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NATIONAL AFFAIRS

Amnesty International India campaign against 'Sexual abuse of Children'

- Campaign named – **'Our Safety, Our Right'** among children against Sexual abuse.
- The campaign will culminate – **International Day of the Girl Child.**
- AIM – To help them understand and identify sexual abuse.
- The campaign is collaboration with *Bharath Gyan Vigyan Samiti, People's Action for Rural Awakening (PARA) and Institute of Social Education.*
- This would **empower children** to speak up and report sexual abuse without fear.

LEPV- Amnesty International India ❖ H.Q. – Bengaluru ❖ Founded – 1966 ❖ Motto – Global defenders of Human Rights.

'International Conference on Recent Advances – Food Processing Technology' (iCRAFPT) held in Thanjavur

- Inaugurated by Minister of Food Processing sector – Harsimrat Kaur Badal.
- The theme : **'Doubling Farmers Income through Food Processing'**.

Panel to review labeling draft of FSSAI headed by B. Sesikeran

- B. Sesikeran, former Director of **National Institution of Nutrition (NIN).**
- This committee will study in detail the concerns of the industry and make recommendations.

LEPV- FSSAI – Food Safety and Standard Authority of India ❖ H.Q. – New Delhi ❖ CEO – Pawan Kumar Agarwal

Special Film Festival – Freedom Struggle & Freedom Fighters held in Mumbai

- This was held to mark 72nd Independence Day in Mumbai.
- The festival was organized by **Film Division, Ministry of Information & Broadcasting.**
- **Documentary films** on Freedom Struggle and Freedom Fighters were screened at the festival.

BUSINESS & ECONOMY

BSE Released Data : TCS overcomes RIL

- **Tata Consultancy Services (TCS)** overtakes Reliance Industries Limited (RIL) to become most valued Indian Company.
- The market capitalization (**m-Cap**) :
 - TCS stood Rs. 7,69,065.04
 - RIL stood Rs. 7,60,644.73

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RUCO (Repurpose Used Cooking Oil) : Initiative of FSSAI

SPORTS

- Food Safety and Standards Authority of India (FSSAI) launched the initiative for collection and conversion of used cooking oil into **bio-diesel**.
- Under RUCO, 64 companies at 101 locations have been identified to enable collection of **used cooking oil**.

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BANKING & FINANCE

New & improved interface released by RBI Governor – UPI 2.0 version

- The new version has been developed by **National Payments Corporation of India (NPCI)**.
- **UPI Member Banks are** : SBI, HDFC Bank, Axis Bank, ICICI Bank, IDBI Bank, RBL Bank, YES Bank, Kotak Bank, IndusInd Bank, Federal Bank and HSBC.
- It allow customers to use overdraft limit for making payments for merchants.
- UPI was launched on **April 11, 2016**.

BCCI : Emirates Cricket Board to host 2018 Asia Cup

- Board of Control for Cricket in India (BCCI) & Emirates signed an agreement of the purpose.
- **The agreement signed between –**
 - **Amitabh Chaudhary**, Acting Secretary and CEO **Rahul Johri** from BCCI side
 - **Sheikh Nahyan bin Mubarak Al Nahyan**, Chairman of Emirates Cricket Board

LEPV- ACC – Asian Cricket Council ❖ H.Q. – Kaulalumpur, Malaysia ❖ Founded – 1983 ❖ Member Countries – 25.

