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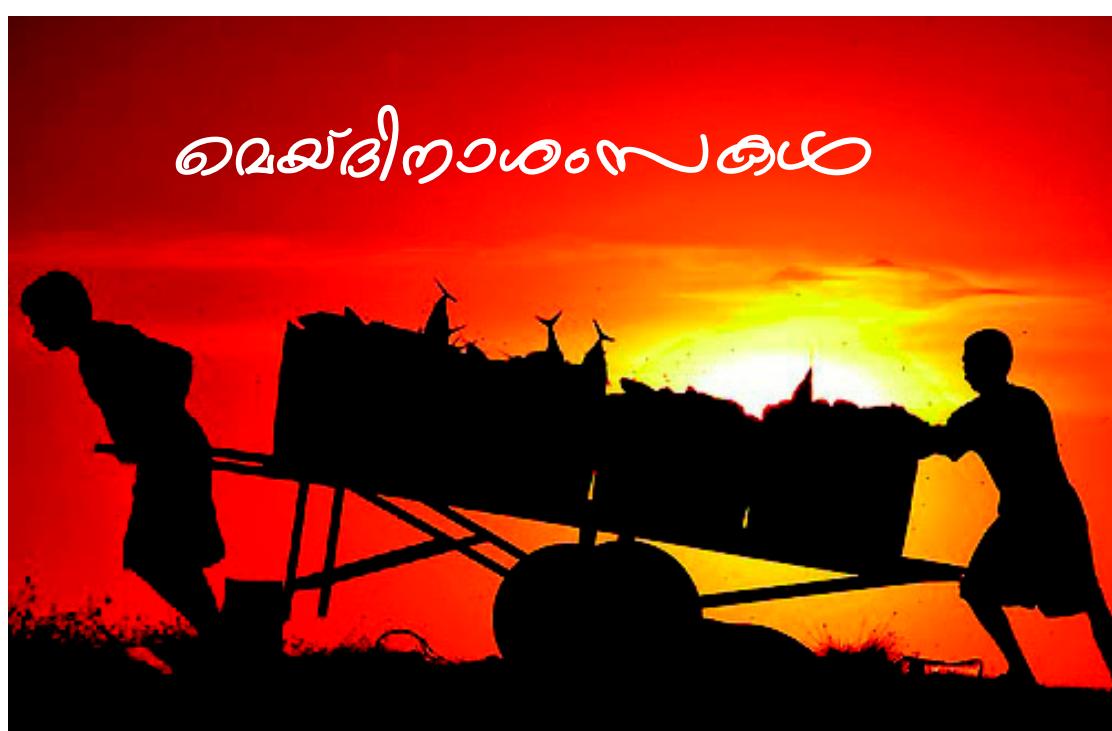
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ഫൂഡ് സേഫ്ടി ഓഫീസർ - ഫൂഡ് സേഫ്ടി വകുപ്പ് കമ്പ്യൂട്ടർ അസിസ്റ്റന്റ് ട്രേയ് -II ശ്രവ. സൈക്രെട്ടോയർ /പിഎസ്സി / അഡ്യൂ. ജനറൽ ഓഫീസ് / ലോക്കൽ ഫാൻ ആധിക്യ സോഴ്സ് ട്രേയ് -II (ഹോമിയോ) ഹോമിയോപതി ഉൾപ്പെടെ വിവിധ തസ്തികകളിൽ വിജ്ഞാപനം



സാജു ജോർജ്ജ്
പി.എസ്.സി. സൈക്രെട്ടറിയായി
ചുമതലയേറു

പരീക്ഷാ കമ്മ്യൂണിറ്റിയിൽ സൈക്രെട്ടറിയായ സാജു ജോർജ്ജ് പി.എസ്.സി. സൈക്രെട്ടറിയായി ചുമതലയേറു. 30-04-1998 ത് സൈക്ഷണ ആഫീസായി സർവ്വീസിൽ പ്രവേശിച്ചു. മലപ്പുറം, ഇടുക്കി ജില്ലാ ആഫീസായും, എറണാകുളം മേഖലാ ആഫീസായും ആസ്ഥാന ആഫീസിൽ ജോയിൻ്റ് സൈക്രെട്ടർ, അധികാരിയായി സൈക്രെട്ടറി എന്നീ ചുമതലകളും പബ്ലിച്ചിട്ടുണ്ട്. തിരുവനന്തപുരം സാങ്കേതികാശം.



സൈക്രെട്ടറിയേറ്റ്
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Current
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R.C.Suresh Kumar

1. Which team lifted the 2014 World Cup Cricket Trophy for blind? - India
2. Who got the Odakkuzhal Award for 2014?



- Rafiq Ahmed
3. Miss World 2014-Rolene Strauss
 4. Who represented India in the 2014 Miss World Pageant-Koyal Rana (from Jaipur)
 5. The new chairman of Press Council of India-C.K.Prasad
 6. Mahathma Gandhi Employment Guarantee Programme is named after- Syamaprasad Mukherjee
 7. "Van Bandhu Kalyan Yojana" aims at whose welfare? Tribals
 8. New TV Channel launched for North East India- Arun Prabha
 9. The Union Minister for Human Resources Development- Smriti Irani
 10. The new President of Bharatiya Janata Party- Amit Shah
 11. The second most populated city in the world- Delhi
 12. As per the economic survey which state tops in unemployment? Kerala
 13. According to the Economic Survey which state has the lowest unemployment- Gujarat
 14. The eminent malayali lawyer who was conferred Padmavibhushan in 2015- K.K.Venugopal
 15. The External Affairs Minister of India- Sushma Swaraj
 16. The nuclear scientist who was conferred Padmavibhushan in 2015- Prof.M.R.Sreenivasan
 17. Who was honoured by the Nishagandhi award of Kerala Tourism Department in 2015- Dr.Padma Subramanyam
 18. Who was appointed as the Chairman of NITI Aayog(National Institute for Transforming India)?- Aravind Panagariya
 19. Which is the first indigenously built stealth anti-submarine war ship of Indian Navy? INS Kamorta
 20. The Union Finance Minister- Arun Jaitley
 21. According to the latest Report, what is the per capita income of India for the year 2014-15? Rs.88,533
 22. Who won the 2015 Oscar Award for best actor? Eddie Redmayne
 23. Who won the 2015 Oscar Award for best actress? Julianne Moore
 24. As per the latest Report of the Forest Survey of India, which state has recorded largest increase in forest cover? West Bengal

25. The first Hindu Chief Justice of Pakistan who passed away in 2015? Rana Bhagwan Das
26. The second largest habitat of one-horned rhino after Kaziranga National Park- Jaldapara National Park
27. Which organisation is related to National Electoral Roll Purification and Authentication Programme? Election Commission of India
28. The 24th Chief of Indian Army who is at present the Minister for External Affairs- V.K.Singh
29. The first serving Military Chief to take Government to Court-V.K.Singh
30. In the 2014 General Election who was elected with the second highest victory margin after Narendra Modi? V.K.Singh
31. From which constituency V.K.Singh was elected to the 16th Lok Sabha? Ghaziabad
32. Who authored "Courage and Conviction: An autobiography"? V.K.Singh
33. The Hindi film actor and candidate of Indian National Congress who was defeated by V.K.Singh in Ghaziabad Constituency of Uttar Pradesh by a record margin of 5,67,000 votes- Raj Babbar
34. The first state to set up a fenced, forested elephant sanctuary- Karnataka
35. The venue of ICC World Cup 2019-England
36. World's busiest airport for international traffic-



