

# **CURRENT AFFAIRS**

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**15 July 2020**

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- Ministry of Shipping approved Rs 107 Crore for Modern Firefighting Facilities in Haldia Dock, Kolkata**
- UNICEF India & FICCI's SEDF joined hands to Initiate "#Reimagine Campaign" to Support Vulnerable Populations and Children in India**
- 8.9% of the world's population, went hungry in 2019: UN's State of Food Security and Nutrition in the World 2020**
- UNODC's World Wildlife Crime Report: Pangolin Scale Seizure**

## **Jumped 10 times Between 2014 & 2018**

- NABARD organised a 'digital choupal' to mark its 39th Foundation Day; 2 schemes each of Rs 5,000 cr announced**
- IRDAI mandated insurance companies to launch 'Corona Kavach' & 'Corona Rakshak' amid increasing COVID-19 cases**
- Legendary Hockey Player Ashok Kumar, Honoured with Lifetime Achievement Award of Mohun Bagan Football Club**
- Bloomberg Billionaires Index- Mukesh Ambani becomes World's 6th richest man, surpassing Elon Musk,**

## **Sergey Brin and Larry Page**

- Hemang Amin, Appointed as the Interim CEO of BCCI**
- IIT Kanpur Develops 'SHUDH', UV Sanitizing Device to make Surroundings COVID free**
- ARAD and CARMEL – New Israeli Assault Rifles Are Set to Manufacture in India under Make in India Initiative**
- Former Australian Skipper Mile Jedinak Announces Retirement from Football**
- Dutch Football Player Wim Suurbier Passed Away at 75**
- A new book titled "If It Bleeds"**

**authored by Stephen King released in  
India**

**- Central Govt Provides Rs 1500 crore  
to Haryana for its Crop Diversification  
and Ponds Rejuvenation**

**- Nitin Gadkari Inaugurates and Lays  
Foundation Stones of 11 Highway  
Projects Worth Around Rs 20,000  
crore in Haryana Virtually**

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