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## Important days

### 1. 14.09.22

- ❖ Today is the **International Day of Cultural Unity**.
- ❖ **Hindi Language Day**.
- ❖ (Hindi was adopted as the official language of India on this day in 1949.)
- ❖ Russia became an official republic (1917).

## State news

### 1. Take charge as the Chief Justice of Madras High Court

- ❖ **M. Duraisamy** took charge as the Chief Justice of Madras High Court.
- ❖ Muneeswarannath Bhandari retired as Chief Justice of Madras High Court.
- ❖ Following this, the central government had appointed M. Duraisamy, a senior judge of the High Court, as the in-charge Chief Justice.
- ❖ Accordingly, M. Duraisamy took charge as the Chief Justice of the High Court.
- ❖ It is noted that Justice M. Duraisamy is going to retire on **September 21**.

## Central News

### 1. Kaganyaan Project

- ❖ Union Minister **Jitendra Singh** said the first test spacecraft will be launched this year as part of Gaganyaan project to send humans into space.
- ❖ Upcoming 2024 Gaganyaan Space Launch The Indian Air Force has identified 4 aircraft to carry out the Gaganyaan program, which will carry a female robot called **Vyom Mitra**, which will be launched into space next year.
- ❖ They were given **basic training in Russia**.
- ❖ ISRO is planning to send two astronauts to the moon in 2024 with **Chandrayaan 3** spacecraft to orbit the Earth in 2024 considering the operations of the experimental spacecraft which will be stationed in orbit of space.

### 2. Deregistration of 86 Political Parties : Election Commission

- ❖ The Election Commission ordered to cancel the registration of 86 more unrecognized political parties.
- ❖ With this the number of parties who have lost registration has increased to **537**.
- ❖ The Election Commission has announced that the registration of 253 unrecognized parties has been canceled on the basis of immediate rectification action in the interests of the majority of the people to maintain the purity of electoral democracy.
- ❖ The decision was taken in a consultation meeting held by Chief Election

Commissioner **Rajukumar** and Election Commissioner **Anupchandra Pandyar**.

- ❖ The Election Commission has taken action to cancel the registration of **13 parties** in Tamil Nadu which have not contested elections for six years after their registration in Tamil Nadu.
- ❖ The registration of **86 unrecognized political parties** has been canceled on the basis that it was revealed that those political parties were not functioning at the specified address when the information of the leaders including the address was verified.
- ❖ These parties can no longer enjoy the benefits under the **1968 election symbol practice**.

### 3. Contesting elections is not a fundamental right

- ❖ The election report for the vacant seats in the Rajya Sabha was published last May.
- ❖ A person filed a petition in the Delhi High Court that his application was rejected on the ground that he did not have **sufficient number of proponents and movers to contest it**.
- ❖ The Representation of the People Act (**1950**) and the Rules of Conduct of Elections (**1961**) require voters to nominate a specific candidate.
- ❖ Based on that, rejection of election application cannot be claimed as violation of fundamental rights.

### 4. Emphasis should be placed on detecting coronal origin

- ❖ The Parliamentary Standing Committee has recommended that the central government should urge the countries of the world to identify the place where the corona virus originated and punish the culprits.
- ❖ The Parliamentary Standing Committee on Health submitted its **137th report** in the Rajya Sabha, which examined the Corona mitigation measures in the country, vaccine development and supply management.
- ❖ It has made various recommendations.

### 5. Semiconductor factory in Gujarat

- ❖ Indian industrial company Vedanta and Taiwan's electronics major Foxconn have signed a memorandum of understanding with the state government to set up a semiconductor factory and screen manufacturing unit for electronic devices in Gujarat.
- ❖ Semiconductor chips used in automobiles, mobile phones and other electronic devices are not manufactured in India.
- ❖ Instead, India depends on imports for these chips.
- ❖ Three countries namely **Taiwan, China and Japan** produce **eight percent** of the world's semiconductor chips.

- ❖ Such investment is expected to reduce dependence on other countries for semiconductor chips as India becomes a chip manufacturing hub.

#### 6. William Ruto became the President of Kenya

- ❖ **William Ruto** takes office as the new President of Kenya.
- ❖ Opposition leader **Raila Odinga** filed a petition in court challenging the result even though he was declared the winner of last month's election with **50.5%** of the vote.
- ❖ However, after the court dismissed Raila's petition, Ruto is now sworn in as President.

#### 7. 'Astana' becomes the capital of Kazakhstan

- ❖ President **Kassym Zomart Togayev** agreed to change the name of Kazakhstan's capital back to **Astana**.
- ❖ When he took office in 2019, Togayev renamed the capital as Nur Sultan in honor of his predecessor **Nuul Sultan Nasser Bayev**.
- ❖ Three years later, the city will be called Astana again.