Dubai International Airport

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37. In which state is the Kowada Nuclear Power Project? Andhra Pradesh
 38. The Foreign Minister of Pakistan who authored the book 'Neither a Hawk, Nor a Dove'- Khurshid Mahmud Kasuri
 39. Who is currently the World's oldest Monarch? Queen Elizabeth II
 40. Edgar Lungu won the Presidential election which African nation? Zambia
 41. Who heads the Supreme Court Panel to ensure major reforms in the practice and procedure of BCCI (Board of Control for Cricket in India)- Justice RM Lodha
 42. Who was the captain of the Kerala Strikers Team in the Celebrity Cricket League held in 2012 and 2013? Mohanlal
 43. Who is the Goodwill Ambassador of Akshaya Project? Mammootty
 44. Who is the Chairman of Malayalam Communications Limited, brands of which are Kairali and We etc? Mammootty
 45. Who is recently published a book titled "Sallapam"- Manju Warrier
 46. Who has been named brand ambassador of the newly launched "She Taxi"? Manju Warrier
 47. Who got Ezhuthachan Award 2014? Vishnunarayanan Namboothiri
 48. The winner of 2013 Ezhuthachan Award- M.K.Sanu
 49. Who got Vayalar Award 2013 for his book "Syamamadhavam"? Prabha Varma
 50. The rank of India in the medal table of 2014 Nanjing Youth Olympics- 64
 51. The rank of India in the medal table of 2014 Incheon Asiad- 8
 52. The number of medals won by India in the 2014 Nanjing Youth Olympics- 2
 53. The number of medals won by India in the 2014 Incheon Asiad- 57
 54. The venue of International Yoga Festival scheduled in March 2015- Rishikesh
 55. The radio programme hosted by Narendra Modi which has been broadcasting twice every month by All India Radio- Mann Ki Baat
 56. With which firm Google signed 60 year lease? NASA
 57. In which country Tabare Ramon Vazquez Rosas won Presidential Election in 2014? Uruguay
 58. The laureates of 2014 Nobel Prize for Physics- Isamu Akasaki, Hiroshi Amano, Shuji Nakamura
 59. The laureates of 2014 Nobel Prize for Chemistry- Eric Betzig, Stefan Hell, William Moerner
 60. The laureates of 2014 Nobel Prize for Medicine- John O'Keefe, May-Britt Moser, Edvard Moser
 61. The nationality of Patrick Modiano who got 2014 Nobel for literature- France
 62. The nationality of Jean Tirole who got 2014 Nobel for Economics- France
 63. The non-profit organisation of Pakistan that got Magsaysay Award in 2014- The Citizen's Foundation
 64. The nationality of Omara Khan Massoudi who got Magsaysay Award 2014- Afghanistan
 65. What is the field of activity of Butet Manurung of Indonesia who got Magsaysay Award in 2014? Alternative Education
 66. The boxer who got Arjuna Award after a legal battle with the Ministry of Sports- Manoj Kumar
 67. The book of Richard Flanagan won the 2014 Man Booker Prize- The Narrow Road to Deep North
 68. Name the first spacecraft to orbit a comet- Rosetta
 69. New tagline of Doordarshan- Desh ka Apna Channel
 70. The venue of 18th SAARC Summit- Kathmandu
 71. Who authored the novel 'Half Girl Friend'? Chetan Bhagat
 72. The venue of 2014 World Ayurveda Conference- New Delhi
 73. Time Magazine's Person of the Year 2014- The Ebola Fighters
 74. The first state in India to launch a Health Adalat- Karnataka
 75. The former Attorney General of India who passed away in September 2014- GE Vahanvati
 76. The nationality of Caroline Wozniacki who was defeated by Serena Williams in the final of 2014 US Open Women's Singles- Denmark
 77. The purpose of the appointment of TSR Subramanyan Panel- To review environment related laws
 78. The South African sprinter who killed his lover by shooting on Valentine's Day- Oscar Pistorius
 79. The place in Thiruvananthapuram district where Games Village was built in connection with the 2015 National Games, using pre-fab technology- Menamkulam
 80. Who won Delhi Half Marathon in 2014- Guye Adola (Ethiopia)
 81. The official mascot of 2014 Commonwealth Games- Clyde (An anthropomorphic thistle)
 82. The mascot of 2012 Summer Olympics- Wenlock (Drops of steels with cameras for eyes)
 83. The mascot of 2014 Winter Olympics- Bello



Mishka, Snow Leopard, Zaika

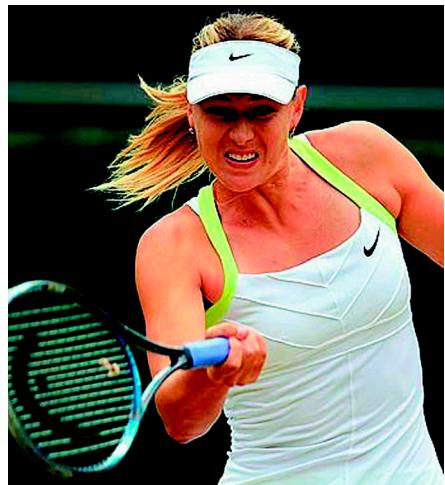
84. The mascot of 2016 Summer Olympics- Vinicius
85. What is Vinicius? An animal representing all Brazilian mammals
86. The venue of 2014 Summer Youth Olympics- Nanjing (China)
87. The mascot of 2014 Summer Youth Olympics- Lele
88. The venue of 2016 Winter Youth Olympics- Lillehammer (Norway)
89. The militant who was hanged on 21st November 2012 at Yerwada Jail in Pune who was the only attacker captured alive by police in connection with 2008 Mumbai attacks- Ajmal Kasab
90. The convict who was executed on 9th February 2013 for his role in 2001 terrorist attack on Indian Parliament- Afzal Guru
91. Which neighbouring country of India gave its second highest award to Pranab Mukherjee

- in 2013? - Bangladesh
92. Name the University that conferred Honorary doctorate to Pranab Mukherjee on 5th October 2013- Istanbul University
93. Before becoming the President of India which portfolio was held by Pranab Mukherjee in Union Cabinet? - Finance
94. Who authored the book "The Dramatic Decade: The Days of Indira Gandhi"? - Pranab Mukherjee
95. The person of Indian origin who was re-



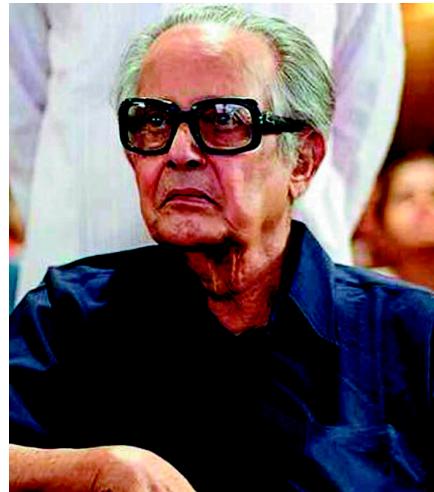
- elected to US Parliament from North Carolina- Nikki Hale
96. Which portfolio is held by Chaudhary Veerendra Singh in Union Cabinet? Rural Development
97. The first Asian country to order chemical castration of child rapist- South Korea
98. Which did Telengana become the 29th state of India? 2nd June 2014
99. To which sports Rohan Boppanna is related? Lawn Tennis
100. Varanasi will be modified to a smart city similar to which Japanese city- Kyoto
101. The first Indian President to visit official residence of Santa Claus- Pranab Mukherjee
102. In which country John Key re-elected as Prime Minister in 2014? New Zealand
103. The founder of CMP (Communist Marxist Party) who passed away in 2014 November- M.V.Raghavan
104. The record of fastest scoring of 6000 runs in one day cricket is owned by- Virat Kohli
105. Who occupies number one position in the list of most powerful persons of the world published by Forbes Magazine in 2014 November- Vladimir Putin (Second Barak Obama)
106. The new system launched by Union Government to renew pension scheme by submitting biometric data through computer or smart phone- Jeevan Praman
107. The project of the prime minister to ensure bank account to all families- Jan Dhan Yojana
108. With which west Asian country Indian Home Minister signed an agreement for free trade and activities against terrorism- Israel
109. The former chairman of Prasar Bharati who passed away in 2014- M. V. Kamath
110. First state in India to make cancer treatment free of expense- Kerala
111. Which state government resolved to consider 'Hijadas' as third gender- Bihar
112. The first e-cabinet was conducted in the state of- Andhra Pradesh
113. Who secured the world basketball title in 2014 by defeating Serbia- USA
114. Which country introduced the thinnest smartphone (4.85 mm) in the world- Vivo
115. The number of countries participated in 2014 Winter Olympics- 88
116. Total number of medals secured by Russia

