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- As per the data released in December 2023, 1132 projects approved under Pradhan Mantri Kisan Sampada Yojana (PMKSY) in 36 states/UTs with total project cost of Rs 23071.29 crore. PMKSY is the flagship scheme of which Ministry?
 - **Ministry of Food Processing Industries**
- The first leg of the Ocean Sailing expedition from _____ to Kochi, Kerala was flagged off in December 2023.
 - **Goa**
- In December 2023, India conducted the training launch of _____ missile 'Agni-1 from APJ Abdul Kalam Island, off the Odisha coast.
 - **Short Range Ballistic**
- In December 2023, 1,69,300 trainees to get training till 2025 under Pradhan Mantri Dakshata Aur Kushalata Sampanna Hitgrahi (PM-DAKSH) Yojana, _____ (Ministry).
 - **Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment**
- Name the company that has recently (in Dec '23) appointed as the partner incubator for iDEX Initiative by the Ministry of Defence of India.
 - **Amity Innovation Incubator**
- According to the NCRB (National Crime Records Bureau) report, which city emerged as the safest city in India for the 3rd consecutive year among major metropolises.
 - **Kolkata (West Bengal)**
- Sam Manekshaw, India's beloved war general and India's first Field Marshal's biopic, was released in December 2023.
In which year did he receive the Padma Vibhushan Award?
 - **1972**
- India and Kenya signed 5 MoUs (Memorandum of Understandings) providing cooperation in key areas such as ___?

- **sports, culture, education and digital solutions.**

➤ According to the State Bank of India (SBI) data, the electoral bonds worth Rs 1,006.03 crore were sold and encashed in the most recent (29th) tranche of sales, held in November 2023.

Which city secured the highest sales in the tranche sale under the electoral bond scheme?

- **Hyderabad, Telangana**

➤ Who is the current (as of Dec '23) Director of National Crime Records Bureau (NCRB)?

- **Vivek Gogia**

