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## Tenders



**Tenders:** 20 critical minerals blocks to be auctioned in next two weeks



**Tenders:** ADB lends \$400m for creating high quality urban infrastructure



Asian Development Bank



**Tenders:** 1,000 MW Pakal Dul to cost Rs.8,112.12cr on completion in 2025



**Tenders:** Coal Ministry embarks on PSP in de-coaled mines



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**Tenders:** NHAI Accepts First Insurance Surety Bond as Bid Security for NHAI TOT for Monetization



**Tenders:** REC to finance RailTel's infrastructure projects in Telecom, IT and Railway Signalling



**Tenders:** Govt has started work on 30,000 MW additional thermal capacity



**Tenders:** L&T undertakes EPC work on Bhogapuram International



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“Minister R K Singh has highlighted, “The developed countries used fossil fuels for developing their economies but they want to tell us that we should not use coal. It is the developed countries that need to cut down their emissions first.”

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**Tenders:** Huge RE development potential in Karnataka, says FICCI



**Tenders:** HPCL setting up Rs.1,400+cr bio-refinery at Bathinda



**Tenders:** Rs.4,000+cr rail projects discussed by Network Planning Group



**Tenders:** Minister inaugurates-lays foundation stone for Rs.17,500cr projects in Guwahati



**Tenders:** ISA says Global Solar Facility to stimulate investments in projects



## Projects



**Projects:** No compromise on electricity supply to growing economy, says Minister



**Project:** Ministry set 1,404 MT and 1,577 MT coal production targets for 2027 and 2030



**Projects:** WOTR-Sun Pharma to address water-climate change issues in Maharashtra



**Projects:** India set to receive electric air taxi service



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“ India is a key market for CDB Aviation, being one of the fastest growing aviation regions in the world and the second largest Asian market for new aircraft deliveries, with nearly 1,000 jets on order with Boeing and Airbus,” underscored Peter Goodman, CDB Aviation’s Chief Marketing Officer.

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**Project:** SIA signs Tata Communications platform to boost productivity



“Vice President Jagdeep Dhankhar has highlighted the emergence of deep technologies, “Prowess and mastery of these domains will determine the strategic haves and have-nots of the future,” he told delegates at the Chanakya Defence Dialogue 2023, a two-day groundbreaking event steered by the Indian Army in collaboration with the Centre for Land Warfare Studies (CLAWS). It was held 3-4 Nov 2023.”



**Projects:** PM says Rs.50,000+cr agri sector projects are in progress



**Projects:** Dayapar goes into commercial operation, produces wind energy



**Projects:** Indian phases in RE but there is urgent need for battery storage



**Projects:** Ramban Viaduct completed in J&K



**Projects:** Indian civil nuclear plans to feature at fifth edition of WNE



**Projects:** ISA increases viability gap funding for projects to 35%



“Aparna Pavate, Additional Secretary in the State Energy Department, says, “Karnataka is taking pioneering steps to revolutionize the energy landscape by developing hybrid parks which will produce a total of 5,000 MW of green energy.”



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## Markets



**Market:** Dutch group acquires two business of CJ Shah to be part of Indian growth story



**Markets:** India calls on OPEC to ensure market stability



**Market:** Recycled aluminium meeting industry demand, says MRAI



**Market:** Plate prices improves but market is weak, says Wirana report



**Market:** Syntellect reaches Kenya through partnership with KWFT



**Market:** India-Netherlands signed medical product MoU



D K Sen, Advisor to Chairman and Managing Director, L&T and Chairman, LTIEL, shared his perspective on this development, "This is a step to exit the non-core standalone consulting engineering practice and focus energy and attention on our core businesses. It not only benefits L&T but also allows LTIEL and its employees greater avenues of growth."



**Market:** Avaya witnesses accelerated momentum for solutions in India



**Market:** Tata's Tanishq works on global expansion, opens glittering Singapore showroom



**Market:** Ryan says Bengaluru office to expand operations in India



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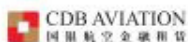
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MeitY Secretary S Krishnan says, "Youth in smaller cities have the hunger to do and achieve more. That's the fire in the belly we need to build on. We would like to also see more women and people from tier 2/3 cities coming as entrepreneurs."

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Addressing the opening session of the National Conference of Power and New & Renewable Energy Ministers of States & UTs, being held in New Delhi 6-7 Nov, Minister R K Singh said that India would not have become the fastest growing large economy of the world if it had not brought about a transformation in power sector.



**Market:** CBD Aviation delivers first A320neo to Air India



**Instarem.**

**Market:** Instarem being re-launch in India



**Market:** Uniphore celebrates 'India AI Innovation Hub' opening in Chennai



**Market:** Lubrizol-IMCD India to supply lubricant and fuel additives to Bangladesh



**Market:** India needs strategy to address challenges faced by gas industry



## Exports



**Exports:** Minister calls for conclusion of AITIGA and CEPA reviews



**Exports :** Walmart to host Growth Summit in New Delhi 14-15 Feb 2024



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**Exports:** 1st banana shipment set pace for \$1bn supply to Europe over 5 years



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**Exports:** Urban Womania go global with Indian ethnic wear



“Generative AI is at the forefront of every company’s agenda, but its seamless integration poses a challenge,” said Nachiket Deshpande, COO and Whole-time Director, LTIMindtree.