- in 2014 Winter Olympics which tops in medal tally- 33 (13 gold, 11 silver and 9 bronze)
117. The proposed venue of 2018 Winter Olympics- South Korea
118. Nationality of Sebastian Vettel who got the Laureus Sports Award for Men in 2014- Germany
119. The U.S. Swimmer who got Laureus Sports Award for Women in 2014- Miss Franklin
120. To which sports Sebastian Vettel is related- Car racing
121. Who was selected as the president of Indian Olympic Association (IOA) in 2014?- N. Ramachandran
122. Who was selected as general secretary of Indian Olympic Association in 2014? Rajiv Mehta
123. In which Indian state Nabam Tukki was re-elected Chief Minister- Arunachal Pradesh
124. Who became prime chief minister of Tamil Nadu when Jayalalithaa went out of power due to court verdict- O. Panneer Selvan
125. Who became the chief minister of Goa when Manohar Pareekar resigned to become the union defence minister- Lakshmi Kant Parsekar
126. The state where Manoharlal Khattar assumed power as chief minister on 26th October 2014- Haryana
127. The party of Pawan Chamling who became the chief minister of Sikkim for the 5th term- Sikkim Democratic Front
128. The Asian city where the first municipal elections were held in 60 years in 2014 December- Yangon (Myanmar)
129. The former chairman of ISRO and also known as the father of the Indian Monsoon mode, passed away in 2015 January- V. R. Gowarikar
130. Name the fundamentalist group that engaged in insurgent activities in the African nation of Somalia- Al Shahab
131. The indigenously built light combat aircraft inducted to Indian Airforce recently- Tejas
132. Who along with Leela Samson resigned from Censor Board in connection with granting permission to the film "Messenger of God"- Ira Bhaskar and Shaji N Karun
133. Who was defeated by Serena Williams in the



- final of 2015 Australian Open? - Maria Sharapova
134. The nationality of Maria Sharapova- Russia
135. Who won Mixed Doubles Title in the 2015 Australian Open? Leander Paes (India) and Martina Hingis (Switzerland)
136. Who was defeated by Novac Djokovic in the finals of 2015 Australian Open Men's Singles? Andy Murray (Britain)
137. The hosts of 2015 ICC World Cup- Australia and New Zealand
138. The venue of 2015 ICC World Cup final-

- Melbourne Cricket Stadium
139. The total number of countries participated in the 2015 ICC World Cup-14 (10 countries with test status and 4 associated members)
140. Who secured the decisive goal in the extra time of 2014 FIFA World Cup that enabled German team to lift the trophy? Mario Goetze
141. Name the country that hosted 2014 FIFA World Cup- Brazil
142. Before Amith Shah, who was the president of Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP)? Rajnath Singh
143. Who led the Guard of Honour in the 64th Republic Day celebrations? Pooja Thakkur
144. Which airport is number one in terms of number of passengers-Dubai (7.05 crore)
145. Who was conferred Ashok Chakra posthumously in connection with 2015 Republic Day- Neeraj Kumar
146. Who created the cartoon character 'Common



Man? R K Laxman

147. Who became the top scorer ever in the FIFA World Cup- Miroslav Klose
148. Nationality of Miroslav Klose- Germany
149. How many goals were scored by Miroslav Klose- 16
150. Whose record was broken by Miroslav Klose? Ronaldo (15)
151. Nationality of Ronaldo- Brazil
152. Which country was suspended by FIFA in 2014 from all international football competitions on account of the government interference in the affairs of country's Football Federation? Nigeria
153. World Zoonoses Day- July 6
154. Who won Wimbledon Men's Singles Title in 2014? Novac Djokovic
155. Nationality of Novac Djokovic- Serbia
156. The scheme of Agriculture Department to provide pension to farmers of age 60 and above? Kisan Abhiyan
157. Which Department launched 'Vazhiyoram' Project? Tourism
158. The Cochlear Implantation Project for children below 3 years of age having hearing impairment launched by Kerala Social Mission- Sruthi Tharangam
159. Which Department launched 'Lahari Vimuktha Keralam Project'? Excise
160. Which Department launched 'Ente Theeram' for Tsunami Rehabilitation? Tourism
161. The project launched by Kerala Government to encourage inland fishing- MalsyaKeralam
162. The scheme aims to provide training in soft skills to college students - Yes Kerala
163. The scheme of Government of Kerala for children below 18 years of age who are affected by fatal diseases- Thalolam
164. The Keralite who got 'Bhasha Samman' of the Central Academy of Letters in 2014? Dr. Puthusseri Ramachandran



2014? - Alphonso

165. Who authored "Hard Choices"? Hillary Clinton
166. The new Chief Justice of India- M.R. Lodha
167. In which city the first double decker fly over of India was inaugurated? Mumbai
168. The winner of 2013 Dadasaheb Phalke Award- Gulzar
169. The real name of Gulzar-Sampooran Singh
170. Indo-American novelist who authored 'Low Land'-Jhumpa Lahiri
171. Which Committee recommended new criterion for determining poverty line? C.Ranganathan Committee
172. The Committee appointed to probe the Solar Panel Scam in Kerala-Sivarajan Commission
173. The peninsula in the northern coast of Black Sea that has become a matter of conflict between Russia and Ukraine-Crimea
174. The winner of National Billiards Championship title in 2014 - Sourav Kothari
175. Indira Paryavaran Bhawan is the name of the office building of which ministry? Environment and Forests
176. The first woman to become chairperson of the State Bank of India- Arundhati Bhattacharya
177. In which South American country Juan Carlos Santos was re-elected President in 2014? Colombia
178. The senior IAS Officer who was appointed as Union Revenue Secretary in 2014- Saktikanta Das
179. Famous Malayalam author who was selected for the Moortidevi Award 2013- C.Radhakrishnan
180. Which novel made C.Radhakrishnan eligible for Moortidevi Award? Theekkadal Kadanjum Thirumaduram
181. The novel 'Theekkadal Kadanjum Thirumaduram' depicts the life of Ezhuthachan
182. In 2014, which Legislative Assembly passed a bill prohibiting dance bars in hotels all over the state? Maharashtra
183. Which became the first Kerosene free city in India-Delhi
184. Alexander Stubb was elected the prime minister of which European country in 2014? Finland
185. The import of which variety of Mango from India was banned by European Union in

