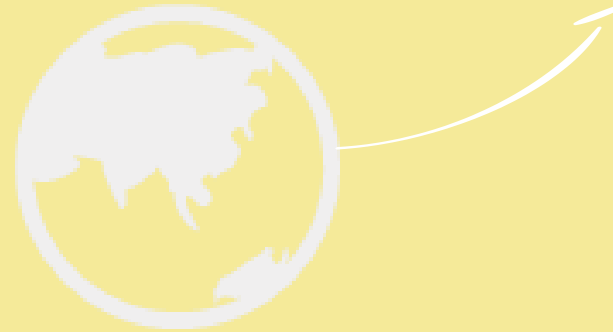
Prestigious award for its  
'Tech for Tribals' program

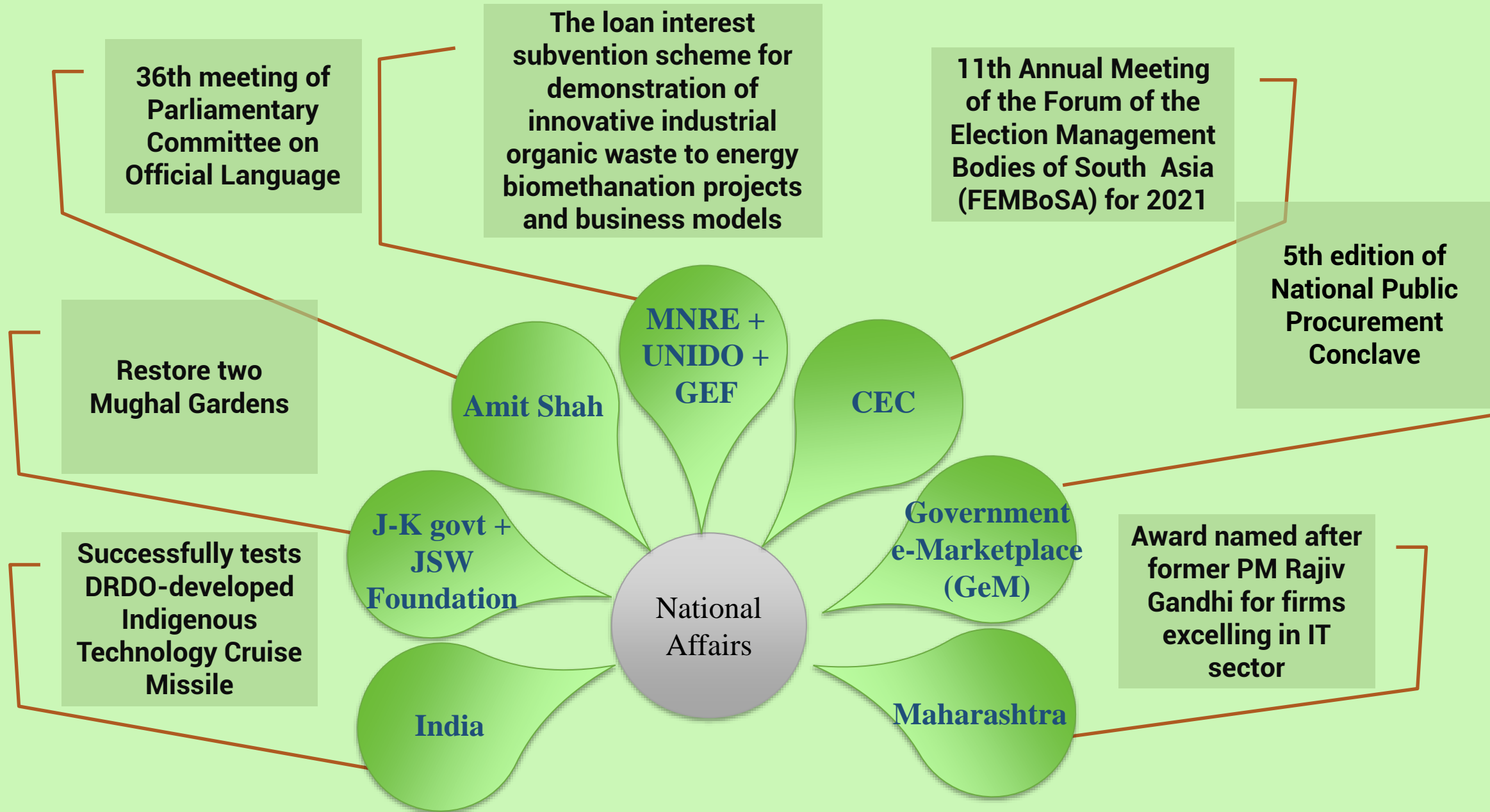


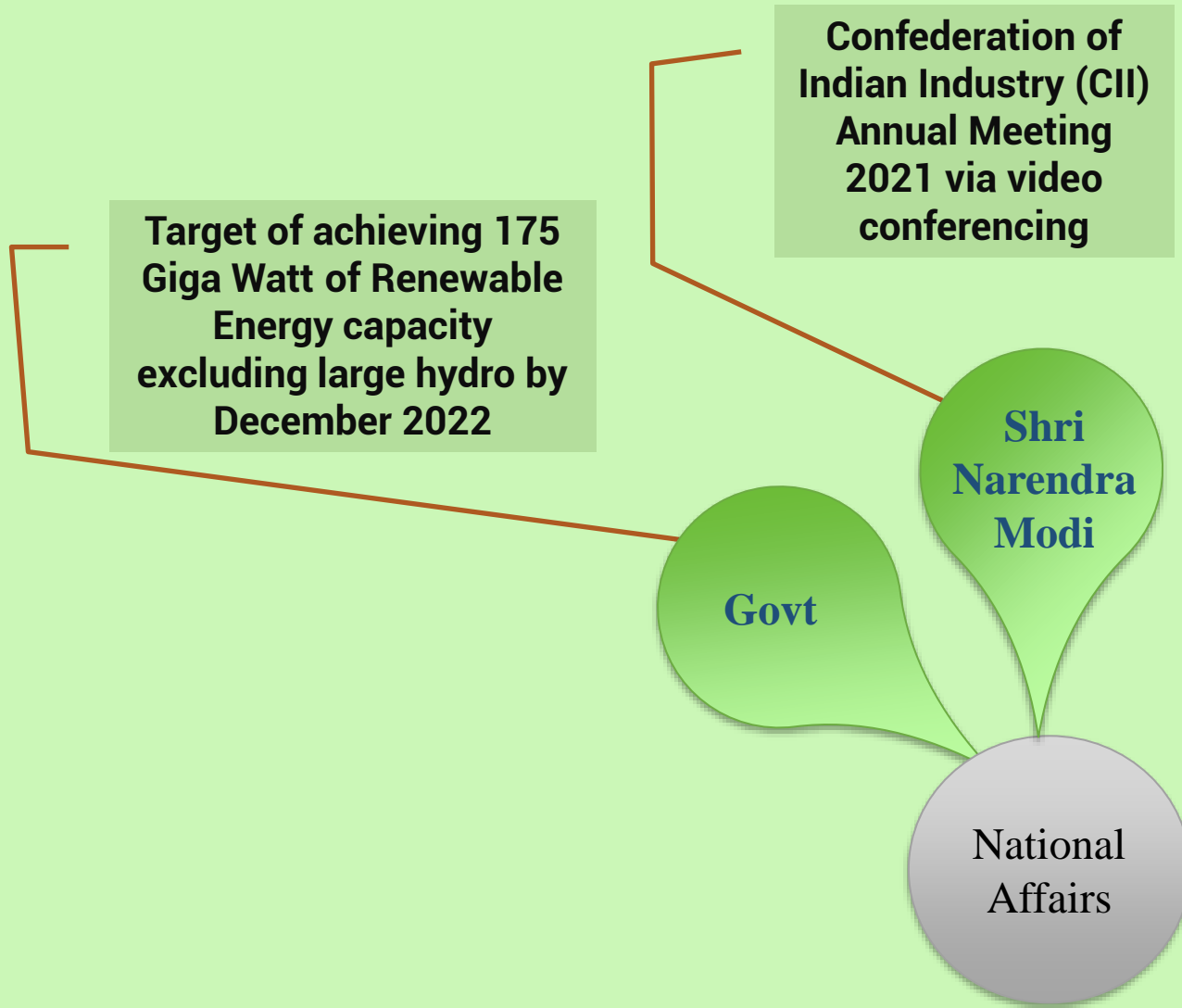
# INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS

