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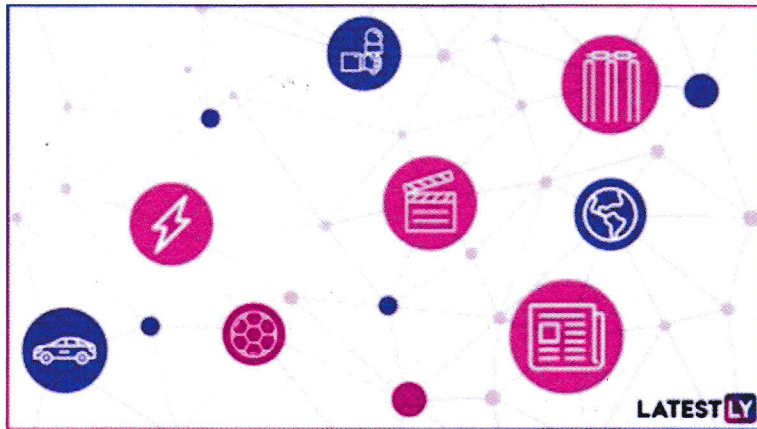
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Kolkata, Feb 04 (UNI) The Bengal Chamber of Commerce and Industry (BCC&I) is organizing its tenth (10th) edition of the Annual Shipping and Logistics Conclave 2020-21 titled "Kolkata – The Hub of Logistics for Bay of Bengal and Gateway to the North East and Neighbouring Countries" on 4th, 5th and 6th February on Virtual Platform.

The Shipping and Logistics Industry is passing through a phase of uncertainty due to an over tonnage situation, unhealthy competition, drop in international trade, ever increasing operational costs, etc. leading to a downturn in the global maritime trade as well as in the logistics business in the international market.

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Patna, Sept 07 ( UNI) In a major decision, Bihar cabinet on Tuesday approved the appointment of 46,000 teachers and headmasters in schools across the state.

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Patna, Sept 07 (UNI)BJP Rajya Sabha MP Sushil Kumar Modi on Tuesday said that the statement of Chhatisgarh Chief Minister Bhupesh Baghel's father Nand Kumar Baghel about Brahmins was "unfortunate"and highly condemnable.

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Gangtok,Sept 7 ( UNI ) ' Indian Army on Tuesday flagged off a cycling expedition from Chungthang in North Sikkim. The team comprising 12 personnel from Trishakti Corps are cycling across rugged mountains and high altitude areas of North Sikkim, covering remote villages, showcasing the valour and the glorious achievements of the Indian Armed Forces.

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Shillong, Sep 7 (UNI) With growing demand for his suspension, Meghalaya Director-General of Police (DGP), R Chandranathan has applied for seven days casual leave from September 10 onwards, official sources said on Tuesday.

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