

CURRENT AFFAIRS AUGUST 24 2023

- Which organisation/bank's Education Ministers has recently (in August '23) agreed to establish a new autonomous university rating system?

- **BRICS**

- In August 2023, the Central Board for Direct Tax (CBDT) notified the Income Tax Amendment (Sixteenth Amendment), Rules, 2023, prescribing the 11UACA rule for calculating income from maturity of life insurance policies issued after April 1, 2023, with the amount of premiums exceeding Rs _____.

- **5 lakh**

- In August 2023, _____ became the first private life insurance company in India to provide 24X7 inbound contact centre.

- **SBI Life Insurance**

- Name the personality who has been recently (in August '23) honoured with the 'Udyog Ratna Award' in the 1st Maharashtra Industry Awards 2023.

- **Ratan Tata**

- Who has been recently (in August '23) appointed as the brand ambassador of Bharat Petroleum Corporation Ltd (BPCL)?

- **Rahul Dravid**

- In August 2023, César Bernardo Arévalo de León won the presidential election of _____ (country).

- **Guatemala**

- Who has been recently (in August '23) appointed as the Part-time Chairman of the Unique Identification Authority of India (UIDAI)?

- **Neelkanth Mishra**

- Name the country that has recently (in August '23) launched a new Earth observation satellite, 'Gaofen-12 04' by a Long March-4C carrier rocket.

- **China**

- In August 2023, a renowned American actor, _____, who won Emmy Awards for Outstanding Guest Actor in 2018 and 2020 for the "This Is Us" drama series, passed away?

- **Ron Cephas Jones**

- When was World Senior Citizens Day 2023 observed across the globe?

- **21st August 2023**

- When was the United Nations (UN) International Day Commemorating the Victims of Acts of Violence Based on Religion or Belief 2023 observed across the globe?

- **22nd August 2023**

➤ What was the theme of World Water Week 2023 that was observed across the globe on 20th to 24th August 2023?

- **Seeds of Change: Innovative Solutions for a Water-Wise World**

