

## One Liners

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1. **Maruti Suzuki India Pvt Ltd.** will soon go for **lithium-ion batteries**.
2. In a taxpayer-friendly move, the government said the distance between **two PIN codes** for a **shipment** will be calculated **automatically** at the time of generation of an e-way bill under the **Goods and Services Tax**.
3. **Indian Railways** has sought **operational autonomy** from the cabinet to undertake the **ambitious ₹1 trillion Station Redevelopment Plan**.
4. **Niti Aayog** has proposed **15-point action plan** named **“Breathe India”** for combating air pollution in ten most polluted cities in the country.
5. The Ministry of Water Resources, River Development and Ganga Rejuvenation has launched a video contest titled **“Jal Bachao, Video Banao, Puruskar Pao”**
6. The **Bihar** cabinet approved amendments to the state’s stringent **Prohibition & Excise Act 2016**.
7. **India** has ranked **57th** in the **Global Innovation Index (GII)** developed by **Cornell University**, the Paris-based business school Insead and the World Intellectual Property Organisation (WIPO) in Geneva.
8. **India’s** first private sector unit for **manufacturing Unmanned Air Vehicles (UAV)** and **Light Bullet Proof Vehicles (LBPV)** will be set up by **DCM Shriram Industries Group** on the campus of **Shriram Rayons in Kota**.
9. Scientists have developed a computer named **“SpiNNaker”** that mimics human brain’s neural networks, and would overcome the speed and power consumption problems of conventional supercomputers.
10. Haryana Chief Minister **Manohar Lal Khattar** launched the android-based **Durga Shakti** app of the Haryana Police.
11. As per World Bank report- **‘Missed Opportunities: The High Cost of Not Educating Girls’**, not educating girls or creating barriers in their school education globally costs between **\$15 trillion to \$30 trillion**.
12. The European Commission cut its forecasts for the **Eurozone’s** economic growth this year slow to **2.1% from 2.4% last year**.

13. **Airtel Payments Bank Ltd** has received requisite approvals from the **Reserve Bank of India (RBI)** and the **Unique Identification Authority of India (UIDAI)** to start on-boarding customers using **Aadhaar based e-KYC** (know your customer).
14. **Pay revisions, interest payments and farm loan waivers** are stressing state government finances yet again, as per the report- **State Finances: A Study of Budgets** of the Reserve Bank of India (RBI).
15. The **Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI)** made it mandatory for stock brokers to accept client funds only by way of **bank or electronic transfers** such as cheques and mobile banking.
16. **July 12 is celebrated as International Malala Day** as on July 12,2013, **Malala Yousafzai's** 16th birthday, she spoke at the UN to call for worldwide access to education.
17. **Manu Bhaker and Anish Bhanwala** won **gold** in **Junior Women's 10m Air Pistol** and **Junior Men's 25m Rapid Fire Pistol** at the tournament being held at the **Military Shooting Range** in **Pilsen, Czech Republic**.
18. **Hima Das** won first ever track **gold** at the **400 metre final** at the **IAAF World U20 Championships** in **Tampere, Finland**.