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CS1. Lessons from Germany to help cybercrime cops

Times of India. | Sep 13, 2018

BENGALURU: The police department will accord top priority to cybercrime, home minister and deputy CM G Parameshwara said on Wednesday. He said cops will be trained and provided necessary resources to deal with cyber criminals.

CS2. HC shaken by Aadhaar tests leading to thefts

Economic Times. Sep 13, 2018

A “major loophole” that allowed misuse of Aadhaar authentication system to access LIC policies has been identified by Delhi high court as a cause of grave concern.

CS3. Web browser Brave files privacy complaint against Google in Britain and Ireland

Firstpost. Sep 13, 2018

Brave, a privacy-focused web browser set up by Silicon Valley engineering guru Brendan Eich, filed privacy complaints in Britain and Ireland that could become a test case against search company Google and other digital advertising firms. The petitioners say they want to trigger an article in the new European GDPR requiring an EU-wide investigation, making it a test case for a new European Data Protection Board created to give the privacy regime more teeth

M1. Telangana red-flags Data Protection Bill citing impact on startups, investments

Economic Times-Sep 13, 2018

NEW DELHI / HYDERABAD: Telangana has become the first state to raise concerns over the proposed data protection bill — submitted by the Justice BN Srikrishna Committee — as it fears implementation of certain clauses, especially one on data localisation, will isolate Indian startups and hurt investments in the state and the country. The state's IT minister KT Rama Rao is expected to write a letter to Union minister for electronics and IT Ravi Shankar Prasad expressing concerns that the draft ...

[Telangana IT ministry to object to localisation in data protection bill.](#) MediaNama.com

N1. Retail inflation cools to 10-month low of 3.69% in August

Times of India. Sep 13, 2018

*Price data are collected from selected towns by the Field Operations Division of the National Sample Survey Office (NSSO) and from selected villages by the Department of Posts. Price data are received through web portals, maintained by the **National Informatics Centre**.*

[Retail inflation cools to 10-month low of 3.69 per cent in August .](#) *The New Indian Express*

N2. NMC gets notice on property tax bunglings

Times of India. Sep 13, 2018

*. Nagpur: The Nagpur bench of Bombay high court has issued notice to Nagpur Municipal Corporation (NMC) for bunglings in property tax department... carry out full-fledged investigation and suggest remedial measures, which can be taken up with the guidance of **National Informatics Centre (NIC)**.*

N3. Three more e-Services rolled out under e-District Project

The Shillong Times. Sep 13, 2018

*MAWKYRWAT: The District e-Governance Society (DeGS), South West Khasi Hills, in collaboration with the Meghalaya IT Department and **National Informatics Centre** has rolled out three additional citizen centric e-Services over and above the existing five e-Services under the ambitious e-District Project in a programme held at the Public Facilitation Centre (PFC) at the Deputy Commissioner's office recently in Mawkyrwat.*

N4. UPSC Official Website Was Hacked For Hours | Know What Exactly Happened

Chandigarh Metro. Sep 12, 2018

*National shame'. Although ... websites, the content and other stuff on the official website have been managed by the **National Informatics Centre (NIC)**.*

O1. [IBM, IIT Bombay collaborates to advance AI research in India](#)

Economic Times. Sep 13, 2018

By joining the AI Horizons Network, IIT Bombay will pair its world-class faculty and top graduate students with leading AI scientists from IBM Research – India to advance and accelerate the application of AI, machine learning, NLP and related technologies to business and industry

O2. [How Flipkart uses data analytics to boost Big Billion Day sales](#)

Hindu BusinessLine. Sep 13, 2018

Bengaluru: E-commerce major Flipkart is using data analytics and algorithm to help the burgeoning number of sellers get better insights into their business during the Big Billion Days' event during the festival season.

O3. [Facebook new AI tool to identify offensive memes](#)

The Hindu-Sep 13, 2018

In a bid to curtail offensive memes that promote hate speech, Facebook is building a novel artificial intelligence system called Rosetta that uses ...

O4. [UP is first State to mandate RFID tag for e-Way bill](#)

The Hindu BusinessLine-Sep 12, 2018

NEW DELHI: Effective November 1, obtaining Radio Frequency Identification (RFID) tag for fulfilling e-Way bill requirements will be mandatory in Uttar Pradesh.

O5. [Google, Facebook dealt blow by EU lawmakers on copyright](#)

The Indian Express-Sep 12, 2018

*Alphabet Inc's **Google**, **Facebook** Inc and other tech firms may soon be forced to negotiate licenses for content that appears on their sites, ...*

O6. [Google to invest \\$140mn to expand LatAm data center](#)

Financial Express | September 13, 2018

During an event in the Chilean capital, attended by President Sebastian Piñera, Google announced that it will triple the data center's capacity, hiring around 1,000 people for the construction.