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National Affairs

Panel set up by Election Commission under Umesh Sinha to suggest new poll rules.

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Chief Election Commissioner - A. K. Jyoti

Ixigo travel app survey stated that Kozhikode Railway Station was ranked First and Hazarat Nizamuddin Station last in terms of cleanliness.

International Affairs

Special logo has been jointly unveiled by India and Bhutan for Golden Jubilee Celebrations.

Ban on sale of alcohol to women has been removed by Sri Lankan Govt.

World's largest thermal solar plant to be built by South Australia.

\$45.27 mn. aid has been given by India to Sri Lanka for development of KKS Harbour.

States

Kerala

Government has permitted prisoners to donate organs.

Summits/ Conferences

4th ASEAN-India Ministerial Meeting on Agriculture and Forestry

Held in : New Delhi.

Transformation of Aspirational Districts

Held in : New Delhi.

115 aspirational district rankings to be provided by Niti Aayog.

22nd National Youth Festival

Inaugurated by : Prime Minister Modi in Noida.

Theme : 'Sankalp se Siddhi'.

Appointments

Appointee/ Person	Position
1. Anil Khanna	Head of Indian Olympic Association Finance Commission.
2. Kajol	Advocacy Ambassador 'Swachh Aadat Swachh Bharat'.
3. Indu Malhotra	First Woman Lawyer Promoted to Supreme Court.

Important Days

Day	Celebrated on	NOTES/ THEME-2017
National Youth Day	12th January	

Business, Economy & Finance

India has become the top borrower from Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank (AIIB) in 2007 with \$1.5 bn.

Kazakhstan has surpassed Iraq in OPEC's biggest oil Over-Producer.

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OPEC -Organisation of the Petroleum Exporting Countries; H.Q. - Vienna; Secretary General - Mohammed Barkindo;

International Air Transport Association (IATA) has said that India topped domestic air passenger traffic demand at 16.4%.

India's first coal to gas conversion plant to be set up by Gas (India) Limited (GAIL) in Odisha.

JioCoin crypto currency to be launched by Reliance.

Science & Technology

ISRO has successfully lifted off its 100th satellite Cartosat-2 from Sriharikota.

China has become Nepal's second internet service provider.

Obituary

Sukhchain Singh Cheema

Renowned wrestler and coach.

New Batches start on 22nd January

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