

GK FACTSHEET

August 1-15, 2017

QUESTION	ANSWER
Which state/UT has topped the list in complaints for illegal sex selection clinics under Pre-Conception and Pre-Natal Diagnostic Techniques (PC & PNDT) (Prohibition of Sex Selection) Act, 1994 and Rules?	Maharashtra
For non-compliance on Know Your Customer (KYC) norms, RBI has imposed a monetary penalty of Rs. 10 million on which bank?	Union Bank of India
Name the lyricist of Swachh Survekshan-2018's rousing anthem 'Swachhata Ki Jyot Jagi Hai' released by Ministry of Housing & Urban Affairs.	Prasoon Joshi
Rajya Sabha Elections in which state will see None Of The Above (NOTA) option available for the first time in the country?	Gujarat
Which of the following e-commerce companies has been merged with E-commerce major Flipkart?	eBay
What is the theme of World breastfeeding week 2017?	Sustaining Breastfeeding Together
Who has been appointed as the Prime Minister of Papua New Guinea?	Peter O'Neill
The central government has decided to observe 70th Independence Day on August 15 2017 as	Sankalp Parva
As part of its forthcoming Country Partnership Strategy for the period 2018-22, which of the following has proposed an overall annual lending of US\$ 3 billion to US\$ 4 billion for their Indian Operations	Asian Development Bank
Where did the eighth meeting of the Regional Technical Group of Confidence Building Measure on Trade, Commerce & Investment Opportunities under the Heart of Asia – Istanbul Process held?	New Delhi
For the first time, scientists from which country have developed a plant-based Zika vaccine to immunise people to the real strain of Zika?	USA

On 10th August 2017, the centre made National Cyber _____ Centre operational to scan the country's web traffic to detect cyber security threats.	Coordination
Which ministry has launched the video of the National Anthem in sign language which stars bollywood actor Amitabh Bachchan along with physically challenged children	Human Resource Development Ministry
Dr Ruth Pfau popularly known as Pakistan's 'Mother Teresa' for dedicating her life to eradicate leprosy in the country has passed away recently. She was from which country?	Germany



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