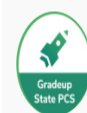


Important One Liner Current Affairs of the Day (26 August 2021)

- **Sandeep Bakshi** has been re-appointment as the **Managing Director (MD) and Chief Executive Officer (CEO)** of **ICICI Bank** with effect from October 15, 2021.
- **World's largest and tallest observation wheel** is set to be unveiled in **Dubai, UAE** on 21st October 2021. This observation wheel is known as '**Ain Dubai**'.
- **BharatPe** has launched peer-to-peer (P2P) lending app titled as '**12% Club**' that will allow consumers to invest and earn up to **12% annual interest** or borrow at a similar rate
- **Ministry of Jal Shakti** has launched '100 days campaign' titled as **SUJALAM** to create more and more **Open Defecation Free (ODF) Plus villages** by undertaking waste water management at village level. Campaign started on **August 25, 2021**
- **Minister of Electronics and Information Technology (MeitY)** has launched **Startup Accelerators of MeitY for pRодукt Innovation, Development, and growth (SAMRIDH)** programme
- Union Finance Minister **Nirmala Sitharaman** has unveiled **fourth edition of Public Sector Bank (PSB) Reforms Agenda or Enhanced Access and Service Excellence or 'EASE 4.0'** for 2021-22
- **Ministry of Textiles** is implementing **Samarth Scheme for Capacity Building in Textile Sector** to meet the skill gap in the industry.
- **Infosys** became the **4th Indian company to touch a market capitalization (m-cap)** of USD 100 billion
- **Spices Board** in association with **Embassy of India, Bangkok** organized an **International Buyer Seller Meet (IBSM)** and webinar bringing together Indian spice exporters, leading spice importers in Thailand, trade associations, chamber of commerce, leading supermarket chains, etc.
- US-based **Ohmium International Ltd** has started **India's first green hydrogen electrolyzer manufacturing unit at Bengaluru, Karnataka.**
- National Security Advisor of India, **Ajit Doval** has virtually hosted **11th Meeting of BRICS High Representatives Responsible for National Security**, since India is the chair for 2021 BRICS summit.
- **Pakistan** has received **\$2.75 billion** from **International Monetary Fund (IMF)** under **Special Drawing Rights (SDR)** programme to support low-income countries hit by COVID



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