Weekly Current Affairs One Liner : 1st – 7th August 2017

1. What is the India's rank in the 2017 Digital Evolution Index (DEI) - **53rd**
2. Which state government has launched "Apni Gaddi Apna Rojgar" scheme for jobless youth – **Punjab**
3. Who has won the 2017 Formula One Hungarian Grand Prix tournament - **Sebastian Vettel**
4. Which IIT institute has invented a low-cost dirt detector that alerts authorities when a place needs cleaning - **IIT Kharagpur**
5. Sam Shepard, the Pulitzer-winning playwright passed away. He hailed from which country - **United States**
6. Hussain Sayeeduddin Dagar, the noted Dhrupad Maestro passed away. He hailed from which state – **Rajasthan**
7. Which city to host the 2024 Summer Olympics – **Paris**
8. Who is the newly elected Prime Minister of Pakistan - **Shahid Khaqan Abbasi**
9. Jeanne Moreau, the legendary film actress passed away. She hailed from which country – **France**
10. The Gangotri National Park (GNP) is located in which state – **Uttrakhand**
11. India has recently signed how much amount of loan pact with AIIB for Gujarat road project - **$329 million**

12. India's first private sector missile sub-systems manufacturing facility has set up in which city – **Hyderabad**
13. Who has will be the new Vice-Chairman of NITI Aayog - **Rajiv Kumar**
14. Which country to host the 15th meeting of the Foreign Ministers of BIMSTEC countries – **Nepal**
15. Which committee has recently submitted report on institutionalization of arbitration mechanism in India - **BN Srikrishna committee**
16. Who has been appointed as the new Ambassador of India to the Republic of Kazakhstan - **Prabhat Kumar**
17. Microsoft has tied up with which Indian state to use its AI-based MINE platform to screen children for eye problems - **Telangana**
18. Robert Hard, the noted actor has passed away. He hailed from which country –England
19. The Chimmini Wildlife Sanctuary (CWS) is located in which state – **Kerala**
20. Ankur Mittal is associated with which sports – **Shooting**
21. Which committee has been constituted by Union Government to identify key data protection issues - **B N Srikrishna committee**
22. The Union government has launched "e-RaKAM" portal to provide a platform to sell agricultural produce. What does 'RaKAM' stands for - **Rashtriya Kisan Agri Mandi**
23. Santosh Mohan Dev, the veteran political leader passed away. He hailed from which state – **Assam**
24. What is the current repo rate, as per recently released RBI's 3rd bi-monthly monetary policy statement for FY 2017-18 - **6.0%**
25. Which country hosted the 19th RCEP Trade Negotiating Committee (TNC) meeting – **India**
26. The world's longest pedestrian suspension bridge has opened in which country – **Switzerland**
27. Pushpa Bhargava, the renowned scientist passed away. He was related to which field – **Biology**
28. Which Indian shuttler has won the men's singles Lagos International 2017 - **Rahul Yadav Chittaboina**
29. Veer Dev Gulia, who has won bronze at the Junior World Wrestling Championships, is related to which freestyle category - **74kg category**
30. The Sahyadri Tiger Reserve (STR) is located in which state – **Maharashtra**
31. Which committee has been constituted by the SEBI on fair market conduct - **T.K. Viswanathan committee**

32. Who has been appointed as the new chairman of the Bombay Stock Exchange (BSE) - **Dhirendra Swarup**
33. Who is the newly elected Prime Minister of Papua New Guinea - **Peter O'Neill**
34. The 2nd Agri UDAAN, food & agribusiness accelerator program has launched from which city - **New Delhi**
35. Manju Kumari, who has won bronze in the Junior World Wrestling Championship, is related to which category - **59kg category**
36. The Maharashtra government has constituted committee on safety measures for women in IT sector - **Rashmi Shukla committee**
37. Which state government has launched Aadhaar-authenticated Direct Benefit Transfer portal "MahaDBT" – **Maharashtra**
38. Who has been appointed as the new CMD of Small Industries Development Bank of India (SIDBI) - **Mohammad Mustafa**
39. Which city hosted the 2017 meeting of BRICS Trade Ministers – **Shanghai**
40. The Pin Valley National Park (PVNP) is located in which state - **Himachal Pradesh**
41. The 2017 Aadi Perukku festival is celebrated in which Indian state - **Tamil Nadu**
42. Who has been named as the new secretary general of the Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industry (FICCI) - **Sanjaya Baru**
43. Indian Army has developed which mobile app for soldiers to track promotions and postings - **Humraaz app**
44. Who has been sworn-in as the new President of Iran - **Hassan Rouhani**
45. Which Indian sportsperson has been honored with the East Bengal football club's highest honour "Bharat Gaurav" - **Dhanraj Pillay**
46. What is the theme of 2017 World Breastfeeding Week (WBW) - **Sustaining Breastfeeding Together**
47. Which Indian has become the Asia's second richest man, according to latest Bloomberg Billionaires Index (BBI) - **Mukesh Ambani**
48. BB Shivappa, the noted Indian political leader passed away. He hailed from which state – **Karnataka**
49. Which international organisation has recently released 2017 ICT Facts and Figures report - **International Telecommunication Union (ITU)**
50. The Pushpagiri Wildlife Sanctuary (PWS) is located in which state – **Karnataka**
51. Which state government has decided to compulsory retirement for non performing head masters, teachers and education department officials above the age of 50 years – **Bihar**

