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**N1. Artificial Intelligence identifying Opportunities vis-à-vis responsibilities**

Sify News-4 hours ago

*In February 2017 Ministry of Home Affairs' website was hacked and immediately blocked by NIC – National Informatics Centre. Website.....*

**N2. Haryana information panel wants all officers to file property details**

Times of India- Oct. 31 , 2018

*CHANDIGARH : The State Information Commission Haryana has directed the Khattar government to disclose information about property owned by all state civil ...*

**N3. निजी कंपनी काम से हटी, रजिस्ट्री बंद**

दैनिक जागरण- Oct. 31 , 2018

कंपनी के काम से हो रही थी परेशानी : निबंधन विभाग के साफ्टवेयर झारभूमि एनआइसी के माध्यम से संचालित होता है, जबकि ...

#### **N4. Farm ministry to wrap up 20th Livestock Census in 5-6 months**

Cogencis- Oct. 31 , 2018

*Some states started the field work and the data is being transmitted to the server of **National Informatics Centre** using a mobile application developed by the ...*

#### **N5. Let's talk about people**

Deccan Herald- Oct. 30 , 2018

*He is also operating a website called [techaccessibility.in](http://techaccessibility.in) and he aspires to get a job in **National Informatics Centre**. B'luru entrepreneur wins women leader ...*

#### **M1. VBK-INDIANMOBILECONGRESS**

The Hindu (press release)-Oct. 31 , 2018

Union Minister for *Electronics and Information Technology* Ravi Shankar Prasad (left) with Reliance Industries Limited chairman Mukesh Ambani at 24th Annual ...

#### **M2. Professors Of IIT-D Represented The Institute In The ACM MobiCom ...**

Businessworld-Oct. 30 , 2018

*Industry leaders who attended the event and delivered lectures were Shri Ajay Sawhney (Secretary, Ministry of Electronics and IT, Govt. of India), Mr. Mukesh ...*

#### **M3. Focus should be on developing mobile phone content in local ...**

Economic Times- Oct. 30 , 2018

NEW DELHI: Union Minister for *Electronics and Information Technology*, Ravi Shankar Prasad, urged the telecom community to focus on content in local ...

#### **M4. FSDC discusses NBFC liquidity issues; RBI assures adequate fund ...**

Outlook India- Oct. 30 , 2018

In May, the government through a gazette notification, had included Ministry of *Electronics and Information Technology* (MeitY) Secretary in the FSDC in view of ...

#### **M5. Technology is a great leveller: Narayana Murthy**

Economic Times – Oct. 31 , 2018

Also speaking at the Mobicon, Union Minister for Electronics and Information Technology, *Ravi Shankar Prasad* urged the telecom community to focus on ...

#### **C1. From 1 Jan, all new public transport to have vehicle tracking systems ...**

ThePrint- Oct. 31 , 2018

The ministry has roped in the *Centre for Development of Advanced Computing*, the research and development organisation of the Ministry of Electronics and ...

### **CS1. Lessons from US response to cyber attacks**

The Hindu BusinessLine-Oct. 30 , 2018

Technical uncertainty in attributing attacks to a specific actor has long ... under the *Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology* (MEITY) which deals with ...

### **CS2. Is Estonia the new Australia for education?**

The New Indian Express- Oct. 31 , 2018

... a programme that was launched in *India* last year to encourage *Indian* students to study specialised courses in Estonia like *Cyber Security*, IT, Robotics etc.

### **O1. Will go on strike, CSC staffers warn UIDAI**

Times of India- Oct. 31 , 2018

NEW DELHI: Aadhaar body UIDAI is facing revolt from the government's 3-lakh-strong rural outreach programme, Common Service Centres (CSCs), who are ...

### **O2. BSNL, MTNL may not get 4G spectrum soon**

The New Indian Express- Oct. 31 , 2018

In mid-September, Telecom Minister *Manoj Sinha* had said that it would be difficult for BSNL and MTNL to survive without 4G spectrum and the government

### **O3. Supreme court dismisses Star India's pleas: TRAI tariff order**

Zee Business- Oct. 31 , 2018

The Supreme Court dismissed the plea challenging the *Telecom Regulatory Authority of India's* March, 2017 regulations and tariff order relating to fixation of ...

### **O4. Data in the cloud more exposed than organisations think: McAfee**

Economic times – Oct. 31 , 2018

*MPOWER 2018, Sydney, Australia: McAfee, the device to cloud cybersecurity company, today released its Cloud Adoption and Risk Report, which analyzed billions of events in anonymized customers production cloud use to assess the current state of cloud deployments and to uncover risks.*

### **O5. PCI Security Standards Council appoints India head to strengthen data security**

Economic times – Oct. 31 , 2018

**BENGALURU:** The [PCI Security Standards Council](#) (PCI SSC), a global standards body for the [payment card industry](#), has appointed Nitin Bhatnagar to lead their India outreach efforts to promote *PCI Security Standards*.

## **O6. CSCs upset over UIDAI's plan to privatise Aadhaar enrolment**

The Hindu Businessline : Oct. 30 , 2018

*A Common Service Centres (CSCs) which are handling Aadhaar enrolment are up in arms as the UIDAI is planning to farm out the work to the private sector.*

*Currently, most of the enrolment and updating in rural areas are done by the CSCs, a government agency.*

## **O7. Focussed on security, privacy to help users communicate in everyday life: WhatsApp**

Financial Express : Oct. 31 , 2018

*[WhatsApp](#) Vice President Chris Daniels Wednesday said the company is focussed on values like security and privacy to ensure that its product remains a utility that helps users communicate in everyday life. The Facebook-owned company, which has been asked by the Indian government to put in place a mechanism to clamp down fake messages on its platform, also announced its partnership with Invest India to help entrepreneurs and small and medium enterprises expand their businesses.*

## **O8. Data localisation: A strategic weapon in cyber war**

Express Computer : Oct. 31 , 2018

Data is the new oil, and I believe it is the new cyber weapon too. Those whose possess, control and mine the data are the proxy rulers of cyber space. Data being localised in Indian borders gives a better control even for law enforcement agencies to gather electronic evidence without any foreign countries prejudice. Till the ECPA (Electronic Communications and Privacy Act), exists in the US, they are never going to share data with India's law enforcement agencies. My personal interaction with a US Government attorney in Washington made me aware that they do not even expect ECPA to be amended in favour of data sharing with countries like India