193. The Committee that recommended autonomous status to Vidarbha region- Vijay Kelkar Committee
194. Vidarbha constitutes a region of which Indian state? Maharashtra
195. The Air Asia flight which crashed in Jawa Sea with 162 people on board while it was travelling from Surabaya (Indonesia) to Singapore- QZ 8501
196. The members of the newly formed Eurasian Economic Union- Russia, Belarus, Kazakhstan, Armenia and Kyrgyzstan
197. In which state Kudankulam Atomic Project which started commercial operation in December 2014? Tamil Nadu
198. Which country provides technical support to Kudankulam Project- Russia
199. The number of seats won by Indian National Congress in the 2014 General Election- 44
200. The number of seats won by United Progressive Alliance in 2014 Election- 58
201. In which year Indian National Congress met its worst defeat in a Lok Sabha election? 2014
202. Which is the third largest party in Lok Sabha after the 2014 General election? AIADMK
203. The ordinal status of current Lok Sabha-16th
204. Who led the election campaign of Bharatiya Janata Party in 2014? Narendra Modi
205. From which constituency L.K.Advani contested
- in 16th Lok Sabha election- Gandhinagar
206. Which Constituency is represented by Rahul Gandhi in Lok Sabha? Ameti
207. The eminent jurist and the first law minister of Kerala who passed away in 2014 December-V.R.Krishna Iyer
208. The autobiography of V.R.Krishna Iyer- Wandering in Many Worlds
209. The eminent journalist and formerly media advisor of Indira Gandhi, who passed away in 2014 December- B.G.Varghese
210. Whose autobiography is 'First Draft Witness to the Making of Modern India'? B.G.Varghese
211. The captain of the Indian Cricket Team who retired from test cricket in 2014- MS Dhoni
212. The Indian woman boxer who refused to accept medal in the Incheon Asian Games- Sarita Devi
213. The Union Minister for Science & Technology- Harsha Vardhan
214. The Keralite who resigned the post of Governor of Mizoram-Vakkom Purushothaman
215. The Indian state where the first railway line of the state was inaugurated in November 2014- Meghalaya
216. The Hindi film that was shown continuously for 1000 weeks- Diwale Dulhania Le Jayenge
217. The venue of the 2014 International Film Festival of Kerala(IFFK)-Thiruvananthapuram
218. Which film won 'Suvarna Chakoram' (Golden Crow Pheasant) Award for the best film in the 2014 IFFK- Refugiado
219. The Turkish film director who was the chief guest of the valedictory function of the 2014 IFFK- Noori Bilgi
220. The venue of the Kochi-Muziris Biennale 2014- Kochi
221. Who was appointed instead of Sujata Singh as the new foreign secretary of India- S.Jayasankar
222. Who was appointed as the Chairman of Kerala Lalith Kala Academy? Prof.Kattoor Narayana Pillai
223. The Japanese citizen who was conferred Padmavibhushan in 2015? Sichiro Misumi
224. The first Indian woman to conquer Mount Everest with artificial leg who was conferred Padma Sri in 2015- Arunima Sinha
225. To which sports P.V.Sindhu one of the winners of Padmasri in 2015 is related? Badminton
226. The former Deputy Prime Minister of India who was conferred Padmavibhushan in 2015- L.K.Advani
227. What is the prize money of the Golden Crow Pheasant award given to best feature film to be equally shared by the director and the producer- 10 lakhs
228. Which film got the Golden Crow Pheasant Award 2014- Refugiado
229. Who is the director of Refugiado- Nicola Avruj
230. Who got the 2014 Silver Crow Pheasant Award for best debut director for the film The Bright Day- Hossein Shohabi
231. Which film made Hiroshi Tada eligible for 2014 Silver Crow Pheasant Award? Summer, Kyoto
232. Who directed the film 'Oralpokkam' which got the FIPRESCI Award for best Malayalam film, in 2014 IFFK- Sanalkumar Sasidharan
233. The venue of the first national tribal festival 'VANAJ'- New Delhi
234. Which organisation gives the Kwame NKruman Scientific Awards ? African Union
235. With which country India jointly developed the Barak 8 air and missile system- Israel
236. National Deworming Day observed on- February 10
237. Who won Malaysian Open 2015- Anirban Lahiri
238. Pampra Prasasthi is the highest literary award of which Indian State- Karantaka
239. Which country has the largest area under genetically modified crops- USA
240. The headquarters of International Renewable Energy Agency (IRENA)- Abu Dhabi

Union Council of Ministers

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Prime Minister

Narendra Modi	Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions, Department of Atomic Energy, Department of Space, All important policy issues and All other portfolios not allocated to any Minister
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Cabinet Ministers

Raj Nath Singh	Home Affairs
Sushma Swaraj	External Affairs, Overseas Indian Affairs
Arun Jaitley	Finance, Corporate Affairs, Information & Broadcasting
M. Venkaiah Naidu	Urban Development, Housing and Urban Poverty Alleviation, Parliamentary Affairs
Nitin Jairam Gadkari	Road Transport and Highways, Shipping
Manohar Parrikar	Defence
Suresh Prabhu	Railways
D. V. Sadananda Gowda	Law & Justice
Sushri Uma Bharati	Water Resources, River Development and Ganga Rejuvenation
Dr. Najma A. Heptulla	Minority Affairs
Ramvilas Paswan	Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution
Kalraj Mishra	Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises
Maneka Sanjay Gandhi	Women and Child Development
Ananthkumar	Chemicals and Fertilizers
Ravi Shankar Prasad	Communications and Information Technology
Jagat Prakash Nadda	Health and Family Welfare
Ashok Gajapathi Raju Pusapati	Civil Aviation
Anant Geete	Heavy Industries and Public Enterprises
Harsimrat Kaur Badal	Food Processing Industries
Narendra Singh Tomar	Mines, Steel
Chaudhary Birender Singh	Rural Development, Panchayati Raj, Drinking Water and Sanitation
Jual Oram	Tribal Affairs
Radha Mohan Singh	Agriculture
Thaawar Chand Gehlot	Social Justice and Empowerment
Smriti Zubin Irani	Human Resource Development
Harsh Vardhan	Science and Technology, Earth Sciences

Ministers of State (Independent Charge)

General V. K. Singh	Statistics and Programme Implementation (Independent Charge), External Affairs, Overseas Indian Affairs
Inderjit Singh Rao	Planning (Independent Charge) Defence
Santosh Kumar Gangwar	Textiles (Independent Charge)
Bandaru Dattatreya	Labour and Employment (Independent Charge)
Rajiv Pratap Rudy	Skill Development & Entrepreneurship (Independent charge), Parliamentary Affairs

Shri Pad Yesso Naik

Dharmendra Pradhan	AYUSH (Independent Charge), Health & Family Welfare
Sarbananda Sonowal	Petroleum and Natural Gas (Independent Charge)
Prakash Javadekar	Youth Affairs and Sports (Independent Charge)
Piyush Goyal	Environment, Forest and Climate Change (Independent Charge)
Dr. Jitendra Singh	Power (Independent Charge), Coal (Independent Charge), New and Renewable Energy (Independent Charge)
Nirmala Sitharaman	Development of North Eastern Region (Independent Charge), Prime Minister's Office, Personnel, Public Grievances & Pensions, Department of Atomic Energy, Department of Space
Dr. Mahesh Sharma	Commerce and Industry (Independent Charge)

Ministers of State

Mukhtar Abbas Naqvi	Minority Affairs, Parliamentary Affairs
Ram Kripal Yadav	Drinking Water and Sanitation
Haribhai Parthibhai Chaudhary	Home Affairs
Sanwar Lal Jat	Water Resources, River Development and Ganga Rejuvenation
Mohanbhai Kalyanjibhai Kundariya	Agriculture
Giriraj Singh	Micro, Small & Medium Enterprises
Hansraj Gangaram Ahir	Chemicals & Fertilizers
G. M. Siddeshwara	Heavy Industries and Public Enterprises
Manoj Sinha	Railways
Nihalchand	Panchayati Raj
Upendra Kushwaha	Human Resources Development
Radhakrishnan P	Road Transport & Highways, Shipping
Kiren Rijiju	Home Affairs
Krishan Pal	Social Justice & Empowerment
Dr. Sanjeev Kumar Balyan	Agriculture
Mansukhbhai Dhanjibhai Vasava	Tribal Affairs
Vishnu Deo Sai	Mines, Steel
Sudarshan Bhagat	Rural Development
Prof. (Dr.) Ram Shankar Katheria	Human Resource Development
Y. S. Chowdary	Science and Technology, Earth Science
Jayant Sinha	Finance
Col. Rajavardhan Singh Rathore	Information & Broadcasting
Babul Supriyo (Babul Supriyo) Baral	Urban Development
Housing and Urban Poverty Alleviation	
Sadhvi Nirajan Jyoti	Food Processing Industries
Vijay Sampla	Social Justice & Empowerment

