

## One Liners (13 August 2021)

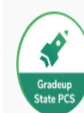
- Senior bureaucrat **Kamlesh Kumar Pant** (1993 IAS officer of Himachal Pradesh cadre) has been appointed as the new **Chairperson of National Pharmaceutical Pricing Authority (NPPA)**. **NPPA**: Government regulatory agency that controls the prices of pharmaceutical drugs in India since **1997**.
- India's cleanest city, **Indore (Madhya Pradesh)** has been declared as **India's first 'water plus' certified city** under Swachh Survekshan 2021.
- **Ganga Prasad** has been sworn in as the **Governor of Manipur** at the Durbar Hall of Raj Bhavan, Imphal.
- **Noopur Chaturvedi** has been appointed as the **Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of National Payments Corporation of India (NPCI) Bharat BillPay Ltd. (NBBL)**
- Centre has approved the extension of tenure of India's Home Secretary **Ajay Kumar Bhalla** for another 1-year.
- **Hamad International Airport in Doha, Qatar** has been named as the **Best Airport in the World in 2021 Skytrax World Airport Awards**, followed by Tokyo Haneda Airport, Singapore Changi Airport, Incheon International Airport and Narita International Airport
- **130th Edition of Durand Cup Football Tournament** is scheduled to be held at **Kolkata** from 5th September to 3rd October 2021.
- Govt has announced **Prime Minister's Shram Awards for 2018** to recognize distinguished performance in productivity, exceptional courage and presence of mind. These awards are to be given to 69 workers employed in PSUs and Private Sector Units employing 500 or more workers.

### Today in History

- **World Organ Donation Day** is observed every year on **August 13** to raise awareness about the importance of organ donation and motivate people to donate organs after death.



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