

## **CURRENT AFFAIRS MARCH 23 2024**

>	Which country, along with India, has recently (in March '24) conducted their
	first-ever '2+2' Secretary level Political and Military Dialogue in New Delhi, Delhi?
	• Brazil
>	In which state, India's first Liquefied Natural Gas (LNG) powered bus was
	inaugurated on March 2024?
	• Maharashtra
>	In March 2024, the Indian Army (IA) contingent 'Gorkha Rifles' Participated in
	the Edition Joint Military Exercise 'LAMITIYE-2024', between IA and
	Seychelles Defence Forces (SDF) in Seychelles.
	• 10 <sup>th</sup>
>	According to the 12th edition of World Happiness Report (WHR) 2024 released
	in March 2024, India secured rank, whiletops the position for
	the 7th consecutive time.
	• 126th, Finland
>	Which company has recently (in March' 24) signed a MoU with REC Power
	Development and Consultancy Limited (RECPDCL) to develop Utility-Scale
	Renewable Energy Projects across India?
	Bharat Heavy Electricals Limited
>	Who has been selected for the Sangita Kalanidhi award 2024 by The Music
	Academy in March 2024?

• Thodur Madabusi Krishna



>	In March 2024, Vladimir Putin won the Russian Presidential elections for
	term.
	• 5 <sup>th</sup>
	Which company has recently (in March '24) received approval from the
	Competition Commission of India (CCI) to acquire Kesoram Cement Business
	from Kesoram Industries Limited?
	<ul> <li>UltraTech Cement Limited</li> </ul>
>	In March 2024, The Competition Commission of India (CCI) approved the
	Shriram Ownership Trust (SOT) to acquire a stake in Shriram
	Investment Holdings (SIHL) held by APRN Enterprises Private Limited (APRN)
	and another 20% held by Piramal Enterprises Limited (PEL).
	• 9.44%
>	Which defence sector/Government agency has recently (in March' 24) launched
	the "Signals Technology Evaluation and Adaptation Group (STEAG)", a first-of-
	its-kind specialised technology unit to enhance its communication
	infrastructure?
	• Indian Army
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