241. For which novel K. R. Meera got the 2013 Kerala Sahitya Academy Award? Arachar
242. The only Muslim face in Narendra Modi Cabinet- Najma Heptulla
243. A finalist in the beauty pageant Femina Miss India and now a Union Cabinet Minister- Smriti Irani
244. Number of woman ministers in Narendra Modi Govt. with cabinet rank- 6
245. The strength of the cabinet ministers in Union including Prime Minister- 27
246. Rajya Sabha Deputy Chairperson- P J Kurien
247. Number of women in Narendra Modi Ministry- 8
248. Who was appointed as new Intelligence Bureau Chief? Dineshwar Mishra
249. Who got Sakharov prize 2014- Dr. Dennis Muvega
250. For which invention 3 scientists got 2014 Physics Nobel- LED
251. What is the approximate amount of Nobel Prize in terms of India currency? Rs.6.5 crore
252. Which famous personality was born on 12th July 1997 at Mingora Town in Swat Valley of Pakistan? Malala Yousafzai
253. The weight of Mangalyan- 1318 kg
254. Which is the longest sea bridge in India? Bandra Worley Sea Link
255. Name the organization founded by Wang Canfa, a Chinese Professor who got Magsaysay Award 2014?- Centre for Legal Assistance to Pollution Victims
256. The Editor-in-Chief of Caixin Media and the Dean of the School of Communication and Design at Sun Yat Sen University (China) who got 2014 Magsaysay Award- Hu Shuli
257. The famous canal that celebrated its 100th anniversary in 2014- Panama Canal
258. The official slogan of the 2014 Asian Games held in Incheon, South Korea- Diversity Shines Here
259. From where Maven was launched on 18th November 1013? Cape Canaveral
260. In which country 301 people were killed and 80 injured in a mining accident in May 2014? Turkey
261. In which country a ferry carrying 476 people predominantly high school students capsized and met a sea disaster? South Korea
262. The first woman amputee to scale mount Everest -Arunima Sinha
263. The 19th country to join Eurozone- Lithuania
264. Who was the captain of the German team which won FIFA World Cup 2014? Philip Lahm
265. Which Indian was crowned Miss Supernational 2014? Asha Bhatt
266. The venue of 6th BRICS Summit- Fortaleza (Brazil)
267. The first Asian country to introduce NOTA-Bangladesh
268. India is the —th country to Introduce NOTA-14
269. Who inaugurated the renovated Nalanda University in 2014 September? Sushma Swaraj
270. Where is Satish Dhawan Space Centre from where Mangalyan launched? Sriharikota
271. The first African Country to use electronic voting machines- Namibia
272. The International Day for Abolition of Slavery- December 2
273. The first Indian footballer to be conferred with the Asian Football Confederation Hall of Fame Award-Baichung Bhutia
274. The former Chief Minister of Maharashtra who passed away in 2014 December- A.R.Antulay
275. Who became the oldest player to score a century in an ODI in 2014? Khurram Khan (43 years), captain of UAE
276. Who is the chairperson of National Commission for Women- Lalitha Kumaramangalam
277. Who headed the Committee which submitted its report on the condition of Deemed Universities in India? H.Devaraj
278. The Mascot of 2016 Winter Youth Olympics- Sjogg
279. The venue of 2018 Summer Youth Olympics- Buenos Aires (Argentina)
280. The mascot of 2012 Winter Olympics held in Innsbruck (Austria)- Yoggil
281. Which space agency launched Rosetta? European Space Agency
282. Catalonia which aims cessation is a province of which country? Spain
283. Capital of Catalonia- Barcelona
284. Whose record was overtaken b Rohit Sharma when he scored 264 runs in ODI? Virendra Sehwag (219)
285. From how many balls Rohit Sharma scored 264 runs? -173
286. Who authored the book, "Challenges Before the Nation"? Pranab Mukherjee
287. The recommendations of which committee were incorporated in the Criminal Law Amendment Act, 2014? Varma Committee Report
288. Who headed the Judicial Committee appointed by Central Government to suggest amendments to criminal law to sternly deal with sexual assault cases? JS Varma
289. The eminent members of JS Varma Committee- Leila Seth and Gopal Subramanyam
290. The ordinal status of 2012 Olympics- 30
291. The venue of 2012 Olympics- London
292. The number of countries participated in 2012 Olympics- 205
293. The motto of 2012 Olympics- Inspire a generation
294. The real name of Jhumpa Lahiri- Niranjana Sudeshna Lahiri
295. The motto of 2015 National Games- Get Set Play
296. The mascot of 35th National Games(2015)- Ammus
297. What type of organism is Ammu_ Hornbill
298. Who inaugurated the 35th National Games(2015)- M.Venkaiah Naidu
299. Which portfolio is held by Venkaiah Naidu in Union Cabibet? Urban Development
300. Who is the minister for sports in Kerala? Thiruvanchoor Radhakrishnan
301. Who took the oath of the National Games in the inaugural ceremony on behalf of the participants? Preeja Sreedharan
302. Who is the Pakistani Hockey Player who holds the world record for most international goals in the history of International Field Hockey? Sohail Abbas
303. The date on which President gave assent to Telengana Bill- 1st March 2014
304. The native state of R.M.Lodha, the 41st Chief Justice of India- Rajasthan
305. The new section of IPC inserted after the 'Nirbhaya'incident- 376 (E)
306. The judge who reduced the punishment of the accused in Rajiv Gandhi Assassination Case from capital punishment to life imprisonment- P.Sathasivam
307. What is the remuneration of Mahathma Gandhi Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme in Kerala -Rs.229
308. The most viewed Bollywood star in Google in 2014- Sunny Leone
309. The most searched Indian personality in Google in 2014- Narendra Modi
310. Which country leads in the usage of internet? China
311. The world leader who is number one in Facebook- Barak Obama
312. Who was appointed as the chairman of the Kerala State Wakf Board? Palakkad Rasheedali Shihab Thangal
313. Which village in Andhra Pradesh was adopted by Sachin Tendulkar- Puttamrajuvuri (Nellur dt.)
314. Who got Thoppil Bhasi Puraskaram in 2014? Sugathakumari
315. Which is selected as "International Word of the Year" by Oxford Dictionary 2014? Vape
316. The Keralite to get the literary prize worth Rs. One Lakh instituted by Kolkata Bharatiya Bhasha Parishad in 2014? T.Padmanabhan
317. Who scored the highest runs in One Day Cricket- Rohit Sharma
318. The first to score double century twice in One Day Cricket – Rohit Sharma
319. The first cricketer to score beyond 250 in One Day Cricket- Rohit Sharma
320. The bowler whose bowling caused the death of Phillip Hughes, Australian Cricketer- Sean Harbort
321. By defeating whom Magnus Carlson maintained World Chess Title? Viswanathan Anand
322. The autobiography of Sachin Tendulkar- Playing It My Way
323. The famous jurist passed away in December 2014 who is regarded as one of the pioneers of Public Interest Litigation in India- V.R.Krishna Iyer
324. Who became the chief minister of Bihar when Nitish Kumar resigned? Jitan Ram Manjhi
325. The political party of Nitish Kumar- Janata Dal United
326. Who assumed power as the 18th Chief Minister of Maharashtra on 31st October

Council of Ministers - Kerala

(Source: www.niyamasabha.org)

1	Oommen Chandy	Chief Minister
2	P. K. Kunhalikutty	Industries and Information Technology
3	K. M. Mani	Finance, Law and Housing
4	K. P. Mohanan	Agriculture, Animal Husbandry, Printing and Stationery
5	Shibu Baby John	Labour and Skills
6	Anoop Jacob	Food, Civil supplies, Consumer Protection and Registration
7	Ramesh Chennithala	Home & Vigilance
8	Shri. Aryadan Mohammed	Power
9	K. C. Joseph	Rural Development, Planning, Culture and NORKA
10	P. K. Abdu Rabb	Education
11	Thiruvanchoor Radhakrishnan	Forest, Environment, Transport, Sports & Cinema
12	Adoor Prakash	Revenue and Coir
13	P. J. Joseph	Water Resources
14	A. P. Anilkumar	Welfare of Scheduled Castes & Backward Classes and Tourism
15	K. Babu	Fisheries, Ports and Excise
16	C. N. Balakrishnan	Co-operation, Khadi and Village Industries
17	V. K. Ebrahim Kunju	Public Works
18	P. K. Jayalakshmi	Welfare of Scheduled Tribes, Youth Affairs, Museum & Zoos
19	Dr. M. K. Muneer	Panchayats and Social Justice
20	Manjalamkuzhi Ali	Urban Affairs and Welfare of Minorities
21	V. S. Sivakumar	Health, Family Welfare and Devaswom

21st Kerala Ministry : The new ministry headed by Shri. Oommen Chandy as Chief Minister took over

with the following persons as ministers. Shri. P. K. Kunhalikutty, Shri. K. M. Mani, Shri. K. P. Mohanan, Shri. T. M. Jacob, Shri. K. B. Ganesh Kumar, Shri. Shibu Baby John, Shri. Aryadan Mohammed, Shri. P. K. Abdu Rabb, Shri. Thiruvanchoor Radhakrishnan, Shri. Adoor Prakash, Shri. K. C. Joseph, Shri. A. P. Anilkumar, Shri. K. Babu, Shri. C. N. Balakrishnan, Shri. V. K. Ebrahim Kunju, Kumari P. K. Jayalekshmi, Shri. P. J. Joseph, Dr. M. K. Muneer and Shri. V. S. Sivakumar.

