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VOCABULARY

- 1. Imperative:** Of vital importance; crucial.
 - Synonyms: Essential, necessary, urgent
 - Antonyms: Optional, trivial, unnecessary
 - Sentence: It is imperative to address climate change to protect future generations.

- 2. Haste:** Excessive speed or urgency of movement or action; hurry.
 - Synonyms: Rush, hurry, urgency
 - Antonyms: Leisure, slowness, delay
 - Sentence: In their haste to finish the project, they overlooked some important details.

- 3. Rescinded:** Revoke, cancel, or repeal (a law, order, or agreement).
 - Synonyms: Repealed, revoked, annulled
 - Antonyms: Enforced, ratified, confirmed
 - Sentence: The government rescinded the controversial law after widespread protests.

- 4. Contentious:** Causing or likely to cause an argument; controversial.
 - Synonyms: Disputable, debatable, controversial
 - Antonyms: Agreeable, uncontroversial, peaceful
 - Sentence: The proposal for the new law has become a contentious issue among the lawmakers.

- 5. Prerequisite:** A thing that is required as a prior condition for something else to happen or exist.
- Synonyms: Requirement, precondition, necessity
 - Antonyms: Option, nonessential, luxury
 - Sentence: A basic understanding of mathematics is a prerequisite for the course.
- 6. Imperils:** Puts at risk of being harmed, injured, or destroyed.
- Synonyms: Endangers, jeopardizes, threatens
 - Antonyms: Protects, safeguards, secures
 - Sentence: The oil spill imperils the marine life in the affected area.
- 7. Transparency:** The quality of being open and honest; not secretive.
- Synonyms: Openness, clarity, candor
 - Antonyms: Opacity, secrecy, ambiguity
 - Sentence: The company's commitment to transparency has gained it public trust.
- 8. Vastly:** To a very great extent; immensely.
- Synonyms: Greatly, immensely, significantly
 - Antonyms: Slightly, marginally, barely
 - Sentence: The new policy has vastly improved the working conditions for the staff.

9. Upheaval: A violent or sudden change or disruption to something.

- Synonyms: Disruption, turmoil, disturbance
- Antonyms: Stability, calm, tranquility
- Sentence: The political upheaval in the country led to widespread protests and strikes.

IDIOMS AND PHRASES

- 10.** Hit the hay : Go to bed
- 11.** Bite the bullet : Decide to do something difficult
- 12.** Cry over spilled milk : To feel sorry or sad about something
- 13.** Jump on the bandwagon : To join in a popular activity
- 14.** Feel under the weather : Feeling ill or unwell

CURRENT AFFAIRS

25th June, 2024

1. The Indian aviation market has grown to become the third biggest in the world. It has moved up from fifth place a decade ago to this important accomplishment.
 - The success made under the leadership of Prime Minister Narendra Modi shows an excellent average yearly growth rate in airline seat capacity of 6.9%, which is the highest rate in the world.
 - India had about 15 million seats, while Japan and Brazil came in next with 12 million and 10 million seats, respectively. These numbers show not only how big domestic flight is, but also how strong each market is and how it plans to grow.
2. Indian botanists and researchers have discovered two new species of plants from two bio-geographic hotspots of the country the Andaman and Nicobar islands and Arunachal Pradesh.
 - While a team led by scientist Lal Ji Singh, discovered aerial stem parasitic flowering plant species *Dendrophthoe longensis* from the Long Islands of middle Andamans the other discovery by a team led by scientist Krishna Chowlu, is a new herbaceous plant species from Arunachal Pradesh

- 3.** India and Sri Lanka on Thursday launched a Maritime Rescue Coordination Centre (MRCC), reflecting the deepening maritime security cooperation between the two sides, as external affairs minister S Jaishankar met the top leadership in Colombo to bolster ties in a range of areas.
- The Posaon poya day marks the arrival of Buddhism to Sri Lanka when Arahata Mahinda, the son of Emperor Ashoka, gave the first sermon to a Sri Lankan king. The festival will be celebrated on Friday and accordingly, the period from June 18 to 24 has been named as Posaon Week.
- 4.** The Union Ministry of Education has set up a seven member committee headed by the former chairman of the Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO), K. Radhakrishnan, to review and suggest reform in the examination process. The government has taken this step after the controversy over a paper leak at the undergraduate National Eligibility cum Entrance Test (NEET) exam 2024 and the postponement of NET-UGC exams.
- Lt Gen Dwivedi, currently serving as the Vice Chief, will be the next Chief of the Army Staff when incumbent Gen Manoj Pande retires on June 30.

- 5.** The 18th Mumbai International Film Festival (MIFF) 2024 came to an end on 21 June 2024 with the conferring of the awards to the various winners in different categories. Nistha Jain's 'Golden Thread' film won the prestigious Golden Conch award for the best documentary at the 18th MIFF 2024.
- Earlier noted wildlife filmmaker Subbiah Nallamuthu was conferred with the 18th V. Shantaram Lifetime Achievement Award at the inauguration of the 18th MIFF 2024.
 - The 18th biennial MIFF 2024 was organised by the Union Ministry of Information and Broadcasting and executed by the National Film Development Corporation at Mumbai from 15 to 21 June 2024.
- 6.** The state government also announced that from coming year, June 23 will be celebrated as the 'City of Literature' Day of Kozhikode.
- Kozhikode in north Kerala, known for its rich cultural heritage, was on Sunday officially declared as India's first UNESCO 'City of Literature'.
- 7.** Olympic wrestler Bajrang Punia has been suspended by NADA for refusing to provide a urine sample during selection trials. Despite a previous suspension being revoked, NADA issued a new suspension.

- 8.** Srinagar, the largest city of the Union Territory of Jammu and Kashmir, has recently been designated as a 'World Craft City' by the World Crafts Council. The Office of the Lieutenant Governor of Jammu and Kashmir, Manoj Sinha, shared this honor on social media.
- 9.** The Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO) successfully conducted the third and final landing experiment of its Reusable Launch Vehicle 'Pushpak' on June 23, 2024 at the Aeronautical Test Range in Chitradurga, Karnataka.
- The experiment, named RLV LEX-03, demonstrated autonomous landing capability.
- 10.** The 48th edition of the Copa America football tournament will kick off in the United States on 21 June 2024. This is the second time in the 108-year history of the Copa America Cup that the event is being held outside South America. In 2016, the United States hosted the Copa America Cup.