**Exports:** India calls on Ethiopia to explore trade settlement in local currencies



**Exports:** APEDA-Lulu Group MoU to market agri products in GCC, Egypt



**Exports:** India face scrap import restrictions from Europe-UAE



“I founded Archer with the vision to help decongest the world’s largest cities. India is one of, if not the largest opportunity for eVTOL aircraft utilization in the world, as it is home to the world’s largest population of over 1.4 billion people and its largest cities face some of the greatest congestion challenges in the world,” commented Archer’s CEO and Founder, Adam Goldstein.



**Exports:** Indian supplies to Australia will be 100% tariff free by 2026



**Exports:** MSMEs has become part of global supply chain, says Defence Minister



**Exports:** BriskPe to reshape the landscape of cross-border payments



Byung Nae Yang, Deputy Minister of Trade, Ministry of Trade, Industry & Energy, has described India as an important economic cooperation partner of Korea, adding that his country boasts excellent capabilities in future industries including EVs, batteries, digital / biotechnology, and clean energy by actively responding to changes in the global market.

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“Today, one of the biggest challenges faced by the industry is a widening industry-academia skills gap, and concerted collaboration efforts are key to bridging the same,” says Ed Almond, Chief Executive and Secretary, The IET (Global).

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“We strongly urge the Government must provide a level playing field for both primary and secondary sector as we believe both are vital contributors to the national economy, for example, if customs duties are applicable on import of scrap, then commensurate export duties on the basis of total cost to country on primary products should also be levied,”  
MRAI President Sanjay Mehta said on 9 Nov 2023.

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### Investment



**Investment:** New Air India ramps up capacity



**Investment:** Global sentiment remains strong towards Indian real estate



**Investment:** Opportunities for Korean companies in India's semiconductor sector



**Investment:** French unit STUP acquires LTIEL



**Investment:** World Food India 2023 signs Rs.33,129cr MoUs



“India's Civil Aviation is among the fastest-growing aviation markets globally and will be a major growth engine to make India a US\$5 trillion economy by 2024,” said Patel as he shared market perspective from SITA's regional office in Singapore.



**Investment:** SBI authorised to encash Electoral Bonds



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**Investment:** Capital market has shown resilience in testing times, says Dr Karad



**Investment:** Minister says developed countries have only given lip sympathy



**Investment:** Banks advised to find solution for credit availability for coal mines



**Investments:** Credgenics works out growth agenda in BFSI sector



Shekhar Sanyal, Country Head and Director – IET India, says, "With a skilled talent pool and constant innovation, India is well-positioned to redefine global technology standards. I envision a future where India creates products for the whole world, designed to solve some of the biggest challenges that various industries have faced for decades."

## Manufacturing



**Manufacturing:** Accelerated momentum of growth in Q2 to continue for the subsequent Qs



**Manufacturing:** Ministers discuss cooperation by India-US defence industries



**Manufacturing:** Steel vital in infrastructure developments



**Manufacturing:** Saab to make Carl-Gustaf M4 from Haryana facility



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“Andrea Albright, Executive Vice President, Sourcing, Walmart, said on 9 Nov, “Walmart has long invested in India, and sees tremendous opportunity in continuing to expand exports with our existing suppliers while developing relationships with new ones. The Growth Summit will help us do just that.”

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**Manufacturing:** Chemical industry growth estimated at \$300bn by 2025



**Manufacturing:** LTTs-AWS help global automakers use generative AI-SDVs



## Technology



**Technology:** Dvara E-Registry wins Smart Climate Farmers Challenge



**Technology:** India seen as key global talent hub



**Technology:** Fund simplifies overall investment process via UPI



**Technology:** AI has come to stay, says Minister Goyal



**Technology:** LTIMindtree releases study on Gen AI adoption



**Technology:** LTTs-Google Cloud work on an innovative collaboration DevX



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Acquiring these businesses strategically enhances our capabilities and product lines, positioning us as the market leader in coatings and construction,” said Narendra Varde, Managing Director, IMCD India & Bangladesh.

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Sreekanth Nadella, MD & CEO of Kfintech, said, “Partnering with our clients and creating paradigm shifting industry first solutions is core to what we do at Kfintech. Mirae Asset Mutual Fund and Kfintech has orchestrated the country’s first ‘Mandate + SIP registration’ solution which we believe will significantly drive ease of doing business for both investors and distributors alike. Additional solutions to improve the mutual funds processes, especially SIP oriented are on the anvil.”

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Coal and Mines Minister Pralhad Joshi in his virtual message said, “Minerals are integral part of our daily life and mineral serve as raw material for many industries but are also crucial and vital to energy transition to a low carbon-emission economy, and renewable energy technologies that will be required to meet the ‘Net Zero’ commitment as declared by Prime Minister Narendra Modi


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**Technology:** LEAP AHEAD will be game-changer for scaling Startups 




**Technology:** Abu Dhabi to host Super Angels Summit mid-Dec 




**Technology:** Vice President highlights emergence AI, robotics, quantum 



**Technology:** AI solves real-world problems and improves lives, says Minister 



**Technology:** Biotechnology has potential to become instrument of global trade 

“OPEC Secretary-General Haitham Al Ghais notes, “The excellent state of the OPEC-India Dialogue also extends to the development of positive relationships between OPEC, its Member Countries and major Indian oil companies. OPEC’s relationship with India has continued to go from strength to strength.”

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