They were sworn in by Hon'ble R.S. Gavai, Governor of Kerala at a function organised for the purpose at Kerala Raj Bhavan Thiruvananthapuram on 23rd May 2011.

Shri. Manjalamkuzhi Ali of Muslim League representing the constituency of Perinthalmanna and Shri. Anoop Jacob of the Kerala Congress (Jacob) representing Piravom were sworn in as ministers on 12.04.2012. Governor H.E.

Shri. H.R. Bhardwaj administered the oath of office and secrecy to the ministers-designate.

Shri. Anoop Jacob has been given the portfolio of Food and Civil Supplies, Consumer Protection and Registration held by his father late T.M. Jacob.

Shri. Manjalamkuzhi Ali has been given the portfolios of Urban Affairs, Town Planning, Development Authorities and Minority Welfare.

Shri. K. B. Ganesh Kumar, of Kerala Congress (B), a single-MLA constituent of the ruling UDF, resigned from the Council of Ministers on April 1, 2013 on personal issues.

Shri. Ramesh Chennithala representing Haripad Constituency sworn in to the ministry on 1 January 2014 at Kerala Raj Bhavan. Hon'ble Sri. Nikhil Kumar, Governor of Kerala administered the oath of office and secrecy.

- 2104? Devendra Phadnavis
 327. The first Municipality in India to get ISO Certification- Malappuram
 328. The Vice Chancellor of Mahathma Gandhi University who was expelled by Governor in charge of claiming bogus qualification- Dr.MV George
 329. Which body cancelled environmental approval given to Aranmula Airport by Union Ministry of Environment? South Indian Bench of National Green Tribunal
 330. The official name of Mangalyan- Mars Orbiter Mission (MOM)
 331. The rocket used for launching MOM-PSLV C-25
 332. The date on which Mangalyan launched- 2013 November 25
 333. The date on which Mangalyan entered the orbit of Mars- 2014 September 24
 334. The project director of Mangalyan- Dr.S.Arunan
 335. The country that successfully completed Mars Mission in the lowest expense- India
 336. The Magazine that selected Mangalyan as one of the most remarkable scientific achievements of 2014- TIME magazine
 337. The Associated Members participated in the 2015 ICC World Cup-Afghanistan, Scotland, Ireland, UAE
 338. The ordinal status of 2015 ICC World Cup- 11
 339. The brand ambassador of 2015 ICC World Cup- Sachin Tendulkar
 340. Official time keeper of 2015 ICC World Cup- Hub Lot
 341. The only Keralite participated in the 2015 Cricket World Cup- Krishna Chandran (UAE)
 342. Captain of Indian Cricket team in the 2015 Cricket World Cup- MS Dhoni
 343. In 2015, after a gap of how many years National Games held in Kerala? 27
 344. Whose autobiography is 'The Tunnel of Time'- RK Laxman
 345. Where is Greenfield Stadium? Karyavattom in Thiruvananthapuram
 346. Who resigned the chairmanship of Backward Communities Development Corporation? R.Balakrishna Pillai
 347. Who is the Miss Universe 2014? Poleena Vega
 348. The venue of the 2014 Miss Universe Pegeant- Florida (USA)
 349. Operation Protective Edge is the name of which country's controversial military action launched on its neighbourhood? Israel
 350. The organ of United Nations dedicated to gender equality and empowerment of women- UN Women
 351. In 2014, which European country ordered the expulsion of a CIA official in the country in response to two cases of alleged spying by the United States? Germany
 352. Name the persons who won the Men's Double Title in 2014 Wimbledon- Vasek Pospisil (Canada) and Jack Sock (US)
 353. Who won the women's singles title in the 2014 Wimbledon Tennis Championship? Petra Kvitova
 354. The Canadian player who was defeated by Petra Kvitova in 2014 Wimbledon final- Eugine Bouchard
 355. The pension scheme by Govt. of Kerala for unmarried mothers- Snehaspasm
 356. The pension scheme for those who nursing bed-ridden patients- Aswasakiranam
 357. The health project implemented for students in class IX to XII in the lines of Sarva Siksha Abhiyan- Rashtriya Madhyamik Siksha Abhiyan
 358. The mass contact programme of chief minister organised by Department of Information and Public Relations- Sutharyakeralam
359. The awareness campaign for total sanitation in India- Nirmal Bharat Abhiyan
 360. Ayyankali Urban Employment Guarantee Project implemented by which bodies? Corporations and Municipalities
 361. As per the report of Rangarajan Committee, what amount is the limit to determine poverty line in rural areas? Rs.32
 362. As per the report of Rangarajan Committee, what amount is the limit to determine poverty line in urban areas? Rs.47
 363. Who got the literary award instituted by P.Kesavadev Foundation in 2014? Perumbadavam Sreedharan
 364. The former president of Georgia who passed away in 2014 - Edward Shevardnadze
 365. The Indian actor who received Legion de Honor the highest civilian honour of France in 2014- Shah Rukh Khan
 366. The British actress who was appointed as goodwill ambassador of UN Women in 2014 - Emma Watson
 367. Who took the first hatric of 20th world cup cricket - Thomas Muller (Germany)
 368. The speaker of 16th Lok Sabha - Sumitra Mahajan
 369. The only woman to win eight Lok Sabha elections in a row - Sumitra Mahajan
 370. Who was appointed the new Solicitor General of India in 2014 - Ranjith Kumar
 371. India's first nuclear power plan to generate 1000 MW electricity of power- Kudankulam
 372. Who succeeded Shimon Perez as the new President of Israel in 2014 - Reuven Ruby Rivlin
 373. Who won the presidential election held in Syria in 2014 - Bashar al-Assad
 374. The political party of Bashar al- Assad - Ba'ath Party
 375. Whose autobiography is "The substance and the shadow" - Dileep Kumar
 376. World Elder Abuse Awareness Day - June 15
 377. Who won the Men's Hockey World Cup 2014 - Australia
 378. Which country was defeated by Australia in the finals of 2014 Men's Hockey World Cup - Netherlands
 379. The judge who awarded capital punishment to Saddam Hussain as the head of Supreme Criminal Tribunal and was killed by terrorists in 2014 - Rauf Abdul Rehman
 380. The Indian Scientist who got World Food Prize in 2014 - Sanjay Rajaram
 381. The Hindi poet who got 2013 Gyanpeeth award - Kedarnath Singh
 382. The winner of 2013 Saraswathi Samman - Govind Mishra
 383. The winner of 2012 Saraswathi Samman - Sugathakumari
 384. The venue of 101th Indian Science Congress - Jammu
 385. The venue of 2014 winter Olympics - Sochi
 386. In which country is Sochi - Russia
