

## **Indian Army Mountaineering Expedition to MT Makalu (8485M) 2019**

First Indian Army Mountaineering Expedition to Mt Makalu (8485 M) 2019 has been 'Flagged In' by Hon'ble Raksha Mantri Shri Rajnath Singh on 28 June 2019. The Indian Army Mountaineering team achieved a singular distinction by placing sixteen members on the summit of Mt Makalu, the fifth highest peak of the world, on 16 May 2019.

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## **Joint Statement on BRICS Leaders' Informal Meeting on the margins of G20 Summit**

We, the Heads of State and Government of the Federative Republic of Brazil, the Russian Federation, the Republic of India, the People's Republic of China and the Republic of South Africa, met on 28 June 2019 on the margins of the G20 Summit in Osaka, Japan.

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## **Flagging in Ceremony of NCC Girls Expedition to Mt Tenchenkhang**

All India National Cadet Corps (NCC) Girls' Mountaineering Expedition 2019 to Mt Tenchenkhang was 'Flagged In' by Lt General Rajeev Chopra, Director General NCC here on June 27, 2019. The expedition team came back after successfully summiting Mt Tenchenkhang (6010 Mtr) in west Sikkim.

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## **Govt to go ahead with Air India Disinvestment**

In a meeting on 28th June 2017, the Cabinet Committee on Economic Affairs had in-principle approved the consideration for strategic disinvestment of Air India & its five subsidiaries. An Air India Specific Alternative Mechanism (AISAM) was constituted by CCEA for this.

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## **Deadline to submit suggestions on draft of New Education Policy is extended till 31st, July 2019 – Dr Ramesh Pokhriyal ‘Nishank’**

Union HRD Minister Dr Ramesh Pokhriyal ‘Nishank’, while replying to the starred question in Rajya Sabha said that the deadline to submit suggestions on draft of New Education Policy is extended for a month i.e till 31st, July 2019.

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