

Yearly Review of Defence and Security 2021- Check the Important News and Download PDF

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In the year 2021 many developments and changes were done in the Defence and Security sector. After 32 years of illustrious service, the INS Khukri was decommissioned at Visakhapatnam on December 23, 2021. Rear Admiral Sanjay Bhalla succeeded Rear-Admiral Tarun Sobti as Commander of the Eastern Fleet, the Sword Arm of the Eastern Naval Command. Armed Forces Flag Day is celebrated on December 7 every year in India.

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Indian Army establishes Quantum Laboratory at Mhow in Madhya Pradesh

- The Indian army, along with the National Security Council Secretariat (NSCS), established a Quantum Lab to spearhead research and training at the Military College of Telecommunication and Engineering (MCTE) in Madhya Pradesh's Mhow.
- Indian Army has also established an Artificial Intelligence (AI) Centre at the same institution.
- Based in Mhow, MCTE provides an array of academic courses.

Defence Minister Rajnath Singh unveils world's highest motorable road

• Defence Minister Rajnath Singh unveiled 27 roads and bridges projects implemented by the Border Roads Organisation (BRO).

- The 24 roads inaugurated virtually include one built at an altitude of more than 19,000 feet on the Umling-La pass in southern Ladakh, which has now become the world's highest motorable road.
- Out of 24 bridges, nine of those bridges are in J&K, five each in Ladakh and HP.

Defence Secretary inaugurates BRO Annual Chief Engineers Conference

- Defence Secretary Dr Ajay Kumar inaugurated the Annual Chief Engineers and Equipment Management Conference of Border Roads Organisation (BRO) in New Delhi on 27 Dec'21.
- He also unveiled a fitness manual 'Fit BRO Fit India' for BRO personnel.
- During the conference, the BRO also carried out holistic review of the current projects and prepare strategies for the upcoming working season in 2022.

Rajnath Singh launches GIS-Based automatic water supply system

- The geographic information system (GIS)-based 'Automatic Water Supply System' for residents of Cantonment Boards was launched by Defence Minister Rajnath Singh in Dec 2021.
- The module has been developed by the Bhaskaracharya Institute for Space Applications and Geoinformatics (BISAG).
- It is the first of its kind system in the country and facilitates sanctions for water connection online.

Army Chief Naravane takes charge as head of Chiefs of Staff Committee

- Army Chief Gen M M Naravane has assumed the charge as the Chairman of the Chiefs of Staff Committee that comprises the three service chiefs.
- Before the creation of the post of the Chief of Defence Staff. the senior-most among the three service chiefs used to be the Chairman of the Chiefs of Staff Committee.
- The post fell vacant following the death of Chief of Defence Staff Gen Bipin Rawat.

Madras Sappers celebrated 241st Corps Day: 18 November 2021

- The Madras Sappers celebrated its 241st Corps Day on 18 November 2021.
- The Indian Army's Corps of Engineers officially recognizes its birth in 1780 when the oldest group of the Corps, the Madras Sappers, was raised.
- Subsequently, the Groups of Bengal and Bombay Sappers were formed in their respective presidencies, which were later merged on November 18, 1932, to form the Corps of Engineers.

'Rashtra Raksha Samarpan Parv' being held from 17-19 Nov in Jhansi

- Rashtra Raksha Samarpan Parv is being organized from November 17-19, 2021 in Jhansi, Uttar Pradesh.
- The Ministry of Defence (MoD) will formally dedicate a number of schemes to the nation during the celebration.
- The initiatives which will be launched and dedicated to the nation include NCC Alumni Association, NCC Border and Coastal Scheme, the mobile app of the National War Memorial, etc.

7th edition of Indian Ocean Naval Symposium Conclave: 15-16 November

- The 7th edition of the Indian Ocean Naval Symposium (IONS) Conclave of Chiefs was hosted by French Navy in Paris from 15 16 Nov 21.
- Vice Admiral R Hari Kumar, Flag Officer Commanding-in-Chief, Western Naval Command, lead a two-member Indian Naval delegation for this Conclave.
- IONS was conceived by the Indian Navy in 2008.
- The IONS Chair is presently held with France.

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