 387. The new chairman of Microsoft - John Thomson
 388. The first Cantilever bridge of India that celebrated century in 2014 - Pamban bridge(Rameswaram)
 389. The minority communities in India - Sikh, Parsi, Buddhist, Christian, Muslim, and Jain
 390. In which district of Tamil Nadu is Kudankulam Project - Tirunelveli
 391. The new chairman of Railway Board - A.K.Mittal
 392. The new body that replaced Collegium system for the appointment of judges - National Judicial Appointment Commission
 393. The vice chairman of NITI Ayog - Aravind Panagiri
 394. The ex-officio chairman of NITI Ayog - Prime Minister
395. The full form of NITI - National Institution for Transforming India
 396. The goodwill ambassador of Subhayatra 2015 Project - Mohanlal
 397. The new head of National Technical Research Organisation - Alok Joshi
 398. Number of seats won by BJP in 2014 election- 282
 399. The second largest party in National Democratic Alliance- Shivasena
 400. The third largest party in UPA- Telugu Desam Party
 401. The second largest party in UPA- Nationalist Congress Party
 402. Number of seats won by Aam Admi Party (AAP) in 2014 election- 4
 403. Which state has the largest number of Lok Sabha Seats- Uttar Pradesh
 404. The states where the first phase of the 2014 election held- Assam and Tripura
 405. The number of seats won by AIADMK in 2014 election- 37
 406. The number of seats won by Trinamul Congress in 2014- 34
 407. The Australian test cricketer who died in an accident while playing against New South Wales- Fill Hues
 408. Who has been selected as the best director in the IFFK 2014- Hiroshi Toda
 409. "The Democratic Decade: The Indira Gandhi Years" is a book written by- Pranab Mukherjee
 410. In which country Viktor Orban was re-elected Prime Minister- Hungary
 411. Name the constituencies from where Narendra Modi contested to Lok Sabha in 2014 General Elections- Vadodara and Varanasi
 412. Who was defeated by Narendra Modi in Varanasi- Aravind Kejriwal
 413. The city in Pakistan where 145 persons including 132 school students were brutally killed by Tehrik Taliban Pakistan (TTP) in 18th December 2014- Peshawar
 414. In which African nation Anirudh Jagannath was elected Prime Minister- Mauritius
 415. The first woman bishop of church of England- Libi Lane
 416. The first Asian to become a federal judge in United States- Amit Priyavadan
 417. The agency that launched space mission 'New Horizons' to study about Pluto- NASA
 418. In which year 'New Horizons' was launched- 2006
 419. Which Indian state has the largest muslim population? Jammu and Kashmir
 420. The chief guest of 2015 Republic Day of India? Barak Obama
 421. The first indigenously built war plane of India- Tejas
 422. The Union Minister for minority welfare and parliamentary affairs who was sentenced for imprisonment for one year- Mukhta Ahemd Nakvi
 423. The head of DRDO who was ousted by Union Government- Avinash Chander
 424. In which state largest number of people were killed in Naxalite attacks? Chattisgarh
 425. The new Chief Election Commissioner of India- H.S.Brahma
 426. Collin Kidarovic is the first woman president of which country? Croatia
 427. Garuda Sakthi III is the military exercise between India and which country? Indonesia
 428. Attukal Ponkala festival which is figured in Guinness Book of Records is celebrated in which district? Thiruvananthapuram
 429. Which county in South East Asia recently banned surrogacy service to end its flourishing rent-a-womb industry? Thailand
 430. The World Innovation Summit for Health 2015 was held in which country? Qatar
 431. World Radio Day- February 13
 432. Subansiri Hydro Electric Project is coming up in which Indian State? Arunachal Pradesh
 433. Which bank has launched India's first digital bank on mobile phones? ICICI Bank
 434. Which Committee was appointed to submit report on the corporate bankruptcy legal frame work in India? TK Viswanathan Committee
 435. World's first robot staffed hotel is set to open in which country? Japan
 436. 2015 BAFTA Award for best film was won by- Boyhood
 437. The venue of 13th Ishara International Puppet Festival- Gurgaon (Haryana)
 438. Which country will hold the presidency of BRICS new development bank for the next five years? India
 439. The venue of World Ocean Science Congress- Kochi
 440. The first country to introduce laws to allow the creation of three-parent babies? Britain
 441. With which country India signed a Memorandum of Understanding in the field of traditional medicines in September 2014? Bangladesh
 442. With which country India signed a pact on Civil Nuclear Energy deal in 2014 September? Australia
 443. In August 2014, which country unveiled its plan to issue world's first digital currency? Ecuador
 444. Which country in 2014 announced the evacuation of 500 rhinos from Kruger National Park to curb illegal poaching? South Africa
 445. The Brazilian teammate of Sania Mirza who lifted the Mixed Doubles Trophy of US Open 2014- Bruno Soares
 446. The first incumbent Chief Minister in India to be disqualified from holding office due to conviction in disproportionate asset case- Jayalalithaa
 447. The Special judge who sentenced Jayalalithaa for four years imprisonment and fined Rs.100 crores- John Michael D'Cunha
 448. Who filed a case against Jayalalithaa in 1996 in which the court gave its verdict in 2014? Subramanyam Swami
 449. The only city in South India which is the capital of two states- Hyderabad
 450. The number of Lok Sabha constituencies in Telengana- 17
 451. What is the rank of Telengana in terms of area among the Indian states? 12
 452. Which Indian state met its worst flood in 60 years?
 453. Which epidemic affected West African countries in 2014 caused death of thousands of people? Ebola
 454. In which South American country Nicolas Maduro is president? Venezuela
 455. Which country annexed Crimea in March 2014? Russia
 456. In which country 276 girls and women were abducted and held hostage from a school in April 2014? Nigeria
 457. The former popes canonised by Catholic Church in April 2014- John XXIII and John Paul II
 458. In which country a Malaysian aircraft was shot down by a missile in July 2014- Ukraine
 459. The proposed venue for the 2014 World Summit of Nobel laureates which was suspended after a boycott of Nobel laureates to protest the third time refusal of VISA to the 14th Dalai Lama by the Government of

