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CURRENT AFFAIRS - 2018

JULY - 11

INDIA

'The Eat Right Movement'

- ❖ The Food Safety and Standards Authority of India (FSSAI) has launched 'The Eat Right Movement' to empower the citizens by improving their health and well-being.

BSNL

- ❖ State-run telecom firm BSNL has become the India's first Mobile operator to launch Internet Telephony Services.

"Institutions of Eminence"

- ❖ The Union Human Resource Development (HRD) Ministry has granted "Institutions of Eminence" (IoEs) status to IIT-Delhi, IIT-Bombay and Indian Institute of Science (IISc) and Manipal Academy of Higher Education, BITS Pilani and Jio Institute by Reliance Foundation in the private sector.

INS Sumitra

- ❖ The Indian naval ship INS Sumitra became the first-ever warship to enter port of Sabang in Indonesia.

Ease of doing business rankings

- ❖ Andhra Pradesh has topped

WORLD

Global Innovation Index (GII-2018)

- ❖ India has been ranked 57th

APPOINTMENTS

- ❖ Dr. Sandeep Sancheti, has assumed charge as the 97th President of the Association of Indian Universities (AIU)

AWARDS

- ❖ The Western Ghats (India) bagged the 4th best tourist spot in “2018 Best in Asia”

IMPORTANT DAYS

- ❖ **July 11** - The World Population Day
- ❖ The 2018 theme is “Family planning is a human right”.