23.5% growth in Foreign Tourist Arrivals in April, 2017 over April, 2016

Ministry of Tourism compiles monthly estimates of Foreign Tourist Arrivals (FTAs) & FTAs on e- Tourist Visa on the basis of Nationality-wise, Port-wise data received from Bureau of Immigration (BOI).

<u>Separate Department of Disability</u> <u>Affairs to be set up by States</u>

Shri Thaawar Chand Gehlot, Minister for Social Justice & Empowerment while addressing the "15th National Review Meeting of State Commissioners for Persons with Disabilities on Implementation of Act-1995" stressed for the need that States should create/setup separate Department of Disability

<u>President of India condoles the</u> <u>passing away of Shri Anil Madhav Dave</u>

The President of India, Shri Pranab Mukherjee has condoled the passing away of Shri Anil Madhav Dave, Minister of State (IC), Ministry of Environment.

Minister of Railways Inaugurates Round Table Conference with Non Railway Stakeholders on Railway Security

Issues

Minister of Railways Shri Suresh Prabhakar Prabhu inaugurated the Round Table Conference with non Railway Stakeholders on Railway Security Issues.

Cabinet condoles the death of Union
Minister of State (Independent Charge)
for Environment, Forest and Climate
Change, Shri Anil Madhav Dave

The Union Cabinet has expressed profound sorrow at the sad demise of Shri Anil Madhav Dave, Union Minister of State (Independent Charge) for Environment, Forest and Climate Change at New Delhi, today.