- that country? Cape Town (South Africa)
460. Where is the renovated Nalanda University? Rajgir in Bihar
461. Which is the richest country in ASEAN (Association of South East Asian Nations) in terms of per capita income? Singapore
462. The host leader of 2014 ASEAN Summit- Than Sein (Myanmar)
463. The Secretary General of SAARC- Arjun Bahadur Thapa
464. The nationality of Arjun Bahadur Thapa- Nepal
465. The host leader of 18th SAARC summit held in Kathmandu? Sushil Koirala
466. The venue of next SAARC Summit(2016)- Islamabad
467. Where is the seat of Pan African Parliament? Midrand, South Africa
468. Initially which city was the seat of Pan African Parliament? Addis Ababa (Ethiopia)
469. The Government of India has decided to wind up which public sector watch making company? HMT (Hindustan Machine Tools)
470. Which Bollywood actor's autobiography is "And then One Day"? Nasiruddin Shah
471. The venue of G-20 Labour and Employment Ministerial meet held in 2014- Melbourne
472. Which country decided to remain with Britain in a referendum held in 2014? Scotland
473. U.Sreenivas who passed away in 2014 is related to which music instrument? Mandolin
474. Who got Padmaprabha puraskaram 2014? C.V.Balakrishnan
475. Who got JC Daniel Award 2014? MT Vasudevan Nair
476. Which state leads in terms of number of crimes as per the report of National Crime Records Bureau? Kerala
477. The director of the popular TV Serials of Ramayana and Mahabharata who passed away in November 2014- Ravi Chopra
478. Who got Sanjayyan Award of Thapasya Sahithya Vedi in 2014? Madampu Kunhukuttan
479. Which state ranks first in India in terms of gold consumption? Kerala
480. Who got VR Krishna Iyer Law and Literature Award? Dr.Mukunda Sarda
481. The Olympic Medal winner of India who got a berth in Union Ministry? Rajyavardhan Singh Rathode
482. Which portfolio is held by Rajyavardhan Singh Rathode? Information and Broadcasting
483. The Bollywood singer who is a minister of state for urban development, housing and urban poverty alleviation- Babul Supriya Baral
484. The youngest minister in Narendra Modi's cabinet- Babul Supriya Baral
485. Who inaugurated 2012 Olympics? Queen Elizabeth II
486. Which country was number one in 2012 Olympics Medal table? USA
487. The number of medals won by USA in the 2012 Olympics- 102
488. How many gold medals are won by USA in the 2012 Olympics? 46 (Silver-29, Bronze-29)
489. Which country occupied second position in the medal list of 2012 Olympics? China
490. How many medals were won by China in the 2012 Olympics? 88 (38 gold, 27 silver, 23 bronze)
491. What was the rank of India in the medal table of 2012 Olympics? 55
492. The number of medals won by India in the 2012 Olympics- 6 (2 silver, 4 bronze)
493. Who got Silver medal for India in 2012 Olympics in the event Men's 25m rapid fire pistol? Vijay Kumar
494. Who was the captain of Kerala team in the 35th National Games? Preeja Sreedharan
495. The number of sports disciplines in the 35th National Games? 33
496. Which sports event in the 35th National Games had the largest number of medals? Aquatics (50)
497. Who secured the largest number of medals in the 35th National Games? Sajan Prakash
498. How many medals were won by Sajan Prakash in the 35th National Games? 8 (6 gold, 2 silver)
499. In which sports event Sajan Prakash is related? Swimming
500. Which state was represented by Sajan Prakash? Kerala
501. When did Kerala host National Games for the first time? 1987
502. How many districts in Kerala the venues of National Games 2015 arranged? 7
503. Which company owns the mobile messaging service "What's app"? Facebook
504. The venue of World Economic Forum 2014- Davos (Switzerland)
505. Who was chief guest of 2014 Republic Day Parade? Shinzo Abe (Japan)
506. The Keralite who became the Chief Justice of Uttarakhand- KM Joseph
507. The leader of opposition in Rajya Sabha- Ghulam Nabi Azad
508. From which country Crimea declared independence? Ukraine
509. The light revolver launched in India for the safety of women- Nirbhекk
510. The venue of 2016 Olympics- Rio de Janeiro
511. In which country is Rio de Janeiro- Brazil
512. Which Uniformed Force deployed two woman squads to curb the Maoists in Chhattisgarh and Jharkhand? CRPF
513. The controversial spiritual leader in Haryana arrested by police in 2014 November -Ram Pal
514. The Commission that submitted its report on Gujarat riots in November 2014 after enquiry for 12 years- Nanavati Commission
515. How many times the tenure of Nanavati Commission was extended? 24
516. In which year Nanavati Commission was appointed? 2002
517. The Miss Honduras who was seen murdered in November 2014 along with his sister- Maria Jose Alvarado
518. As per the report of UNO, which country leads in murder rate? Honduras
519. Who shared the National Award for best actor with Suraj Venjaramoodu for his performance in the film Shaheed? Rajkumar Rao
520. Who directed the film "Ship of Theseus" which is selected in 61st National Award for best film? Anand Gandhi
521. Who got 61st national award for best film director? Hansal Mehta (Film: Shaheed)
522. Which movie got the 61st National Award for best popular film? Bhag Milkha Bhag (Hindi)
523. Who directed the film "Crime Number 89" which got state award for best feature film? Sudevan
524. For the performance in which movie Ann Augustine was selected for the state award for best actress? Artist
525. Who got 2013 Mathrubhumi Sahitya Puraskaram? Sugathakumari
526. Who was appointed as Governor of Kerala when Sheila Dixit resigned? P.Sathasivam
527. Native state of P.Sathasivam- Tamil Nadu
528. Which post was held by P.Sathasivam till 2014 April? Chief Justice of India
529. Who got 61st National Award for best actor? Suraj Venjaramoodu
530. The acting in which film made Suraj Venjaramoodu eligible for the National Award? Perariyathavar
531. Who directed the movie "Perariyathavar"? Dr.Biju
532. To which sports Tintu Lukka, Arjuna Award winner is related? Athletics
533. Which novel by K.R.Meera selected for Kerala Sahithya Academy Award? Aarachar
534. The largest and heaviest rocket of India- GSLV Mark III
535. The bill that was given assent by the President on 12th May 2014- Whistleblowers Bill
536. The aim of Whistle blowers' Bill- To protect those who fight against corruption
537. The 6th Indian Language to get classical language status- Odiya (After Tamil, Kannada, Telugu, Sanskrit and Malayalam)
538. The deputy speaker of the 16th Lok Sabha- M. Thampi Durai
539. The first leader to become deputy speaker twice- M. Thampi Durai
540. The political party of Thampi Durai- AIADMK
541. Prestigious educational institution started by Madan Mohan Malavya celebrating centenary in 2016- Benaras Hindu University
542. The hero of the controversial film 'Messenger of God'- Gurmit Ram Rahim Singh
543. Which order of faith is headed by Gurmit Ram Rahim Singh- Dera Sacha Sauda
544. The first total broad band district in India- Idukky
545. Who scored the fastest century in one day cricket- De Villiers
546. From how many balls did De Villiers score the fastest century- 31
547. Nationality of De Villiers- South Africa
548. While playing against which team De Villiers scored fastest century- West Indies
549. The new chairman of African Union- Robert Mugabe
550. In which country Robert Mugabe is the president- Zimbabwe
551. The former Lok Sabha secretary general who was conferred Padmabhushan in 2015- Subhash C. Kashyap
552. How many people were conferred Padmabhushan in 2015- Nine
553. What is the insurance amount for Nuclear disaster as per the Liabilities Act of India- 1500 crore
554. The winners of women's doubles in 2014 Wimbledon Tennis Championship- Sara Errani and Roberta Vinci
555. The nationality of Sara Errani and Roberta Vinci- Italy
556. In which state Uri- II hydel project was inaugurated- Jammu and Kashmir
557. Eminent jurist who was appointed judge of Supreme Court in 2014 along with Arun Mishra and Adarsh Kumar- Rohinton Fali Nariman
558. Which judicial body ordered to restore the beauty of the famous Dal Lake in Jammu and Kashmir? - Supreme Court of India
559. Nicolas Sarkozy who was arrested in charge of corruption was the former president of France
560. In which country Eduard Shevardnadze Georgia who passed away in 2014 July served as foreign minister- Soviet Union
561. The quiz programme of National Health Mission for school students- Arogyatharalam
562. The project of Health Department to donate organs of people who suffered brain death- Mritisanjeevani
563. The rural insurance scheme for landless people- Aam Aadmi Bhima Yojana
564. The government project for installing street lights in cities of Kerala- Nagarajyoti
565. The scheme launched to double the production of paddy- "Ellarum Padathekkku"
566. The scheme of postal department to provide Tappals to addressees from 8.30 morning onwards- Suprabhatam
567. The scheme to provide free medical aid to children below 18 years- Arogyakiranam
568. Which Department launched the scheme "Saranya" to provide support women without husbands- Labour
569. The first proposed bullet train of India will be launched in which route? Mumbai- Ahmedabad
570. The sreesakthi express inaugurated by Narendra Modi in July 2014 will connect New Delhi and which place? Katra
571. Alfredo de Stephano who passed away in July 2014 was related to which sports? Football
572. Who was appointed as the chairman of International Cricket Council in 2014? N Sreenivas
573. Which animal was declared as the state animal by Government of Rajasthan? Camel
574. Who won liberty medal 2014? Malala Yousafzai
575. Where is Salarjung Museum which celebrated its 125th anniversary in 2014? Hyderabad
576. Which literary project initiated by the State Literary Mission is to be extended to all panchayats in Kerala? Atulyam
577. Which Irish writer won the 2014 Bailey Woman Prize for fiction? Eimear McBride
578. Who was appointed as the CEO and MD of Infosys in 2014? Vishal Sikka
579. Name the Baltic country that adopted Euro as its official currency from 1st January 2015? Lithuania
580. Which US based company purchased the satellite firm Skybox imaging for 500 billion US Dollar- Google
581. In which state, Government has notified to provide 12% job reservation for candidates coming under below poverty line? Sikkim
582. Who became the chief minister of Andhra Pradesh in 2014? N Chandrababu Naidu
583. Who got the first Balyakalasakhi award? Chemmanam Chacko
584. Who got Pen Pinter Award 2014? Salman Rushdie
585. In which European country Philip VI assumed power as the new king in 2014? Spain
586. The venue of BIMSTEC summit 2014- Naipidow (Myanmar)
587. The states where assembly elections were held in 2014 along with Lok Sabha polls- Andhra Pradesh, Odisha, Sikkim, and Arunachal Pradesh
588. The Indian writer who got the Award of Yale University in 2014? Pankaj Mishra
589. The winner of Asia Cup Cricket Tournament in 2014- Sri Lanka
590. Gopinath Munde who was killed in a road accident in 2014 was the Union minister in charge of the portfolio of: Rural development
591. Which country was expelled from G-8? Russia
592. The winner of first Hockey World League- Netherlands
593. With which country India made the naval exercise named Sumbex 14 in Andaman sea? Singapore
594. The host of the 35th National Games- Kerala
595. The host of 36th National Games- Goa
596. The team that won Indian Premier League in 2014- Kolkata Knight Riders
597. To which post Ajith Kumar Doval was appointed in 2014? National Security Advisor
598. The first smart city launched by Union Government under its new project? Delhi
599. Name the first warship built by India for a foreign country- CGS Barracuda
600. For which country the Kolkata based Public sector enterprise, Garden Reach Ship Builders and Engineers Limited? - Mauritius

