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Prime Minister Narendra Modi today shared an article on how policy push and innovation are shaping India's journey to becoming a global steel leader. Responding to a post by Heavy Industries and Steel Minister H.D. Kumaraswamy on social media, the Prime Minister said, from infrastructure and defence to electric mobility and clean energy, steel is the backbone of a rising India. In his article, the Union Minister said that the revitalised steel sector is shaping the rise of a New India. He said that from highways to high-speed rail, metro networks to renewable parks, EVs to defence, Indian steel is at the heart of our infrastructure revolution.

Today is International Day of Parliamentarism, also known as World Parliament Day. It is celebrated every year on 30 June. It was established in 2018 through a United Nations General Assembly Resolution and is led by the Inter-Parliamentary Union. Union Minister of Parliamentary Affairs and Minister of Minority Affairs, Kiren Rijiju in a social media post said that International Day of Parliamentarism is a reminder, that every question raised, every answer given and every law passed carries the weight of people's hopes.

The 7th Body of the Arunachal Pradesh State Commission for Women (APSCW) officially took charge of office today. The newly constituted team is headed by Ms. Yalem Taga Burang as the Chairperson, with Ms. Tsering Dolma as the Vice Chairperson. The members include Ms. Aben Mize, Ms. Kipa Kaya Rughu, Ms. Techhi Nikhi Yab, and Ms. Kotu Bui. The new body is constituted with individuals from diverse fields of experience including social work, law, education, and women empowerment.

State's Minister for Home and PHE & Water Supply, Mama Natung chaired a preparatory meeting with Zonal Chief Engineers and the Commissioner of PHE ahead of the upcoming coordination meeting at Lumdung in East Kameng District today. The meeting, also attended by the Finance Commissioner and Secretary Planning, focused on key departmental challenges and outlined actionable strategies to improve service delivery and public welfare.

Chief Secretary Manish Kumar Gupta chaired the 10th State Broadband Committee meeting in Itanagar on Saturday. The meeting reviewed the progress on key digital connectivity initiatives and review the Action Taken Reports from the 9th meeting. It focused on USO-funded 4G saturation projects being executed by BSNL and Bharti Hexacom Ltd (Airtel), with emphasis on network deployment and operational readiness. The status of BharatNet's FTTH connectivity to government institutions such as schools, Anganwadis, police stations, health centres, and Panchayat offices was also reviewed. The Chief Secretary issued clear directives to all stakeholders to ensure timely cooperation and accelerate efforts to strengthen broadband access, particularly in rural and institutional areas.

The government has launched the 'GoIStats' mobile application, which will help stakeholders seamlessly access official data on the go. The initiative by the National Sample Survey Office, marks a significant milestone in India's commitment to making official statistics accessible and user-centric for all citizens. The GoIStats mobile application features an interactive "Key Trends" dashboard showcasing important socio-economic indicators with dynamic visualisations of critical metrics, including GDP, inflation, and employment data.

Arunachal State Rural Livelihood Mission organized a one-day Udyami Panjikaran Mela at Yingkiong in Upper Siang District today. The Mela aimed at registering Self Help Group entrepreneurs while facilitating essential support such as pop-up stalls, product registration, marketing guidance, and on-the-spot FSSAI registration. A total of 47 SHGs participated in the event. Speaking on the occasion, Deputy Commissioner Talo Jerang said that innumerable women have benefited from the National Rural Livelihoods Mission. He encouraged the women to strive to become "Lakhpatti Didis", explaining how the government provides financial support to help women establish entrepreneurial ventures.

The Youth Mission for Clean River NGO conducted an IEC campaign on source waste segregation, covering 150 households in Itanagar today. The initiative was supported by the Itanagar Smart City Development Corporation and Abralow Memorial Multipurpose

Society. Students from Binni Yanga Women's College and Government College Doimukh also participated in the campaign and educated residents on segregating dry, wet, and hazardous waste, promoting composting and recycling. They also sensitized people against river dumping and environmental impacts of improper waste disposal.

**That's all in this news bulletin, Namaskar**