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- Name the union minister who has recently (in May '23) launched “Poshan Bhi, Padhai Bhi”, to strengthen Early Childhood Care and Education (ECCE).
 - **Smriti Zubin Irani (Union Minister of Women and Child Development)**

- In May 2023, the Ministry of Finance (MoF) reduced the e-invoicing threshold for all business-to-business (B2B) transactions to _____ from Rs 10 crore with effect from 1st August, 2023.
 - **Rs 5 crore**

- Name the Chief Minister who has recently (in May '23) launched Ayushman Asom Scheme under the Mukhya Mantri Jan Arogya Yojana (MMJAY).
 - **Himanta Biswa Sarma**

- In May 2023, Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) allowed stock exchanges to extend Direct Market Access (DMA) facility to foreign portfolio investors (FPIs) for participation in Exchange Traded Commodity Derivatives (ETCDs). This notification was issued in exercise of the powers conferred under _____ of the SEBI Act,_____.
 - **Section 11(1); 1992**

- In May 2023, India extended a USD _____ credit line for Sri Lanka by one year until March 2024.
 - **1 billion**

- Which bank has recently (in May '23) gone live with “Direct Tax Collections” through the new Tax Information Network (TIN2.0) portal?
 - **RBL Bank**

- Name the company that has recently (in May '23) become the 1st firm to receive the Non- Banking Financial Company (NBFC) licence in the agritech space.
 - **Ora Finance Private Limited**

- Which organisation/Association has recently (in May '23) announced a plan to launch an online “Bank Clinic” to assist customers with grievance redress?
 - **All India Bank Employees Association**

- Name the personality who was recently (in May '23) appointed as the interim Chief Executive officer (CEO) and Managing Director (MD) of National Investment and Infrastructure Fund Limited (NIIFL).
 - **Rajiv Dhar**

- In May 2023, Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO) successfully conducted the first integrated test on an intermediate configuration of the 2000kN (Kilonewton) thrust Semi-cryogenic Engine at the ISRO Propulsion Complex (IPRC) in _____.
 - **Mahendragiri, Tamil Nadu**

- When was the National Technology Day 2023 observed across India with the theme of “School to Startups- Igniting Young Minds to Innovate”?
 - **11th May 2023**