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## INTERNATIONAL

### 1) Tasmanian Tiger

- Scientists in US and Australia have started a project to resurrect Tasmanian Tiger using gene-editing technology.
- The Project aims to reintroduce animal to its native place Tasmania to revive region's lost ecological balance. Marsupials are thought of as pouched mammals.

## NATIONAL

### 1) Sadbhavna Diwas

- India observed Sadbhavna Diwas in memory of Rajiv Gandhi's birth anniversary. Sadbhavna Diwas 2022 commemorates the 78th birth anniversary of Rajiv Gandhi on 20th August 2022.
- Sadbhavna Diwas was instituted after the death of Rajiv Gandhi in 1992, by Congress. Sadbhavna Diwas promotes peace, harmony, empathy, and unity among all citizens of India.

### 2) Hindustan Aeronautics Limited inked a MoU with Malaysia government

- The Hindustan Aeronautics Limited inked a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) to establish its first international marketing and sales office in Kuala Lumpur in anticipation of a potential agreement for the Light Combat Aircraft Tejas in Malaysia.
- The change has taken place because Tejas is being considered by Malaysia as a Fighter Lead-in Trainer aircraft for the Royal Malaysian Air Force.

### 3) HAL handed two pieces of space equipment to the ISRO

- Hindustan Aeronautics Limited handed two pieces of space equipment to the Indian Space Research Organization (ISRO) for use in the Gaganyaan mission.
- This is the second crew module fairing (CMF) that India's top space agency has purchased from HAL for the mission.

## BUSINESS AND ECONOMY

### 1) HDFC Bank inaugurated an all-women branch in Kozhikode

- HDFC Bank inaugurated an all-women branch in Kozhikode, north Kerala. Mayor of the city Corporation Beena Philip opened the branch of HDFC Bank.





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- As of March 31, 2022, women made up 21.7% (21,486) of the workforce, according to the bank. By 2025, the private lender wants to raise it to 25%.

## 2) RBI cancels licence of Deccan Urban Co-operative Bank

- The RBI said the licence of Deccan Urban Co-operative Bank, Karnataka, has been cancelled as the lender does not have adequate capital and earning prospects.  
- As per the data submitted by the bank, more than 99 per cent of the depositors are entitled to receive the full amount of their deposits from Deposit Insurance and Credit Guarantee Corporation (DICGC).

## BOOKS AND AUTHORS

### 1) “Bibi: My Story”

- Former prime minister Benjamin Netanyahu has a memoir coming out this fall. “Bibi: My Story” will be published November 22, in Israel.  
- Netanyahu was Israel’s longest-serving leader — and its most polarizing, supported and condemned for his hard-line stance against the Palestinians.

## IMPORTANT DAYS

### 1) World Mosquito Day

- The World Mosquito Day is observed on 20th August. World Mosquito Day reminds us of the Millions of people worldwide are in danger of dying from it, despite the fact that it is treatable and preventable.  
- According to the World Health Organization, there was a 69,000% increase in malaria-related deaths between the years of 2019 and 2020.