

CURRENT AFFAIRS September 9 2023

- In which city, India's first 500 Kilo-volt-amperes (kVA) Underground Power Transformer Station was inaugurated in September 2023?
 - **Bengaluru, Karnataka**

- In September 2023, the Government of India unveiled "G20 India", a mobile app which will offer a comprehensive, interactive guide to event-related information. Which ministry has created the G20 India app?
 - **Ministry of External Affairs**

- Which country's Navy, along with Indian Navy (IN) has recently (in Sept '23) conducted a Passage Exercise (PASSEX)?
 - **Sri Lanka**

- According to Asian Development Bank (ADB)'s 2023 Trade Finance Gaps, Growth and Jobs Survey released in September 2023, the global trade finance gap rose to _____ in 2022.
 - **USD 2.5 trillion**

- Name the company that has recently (in Sept '23) partnered with the KredX (Minions Ventures Private Limited) to make Business-to-Business (B2B) digital payments rewarding for both enterprises and vendors.
 - **Mastercard**

- Which company has recently (in Sept '23) launched 'SimplySAVE Merchant Card', a Credit Card for Micro, Small, and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs)?
 - **SBI Cards**

➤ Which space agency, along with Mitsubishi Heavy Industries Limited (MHI) has recently (in Sept '23) launched the H-IIA Launch Vehicle No. 47 (H-IIA F47) carrying X-ray astronomical satellite X-Ray Imaging and Spectroscopy Mission (XRISM) and Lunar lander Smart Lander for Investigating Moon (SLIM)?

- **Japan Aerospace Exploration Agency**

➤ When was the United Nations (UN) International Day of Clean Air for Blue Skies 2023 observed across the globe with the theme of "Together for Clean Air"?

- **7th September 2023**

➤ In September 2023, _____ became the 2nd city in India to Implement the Emission Trading Scheme (ETS) for particulate pollution.

- **Ahmedabad**

➤ Who is the current (as of Sept '23) Chairman and Managing Director (CMD) of REC Limited?

- **Vivek Kumar Dewangan**

➤ Which Non-governmental organization (NGO) has recently (in Sept '23) unveiled a tech solution- Donate Book?

- **Vi Foundation**

➤ Who is the current (as of Sept'23) President of Asian Development Bank (ADB)?

- **Masatsugu Asakawa**

➤ According to data from the National Payments Corporation of India (NPCI) released in September 2023, In India _____ Unified Payments Interface (UPI) transactions were performed for the first time in August 2023.

- **10 billion**