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## NATIONAL AFFAIRS

### **Govt. put imports of Gold Dore in Restricted category**

- **Directorate General of Foreign Trade (DGFT)** which works under Ministry of Commerce and Industry said in a notification.
- It means that an importer now, needs a licence to import this commodity.
- **India**, the **World's second-biggest gold consumer** after China, imports about 900 tons of gold a year.

**LEPV**- DGFT ❖ H.Q. – New Delhi ❖ DG – Alok Chaturvedi

### **Centre proposes ban on use of animals in Circuses, Performances**

- Ban on the **cause of Animals** for performance, exhibition at any circus or mobile entertainment facilities.
- Notification in the **Performing Animals (Registration) Rules, 2001, under rule 13**, the following shall be added to 13A Prohibit Exhibiting and Training of Animals for specified performances.

### **Train 18 : India 1<sup>st</sup> Engineless train crosses 180 kmph during trails**

- This train crossed the **180 kmph speed** limit during a test run in the Kota-Sawai Madhopur Section.
- It is India's fastest train when it made operational.
- It is a **high-tech, Energy efficient, self-propelled** (engine-less train).

## STATE AFFAIRS

### **Nagaland signs MoU with Estonian Academy on E-governance**

- E-governance **Academy of Estonia** to provide advisory and technical knowledge.
- It aimed at **strengthening bilateral technical cooperation** in fields of **information technology & e-governance**.

## BANKING & FINANCE

### **World Bank unveils US\$ 200 bn in Climate Action investment for 2021-25**

- The move coincides with a **UN Climate Summit in Katowice (Poland)**.
- In direct finance from the **World Bank**.
- World Bank had committed **US\$ 20.5 billion** to climate action, compared with an annual average of US\$ 13.5 billion for the 2014-18 period.

## BUSINESS & ECONOMY

### **GDP in India will grow 7.2% in the year ending March 2019, says Moody's**

- Moody's expect the real **Gross Domestic Product (GDP)** in India to grow **7.2%**.
- This growth is driven by **investment growth** and **strong consumption**.
- The stable outlook is based on **6 parameters** – Operating Environment, Assets Quality, Capital, Funding and Liquidity, Profitability & Efficiency and Government Support.

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## AWARDS & RECOGNITION

**PETA 'Hero to Animals' Award for banning Chinese Manjha – Imran Hussain**

- PETA – People for the Ethical Treatment of Animals.
- Imran has banned the sale, production, storage, Supply, import use of **Chinese Manjha** made by Nylon.

## APPOINTMENTS & RESIGNATIONS

**Pawan Singh**

- Appointed as **International Shooting Sport Federation (ISSF) Judge**.
- He is also the **Joint Secretary General of National Rifle Association**.

**LEPV- ISSF** ❖ H.Q. – Munich, Germany ❖ **President – Olegario Vázquez Raña**

## BOOKS & AUTHORS

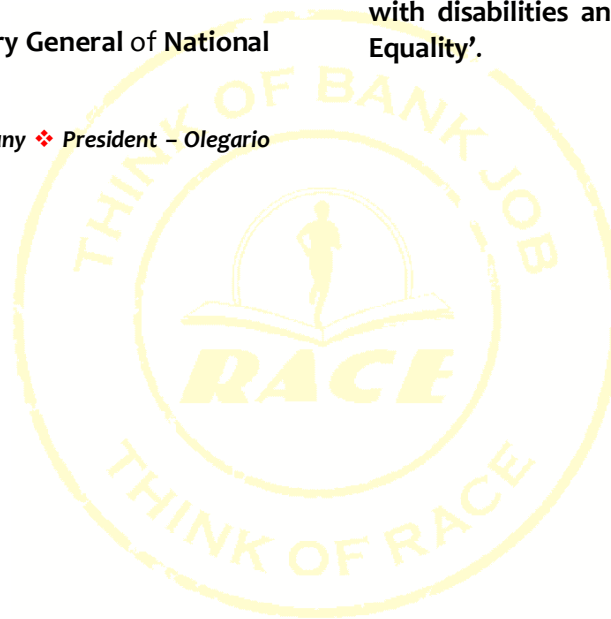
**Book - 'Architecture of Justice : A pictorial walk-through of Supreme Courts and High Courts of India' released by CJI Ranjan Gogoi**

- The book is one of its kind, never before seen photographic rendition of **Supreme Court of India, 24 High Courts & 12 benches**.

## IMPORTANT DAYS

**3<sup>rd</sup> December : International Day of Person's with Disabilities**

- The theme of this year is **'Empowering Person's with disabilities and ensuring Inclusiveness and Equality'**.



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