## Swachh Shakti 2018: 15000 women Swachh Bharat champions to gather in Lucknow on International Women's Day

The Ministry of Drinking Water and Sanitation, in association with the Government of Uttar Pradesh, is organizing a Women's Convention — called Swachh Shakti 2018 — tomorrow, on International Women's Day, at Lucknow.

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Shri RK Singh launches National EMobility Programme in India;
congratulates EESL for installation of
50 lakh LED street lights

Shri R K Singh, Union Minister of State (IC) Power and New & Renewable Energy, launched the National E-Mobility Programme here, today. The Programme aims to provide an impetus to the entire e-mobility ecosystem including

vehicle manufacturers, charging infrastructure companies, fleet operators, service providers, etc.

The Programme will be implemented by Energy Efficiency Services Limited (EESL) which will aggregate demand by procuring electric vehicles in bulk to get economies of scale.

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## <u>Navika Sagar Parikrama - Tarini Enters</u> <u>Cape Town, South Africa</u>

INSV Tarini entered Cape Town (South Africa) today during it's maiden voyage to circumnavigate the globe. This is the first-ever Indian circumnavigation of the globe by an all-women crew. The vessel is skippered by Lieutenant Commander Vartika Joshi, and the crew comprises Lieutenant Commanders Pratibha Jamwal, P Swathi, and Lieutenants S Vijaya Devi, B Aishwarya and Payal Gupta.

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