

## **CURRENT AFFAIRS MARCH 07 2024**

- In March 2024, Union Minister of Defence, Rajnath Singh launched \_\_\_\_\_ Development of Innovative Technologies with iDEX (ADITI) scheme to promote innovations in critical and strategic defence technologies.
  - **Acing**
  
- In March 2024, the Ministry of Defence (MoD) signed a contract with an Indian firm to upgrade the simulators of \_\_\_\_\_ aircraft of the Indian Air Force (IAF).
  - **Sukhoi Su-30 MKI**
  
- According to the report “Status of Leopards in India” released by Union Minister Bhupender Yadav, the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change (MoEF&CC) in March 2024, the leopard population in India has risen by \_\_\_\_\_ from 2018 to 2022.
  - **8%**
  
- In March 2024, Prime Minister (PM) Narendra Modi flagged off the first tanker ‘\_\_\_\_\_’, carrying crude oil from Oil and Natural Gas Corporation (ONGC)’s KG-DWN-98/2 deepwater project.
  - **Swarna Sindhu**
  
- Which company has recently (in March ‘24) has received final authorisation from the Reserve Bank of India (RBI) to operate an Online Payment Aggregator (PA)?
  - **Infibeam Avenues Limited**
  
- Who has recently (in March ‘24) assumed the additional charge as the Chairman and Managing Director (CMD) of NHPC Limited?
  - **Rajendra Prasad Goyal**

- In March 2024, Union Minister of Ports, Shipping and Waterways, Sarbananda Sonowal virtually inaugurated 60T bollard pull tug named “Ocean Grace”, the first ever Made-in-India Approved Standardised Tug Design and Specification (ASTDS) tug at Paradip Port, Odisha.

Which company has developed the Ocean Grace?

- **Cochin Shipyard Limited**

- The \_\_\_\_\_ of National Safety Day (NSD) observed across India on 4th March 2024.

- **53<sup>rd</sup>**

- Who is the current (as of March ‘24) Controller General of Accounts (CGA) to the Government of India?

- **S. S. Dubey**

- Name the Union Minister who has recently (in March ‘24) inaugurated the Electronic Data Interchange (EDI) facility at Land Customs Stations of North-Eastern Regions in New Delhi, Delhi.

- **Nirmala Sitharaman (Union Minister of Finance)**

- In March 2024, Pema Khandu, Chief Minister (CM) of Arunachal Pradesh, inaugurated Keyi Panyor as the \_\_\_\_\_ district of Arunachal Pradesh.

- **26<sup>th</sup>**