

### **N1. Govt may step in to limit tech dominance over online data**

Livemint – July 14 , 2020

... Neeta Verma, director general, National Informatics Centre, and Ponnurangam Kumaraguru, Indraprastha Institute of Information Technology Delhi member.

News Source: <https://www.livemint.com/politics/policy/govt-may-step-in-to-limit-tech-dominance-over-online-data-11594686768083.html>

### **N2. DRDO Develops Software Tool To Monitor Covid Patients In Quarantine**

Odisha Television Ltd.-July 14 , 2020

*The SAMPARC solution can be deployed as a national service by the National Informatics Centre (NIC), or can be distributed as a state-wise or region-wise ...*

News Source: <https://odishatv.in/coronavirus/drdo-develops-software-tool-to-monitor-covid-patients-in-quarantine-461986>

### **N3. CBSE results: Girls outshine boys in most Gurgaon schools**

Times of India – July 14 , 2020

*The board has decided to put up its results on the Internet with the support of the National Informatics Centre and also provide the results through IVRS ...*

News Source: <https://timesofindia.indiatimes.com/city/gurgaon/cbse-results-girls-outshine-boys-in-most-gurgaon-schools/articleshow/76949167.cms>

### **N4. Glitch in server, Digilocker app causes delay**

Times of India – July 14 , 2020

*CBSE later issued a statement saying there were technical issues at the end of National Informatics*

News Source: <https://timesofindia.indiatimes.com/city/delhi/glitch-in-server-digilocker-app-causes-delay/articleshow/76948865.cms>

### **N5. BJP leader appears before Babri mosque trial court**

Millennium Post – July 13 , 2020

The special court had last week reiterated that a reminder should be sent to the National Informatics Centre (NIC) for making arrangements to record his ...

News Source: <http://www.millenniumpost.in/nation/bjp-leader-appears-before-babri-mosque-trial-court-412660>

## **N6. IT ministry panel for sharing non-personal data, wants dedicated authority**

The Indian Express – July 13 , 2020

*The committee members include NASSCOM President Debjani Ghosh, National Informatics Director General Neeta Verma, Joint Secretary of Department for ...*

News Source: <https://indianexpress.com/article/technology/tech-news-technology/it-ministry-data-sharing-6503927/>

## **N7. Digital India: Telangana government goes live with e-Office system**

<https://government.economictimes.indiatimes.com> – July 14 , 2020

A two-member team comprising a nodal officer and a technical assistant has already been appointed for each department at the State Secretariat. A master database of signatures of officers and list of employees has also been prepared for necessary integration and activation.

News Source: <https://government.economictimes.indiatimes.com/news/digital-india/digital-india-telangana-government-goes-live-with-e-office-system/76952496>

## **M1. In Haryana soon, dial '112' for emergencies**

Times of India – July 14 , 2020

*“The centre for development of advanced computing (CDAC), an entity of the Union ministry of electronics and information technology, has been assigned the ...*

News Source: <https://timesofindia.indiatimes.com/city/chandigarh/in-haryana-soon-dial-112-for-emergencies/articleshowprint/76948928.cms>

## **M2. Libero videoconferencing app - India's alternative to foreign apps being developed by 25-year-old Vamsi Kurama**

Zee News – July 14 , 2020

News Source: <https://zeenews.india.com/india/libero-videoconferencing-app-indias-alternative-to-foreign-apps-being-developed-by-25-year-old-vamsi-kurama-2295564.html>

## **M3. Sundar Pichai announces \$10bn fund - india news**

Hindustan Times – July 13 , 2020

*Ravi Shankar Prasad, Union minister for electronics and information technology, said the digital transformation of India has especially focused on “digital ...*

News Source: <https://www.hindustantimes.com/india-news/sundar-pichai-announces-10bn-fund/story-gp4VKreTJKCxtsGlfV5BLO.html>

#### **M4. PM Modi, Google's Pichai discuss how tech can transform lives**

The Tribune – July 14 , 2020

... and its subsidiary Google LLC. Pichai and IT Minister Ravi Shankar Prasad would be addressing the sixth annual edition of “Google for India” later in the day.

News Source: <https://www.tribuneindia.com/news/sciencetechnology/pm-modi-googles-pichai-discuss-how-tech-can-transform-lives-112380>

#### **M5. China questions app ban by India govt says can not allow data compromise-1-1209863.html**

AAJ Tak – July 13 , 2020

China has questioned the decision of the Indian government to ban several apps, saying it cannot allow data compromise. The move is seen as a step towards digital sovereignty, but it has raised concerns about the impact on the global tech ecosystem.

News Source: <https://aahtak.intoday.in/story/china-questions-app-ban-by-india-govt-says-can-not-allow-data-compromise-1-1209863.html>

#### **M6. India Boosting IT & Electronics Sector : Saurabh Gaur**

Elets – July 13 , 2020

Highlighting the facts, Saurabh Gaur, IAS, Joint Secretary, Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology (MeitY), interacted in an exclusive interview with ...

News Source: <https://egov.eletsonline.com/2020/07/india-boosting-it-electronics-sector-saurabh-gaur/>

#### **O1. Vodafone Idea drags TRAI to telecom tribunal on order to block RedX plan that offers faster data speed**

Financial Express – July 14 , 2020

Vodafone Idea drags TRAI to telecom tribunal on order to block RedX plan that ... the Telecom Regulatory Authority of India's directive blocking its RedX plan, ..

News Source: <https://www.financialexpress.com/industry/net-neutrality-vodafone-idea-drags-trai-to-tribunal/2022976/>

#### **O2. Government should publicly share data to improve policy decisions, says Amitabh Kant**

Economic Times – July 14 , 2020

According to Kant, constraints in data availability was affecting the work of Indian researchers leading to discrepancies in projections. “There is a challenge in data availability. Most of the modelling being done by researchers in India uses data from international aggregators or crowdsourced platforms. This leads to a difference in projections.”

News Source: <https://cio.economictimes.indiatimes.com/news/government-policy/government-should-publicly-share-data-to-improve-policy-decisions-says-amitabh-kant/76951349>

### **O3. Data of patients in public domain**

Economic Times – July 14 , 2020

Several relatives of Covid-19 patients have complained that the names, addresses and contact numbers of patients have been made public.

News Source: <https://ciso.economictimes.indiatimes.com/news/data-of-patients-in-public-domain/76951561>