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1. The Delhi Government launched an initiative “**Connect Delhi**” to increase the reach of transportation facilities and provide last-mile connectivity to citizens.
2. The **Supreme Court** said the **Delhi Lieutenant Governor** cannot act independently and must take the aid and advise of the **Council of Ministers**.
3. According to **Tecxipio**, a Germany-based data analytics firm, **Tanzania and Ireland** are the fastest growing **piracy markets for Hindi films**.
4. More than **30,000 people** belonging to the **Bru community** will be given **voting rights**.
5. **Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO)** has scheduled a ‘**Pad Abort Test**’ of an experimental **space crew capsule** as an important cog of its plan to send Indians to space one day.
6. The **Election Commission** launched **voter identity cards** with **Braille label** to ensure greater participation of persons with visual impairment in the electoral process.
7. **DNA Technology (Use and Application) Regulation Bill, 2018**
8. **Oil prices, pace of banks’ balance sheet** clean-up and investment remain the key credit risks in **India**, according to an investor survey by **Moody’s Investors Service**.
9. The Union Cabinet approved to rename the **Agartala Airport in Tripura** as ‘**Maharaja Bir Bikram Manikya Kishore Airport, Agartala**’.
10. The think tank **NITI Aayog** announced that it is organising ‘**MOVE: Global Mobility Summit**’ in New Delhi on 7th and 8th September, 2018 in association with various ministries and industry partners.
11. Union Minister Nitin Gadkari flagged off **Wagon Cab’s taxi ambulance services** in **New Delhi**.
12. The **Rajasthan** government approved **1 per cent reservation** for **five communities**, including the **Gujjar community**, against their demand of **5 %**.
13. **Dr. Jitendra Singh** attended the **4-day Meghalaya Annual Cultural Festival**, “**Behdienkhlam**”, held every year at the small peripheral town of **Jowai, Meghalaya**.
14. The **Madhya Pradesh government** announced **Mukhyamantri Jan Kalyan (Sambal) Yojana 2018** (a scheme to provide subsidized power).
15. India’s gold imports fell more than **25% to 54 metric tonnes** in **June** from a year ago, says **Bloomberg**.

16. The government is preparing a policy framework to **regulate foreign investments** more closely in internet and smartphone businesses, especially in view of the increasing **Chinese** presence in these sectors.
17. The **Union cabinet** allowed the **Human Resource Development (HRD) ministry** to raise **₹1 trillion** from the market for **funding education research and infrastructure**.
18. The government extended its **Capital Infusion Scheme** for **Regional Rural Banks (RRBs)** to **2019-20** with the aim of strengthening their lending capacity.
19. The economic centre of the country is shifting to the **South**, according to newly released **Census 2011 Data Tracking The Movement of Languages**.
20. **India's rank in the Language Diversity Index has fallen from 9 in 2009 to 14 in 2017**.
21. **China's** internet giant **Baidu** announced that it had begun mass producing the country's first **Autonomous Mini-Bus**.
22. **Yes Bank** has received the final regulatory approval from the **Securities & Exchange Board of India (SEBI)** to commence its **mutual fund business - Yes Asset Management (India) Limited (YAMIL)**.
23. The **RBI** has issued licence to **Bank of China** to launch operations in **India**.
24. **Wipro**, India's third largest software services exporter, has promoted its head of digital business **Rajan Kohli** as a **President**.
25. The **Payments Council of India** announced that it has appointed **Vishwas Patel** as its new **Chairman**.
26. **Ajai Raj Singh** won the boys **javelin gold** in **Youth Olympic Games' Asian area Qualification Athletics** meet to be held in **Buenos Aires in October**.