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TNPSC BITS

- ❖ The “Indo-Pacific Regional Dialogue 2023” (IPRD-2023), the three-day annual apex-level regional strategic dialogue of the Indian Navy, was held in New Delhi.
- ❖ Alok Sharma, a senior Indian Police Service (IPS) officer from the Uttar Pradesh cadre, was appointed as the director of the Special Protection Group
- ❖ The 37th Infantry Commanders’ Conference was held at the Infantry School in Mhow, Madhya Pradesh.
- ❖ The 3rd Hockey India Senior Women Inter Department National Championship 2023 inaugurated at Shivaji Stadium, New Delhi.
- ❖ The 10th ASEAN Defence Ministers' Meeting - Plus (ADMM-Plus) was held in Jakarta, Indonesia.
- ❖ Pakistan-based cleantech startup She-Guard emerged victorious at the ‘Climate Launchpad Asia-Pacific’ finals.
- ❖ The United States hosted the Asia Pacific Economic Cooperation Summit 2023.
- ❖ The executive board of the International Monetary Fund (IMF) approved a proposal to make a 50 per cent increase in the quota allocated to members in proportion to their current quotas.
- ❖ To promote sustainable and eco-friendly constructions in the domestic housing sector, the Indian Green Building Council (IGBC) of the Confederation of Indian Industry launched a rating and certification initiative ‘Nest’.
- ❖ The 2023 Olympic Cup has been awarded to the Taekwondo Humanitarian Foundation (THF) in recognition of its long-term commitment to supporting refugee athletes and refugees worldwide through taekwondo.
- ❖ Shital Mahajan, Indian skydiver, has achieved a new feat by becoming the first woman in the world to jump off a helicopter from the height of 21,500 feet in front of Mt Everest.
- ❖ India batter Virat Kohli was adjudged Player of the Tournament of the ODI World Cup 2023 for his historic 765 runs in 11 innings.
 - He surpassed Sachin Tendulkar's previous record of 673 runs set in the 2003 edition.

- ❖ As UNESCO proclaimed, November 18 is observed as the International Day of Islamic Art.

NATIONAL

Selling Agreement and ownership

Sale	Agreement to sell
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● In the contract of sale, the buyer buys the product from the seller at the same time title of the good is transferred immediately. ● There are no such conditions to fulfil in the sale. ● Sales are like the completed contract. ● The buyer can recover the goods in the case when the seller sells the goods to another person. ● The buyer is responsible for the loss. ● The buyer does not have the right to sue for damages against the seller 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● In agreement to sell the title of goods is not immediately transferred. It remains on the seller itself, the title of goods is transferred on the future. ● Only by fulfilling the conditions, the title of goods is transferred. ● Agreement to sell is a nature of the contract which has to be complete ● <u>when</u> the seller sells the product to the other party the buyer cannot recover the goods. But he can claim for damages. ● The seller is responsible for the loss ● The seller cannot sue for the price but he can sue for damages.

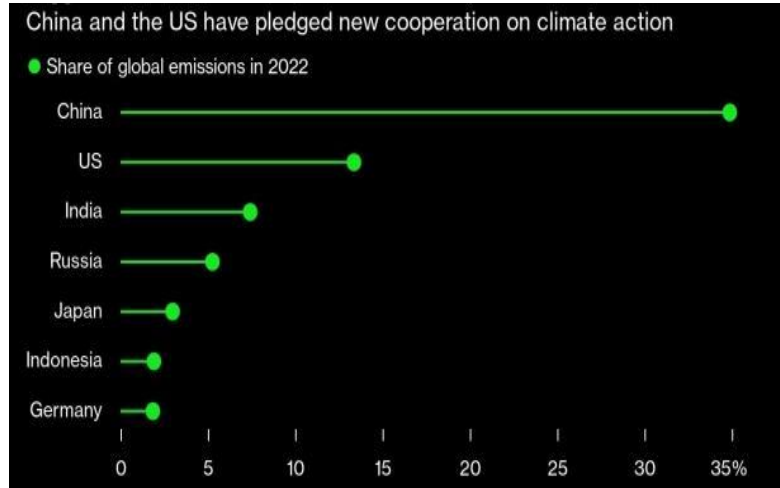
- ❖ An agreement to sell does not confer any title or transfer ownership to the intended purchaser, the Supreme Court reiterated in a recent order.
- ❖ The agreement to sell is not a conveyance; it does not transfer ownership rights or confer any title.
- ❖ As per the case, the intended purchaser had agreed to buy a property from the proposed seller and also paid the full amount.
- ❖ The possession was also handed over to the purchaser. However, when the seller refused to execute it.
- ❖ The intended purchaser filed a suit for specific performance in October 2001.

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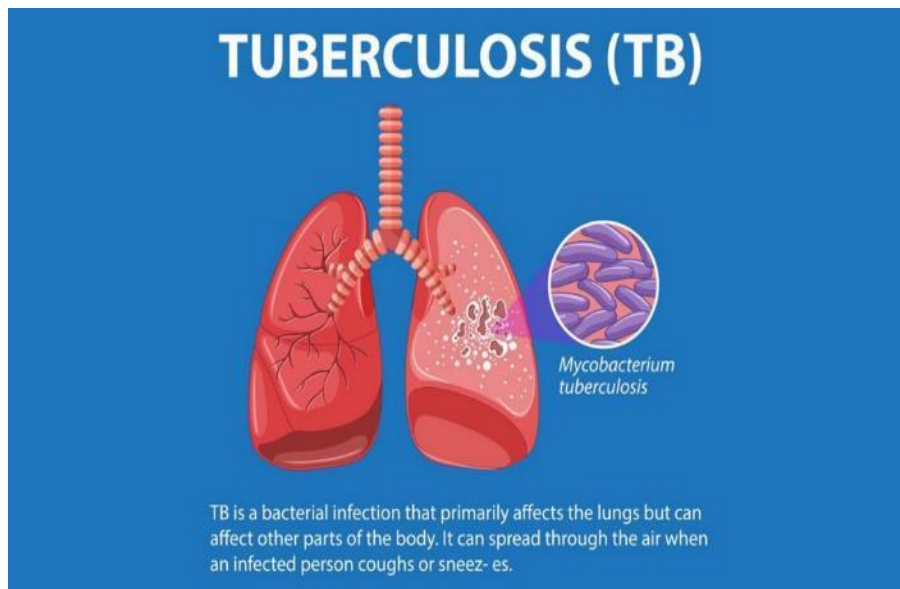
USA - China Climate Deal