52. To promote innovation and entrepreneurship in agriculture the government conducted 2nd AGRI-UDAAN programme in - **New Delhi**
53. In which state Agriculture Ministry signed a memorandum of association (MoA) for setting up a regional centre of the global rice research institute IRRI - **Uttar Pradesh**
54. Which of the country issued a ban prohibiting its citizens travelling to North Korea, a move triggered by the death of a US student imprisoned by Pyongyang during a tourist visit – **USA**
55. Which bank plans to raise Rs. 2,000 crore by allotting Basel-III compliant bonds to various investors - **State Bank of India**
56. Which former Captain of Indian Cricket Team is appointed as a brand ambassador of Fintech startup InCred - **Rahul Dravid**
57. Who won the bronze medal with a victory over Ilona Prokopevniuk of Ukraine in the Junior World Wrestling Championship in Tampere, Finland - **Manju Kumari**
58. Which female cricket player is appointed as the DSP of Punjab government - **Harmanpreet Kaur**
59. A bill to enable exit of RBI from NABARD and increase authorised capital of the development institution six times to how much crore was introduced in the Lok Sabha - **30,000**
60. Which city's Sergio Tapiro Velasco received 2017 Travel Photographer Of The Year award – **Mexico**
61. Which country launched its first satellite for environmental research from the European spaceport in Kourou, French Guiana – **Israel**
62. Which of the following firm has appointed Devendra Chawla as Executive Vice President and Chief Operating Officer – **Walmart**
63. Who has taken over as Air Officer-in-Charge Administration of Indian Air Force at Air Headquarters (VB), New Delhi - **Hemant Narayan Bhagwat**
64. The first meeting of the Japan-India Coordination Forum (JICF) for Development of North-Eastern Region was held in - **New Delhi**
65. From which month onwards government made Aadhaar numbers a pre-requisite for issuing death certificates to residents of all States barring Jammu & Kashmir, Meghalaya and Assam, in order to establish the identity of the deceased - **October 1st**
66. Which city become the first airport in the country to have a helicopter-taxi (heli-taxi) service for those who cannot afford to spend time battling traffic to travel across the city – **Bengaluru**

67. India has signed a loan agreement with Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank (AIIB) for financing of how much million US dollar for Gujarat Rural Roads Project – **329**
68. Who has been named the world's most highly-paid author with earnings of $95m this year - **JK Rowling**
69. Which country has recently appointed Paul Kagame as its president – **Rwanda**
70. Who has been appointed as the chairman of a special committee that will be dealing with players transfer disputes - **Ushanath Banerjee**
71. Who has been appointed as the next Ambassador of India to the Republic of Kazakhstan - **Prabhat Kumar**
72. Who settled for a bronze medal after in the semifinals of the WSF World doubles squash championship in Manchester - **Joshna Chinappa and Dipika Pallikal Karthik**
73. Who has been selected for this year's Prem Nazir Award – **Sharada**
74. Which state government has recently received principle approval for setting up a greenfield international airport at Bhogapuram and two low-cost domestic airports at Dagadarti and Orvakallu - **Andhra Pradesh**
75. Which firm has signed an agreement with Telangana for use artificial intelligence to provide eye care screening for children in the State – **Microsoft**
76. The Lok Sabha passed a Bill for establishing the Indian Institute of Petroleum and Energy (IIPE) in which state, that will impart high quality education and conduct advance research in all aspects relating to the conventional hydrocarbons - **Andhra Pradesh**
77. Which bank after SBI, cuts interest rate on savings bank balance of up to Rs 50 lakh has been reduced to 3.5 per cent from the current annual 4 per cent - **Bank of Baroda**
78. Mr. Venkaiah Naidu, former Union Minister was elected as the Vice President, after he defeated the Opposition nominee Gopalkrishna Gandhi.- **13th**
79. Who has been appointed as the new Vice Chairman of NITI Aayog, after Mr. Panagariya had recently resigned from his post - **Rajiv Kumar**
80. Usain Bolt has been stunned as he finished third in the 100 meters final of World Athletics Championship held at – **London**
81. Name the Indian professional boxer outslugged his Chinese opponent Zulpikar Maimaitiali to retain the WBO Asia Pacific Super Middleweight title. - **Vijender Singh**
82. Who clinched the individual as well as the team gold medal in men's double trap at the 7th Asian Shotgun Championship - **Ankur Mittal**
83. Who has won his 10th successive global title claiming the 10,000 metres world crown at the London Stadium - **Mo Farah**

84. Which of the following Organisation has signed an MoU with CSIR-National Physical Laboratory (NPL) for time and frequency traceability services – **ISRO**
85. The Minister for Road Transport & Highways and Shipping Shri Nitin Gadkari has said that the government is keen on developing Chabahar Port in Iran and is hopeful of starting operations by – **2018**
86. Who has been appointed as Canada's Consul General in San Francisco as well as a member of the Canadian official team tasked with renegotiating the North American Free Trade Agreement, NAFTA with the US and Mexico - **Rana Sarkar**

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