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Mukesh Ambani

Reliance Industries CMD Mukesh Ambani became the first Indian and the only Asian to enter the Global top 10 richest billionaire list.

Chris Gayle

He is a West Indian Opener batsman. Recently he became the first player in the World to hit 500 sixes in International cricket.



Ajay Narayan Jha

He became the member of 15th Finance Commission in place of Shaktikanta Das. He is a 1982 batch IAS officer of Manipur cadre.



Usha Thorat

RBI has constituted a task force headed by its former deputy governor, Usha Thorat to examine issues related to offshore rupee markets and recommend policy measures.



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Hasmukh Adhia

The ex-finance secretary has been appointed as non-executive chairman of Bank of Baroda for three years.



Anil Kumble

He was re-appointed ICC (International Cricket Council) Cricket Committee Chairman for a final 3 year term.



Randhir Singh

He has been appointed as the Chairman of Coordination Committee of 2022 Asian Games which will be hosted in Hangzhou, China.



Soumya Swaminathan

She has been appointed as Chief Scientist at WHO. She is currently a Deputy Director-General of the World Health Organisation (WHO).

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Ajiy Kumar Mohanty

He has been appointed as the Director of Bhabha Atomic Research Centre. Currently, he is Director of Physics Group, BARC

Padma Lakshmi

She is an Indian – American television personality, She has been named as Goodwill Ambassador of UNDP.



Raghuram Rajan

He has been awarded Yashwantrao Chavan National Award 2018 for his outstanding contribution towards national integration.



Padamnaban Gopalan

He is founder of No Food Waste. He has won the Commonwealth Youth Award for the Asian Region.



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M.R. Kumar

The Centre has appointed MR Kumar as the Chairman of the insurance behemoth Life Insurance Corporation. He will hold the Chairman post for five years,

Amitabh Kant



He is CEO of NITI Aayog. He is going to head the National Mission on Transformative mobility and Storage.



Pramod Sawant



He was former speaker of Goa Legislative Assembly. He has sworn as Chief Minister of Goa.

Justice P.C. Ghosh



Former SC judge became the country's first Lokpal, the anti-corruption ombudsman.