- ❖ The United States and China have agreed to jointly tackle global warming by ramping up wind, solar and other renewable energy with the goal of displacing fossil fuels.
- ❖ But China not promised to phase out its heavy use of coal, the dirtiest fossil fuel, or to stop permitting and building new coal plants.

- ❖ But both countries agreed to “pursue efforts to triple renewable energy capacity globally by 2030.”
- ❖ This is the first time China has agreed to specific emissions targets in any part of its economy.



WHO's 2023 Roadmap to End Maternal Tuberculosis

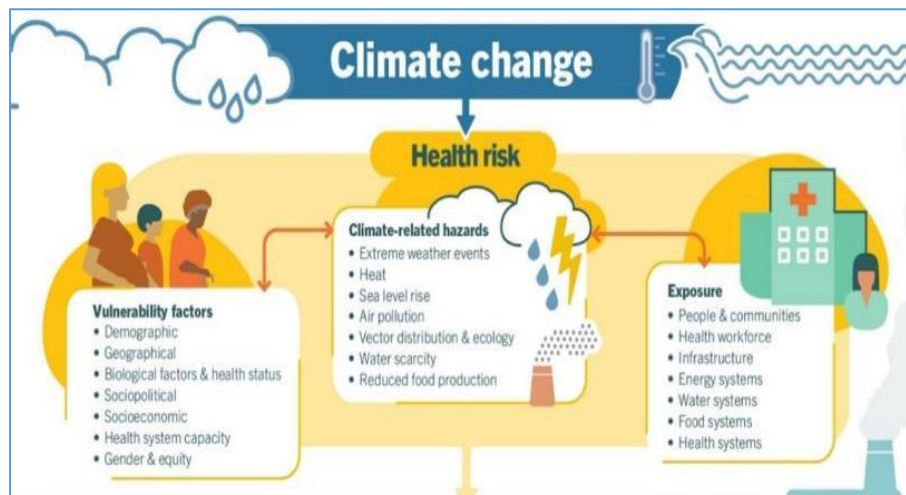


- ❖ The World Health Organization said in its revised 2023 roadmap toward ending tuberculosis among children and adolescents.
- ❖ The roadmap tells countries to provide 90 per cent of people at high risk of developing TB with access to preventive treatment by 2027.
- ❖ About 90 per cent of people living with TB should be diagnosed and treated by 2027.

- ❖ This translates to providing life-saving treatment for up to 45 million people between 2023 and 2027.
- ❖ It will be including up to 4.5 million children and up to 1.5 million people with drug-resistant tuberculosis.
- ❖ Only 19 per cent of the target to provide treatment for 115,000 children and young adolescents with multidrug-resistant tuberculosis (MDR-TB) and rifampicin-resistant TB (RR-TB) was met.
- ❖ Of the 1.3 million TB deaths in 2022, 214,000 TB deaths were of children 14 years old and below.
- ❖ As much as 96 per cent of deaths occurred in children who did not access TB treatment.

REPORTS AND INDICES

Countdown on Health and Climate Change



- ❖ The new global projections are part of the 8th annual report of the Lancet Countdown on Health and Climate Change.
- ❖ If temperatures rise by 2°C (over pre-industrial levels) by the end of the century then yearly heat-related deaths are projected to increase 370% by mid-century.
- ❖ India suffered a \$219-billion potential association income loss due to exposure to high temperatures.
- ❖ Also, 191 billion potential labour hours were lost due to heat exposure in 2022, a jump of 54 per cent from 1991-2000.
- ❖ Agricultural workers were hit the hardest, seeing 64 per cent of the potential hours lost and 5.5 per cent of the potential income losses in 2022.

- ❖ Globally, heat-related deaths of people older than 65 have increased by 85 per cent since the 1990s.

IMPORTANT DAYS

National Newborn Week 2023 - November 15/21

- ❖ It aims to raise awareness about the importance of newborn care for child survival and development.
- ❖ Every year, 26 lakh babies die within the first 28 days of life, typically most of them dying within the first week, and an additional 26 lakh stillbirths occur.
- ❖ In 2014, India was the first country to launch the India Infant Action Plan (INAP).
- ❖ In 2021, an e-event for National Newborn Week was hosted by MoHFW



World Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease Day 2023 - November 18



- ❖ World COPD Day is celebrated every year on the third Wednesday of November across the world.

- ❖ It is a global healthcare event to raise awareness of Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD).
- ❖ The theme for 2023 “Breathing is Life - Act Earlier”.

National Naturopathy Day 2023 - November 18

- ❖ It aims to raise awareness of the benefits of drug-free therapy in promoting good mental and physical health.
- ❖ Naturopathy holds a significant place in the realm of alternative medicine.
- ❖ Its core philosophy revolves around treating illnesses and fostering overall well-being by harnessing the healing potential of natural elements.
- ❖ It often intertwined with Ayurveda due to similarities in principles, objectives, and rules.
- ❖ The theme for this year is “Naturopathy for Holistic Health”.