Host democracy summit  
virtually in December

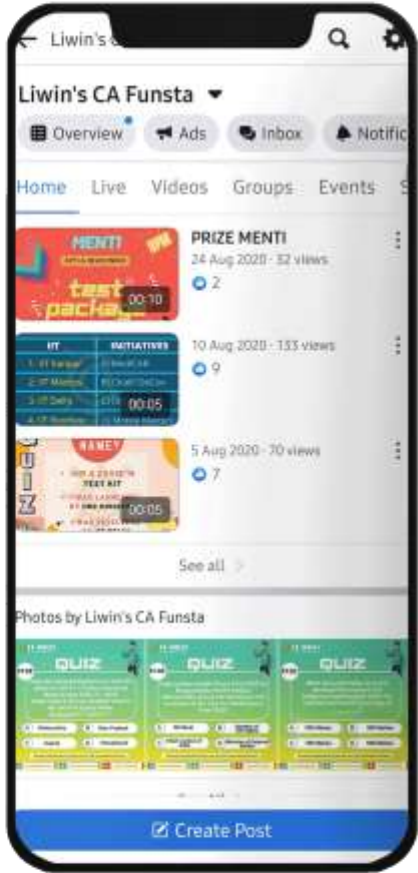
**Joe Biden**



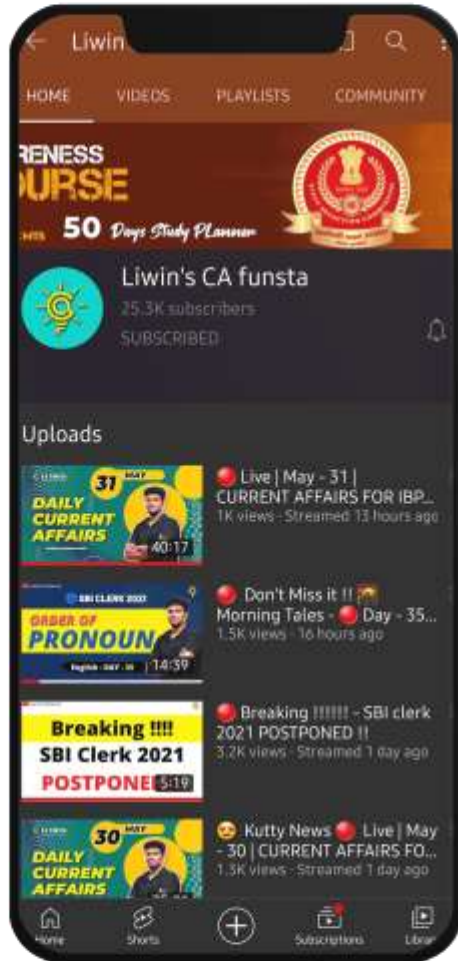




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