### **CURRENT AFFAIRS FEB'21.**

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### INTERNATIONAL

- \*Mario Draghi sworn in as the new PM of Italy.
- \*Donald Trump becomes the first US president to face impeachment twice.
- \*Nguyen Phu Trong re-elected as Chief of Ruling communist Party of Vietnam for the 3rd term.
- \*Myanmar leader, Aung San Suu kyi detained, military take over the country as 1 year of state emergency.
- \*Saudi Arabia permits the entry of women in armed forces.
- \* Ex President of France Nicholas Sarkozy sentenced to one year in jail on grounds of corruption.

# **NATIONAL**

- \*India becomes the fastest country in the world to reach more than 4 million COVID-19 vaccination mark.
- \*Narendra Modi to be awarded with the global energy and environment leadership award.
- \*World's largest stadium, Motera stadium in Ahmedabad, renamed as Narendra Modi stadium.
- \*President's rule in Puducherry. Kiran Bedi removed as the governor of Puducherry.
- \*India slips from 23rd to 53rd rank in International Democracy Index.
- \*The Election Commission of India announced the dates for assembly elections in Bengal, Assam, Tamil Nadu and Kerala.
- \*Glacier break off in Uttarakhand's Chamoli district, causes heavy floods. 100s of labourers go missing.
- \* Indian social activist Anjali Bhardwaj honoured with the International Anti-corruption Champions Award 2021, by US.
- \*Manassa Varanasi declared as the winner of VLCC Femina Miss world India, 2020.
- \*Nirav Modi to be extradited to India.
- \*Ayesha Aziz becomes India's youngest female pilot at 25.
- \*Bollywood actor, Rajiv Kapoor passes away at 58.

# SPORTS-

- \* India defeats England in 2nd day test in Motera.
- \*Novak Djokovic wins Australian Open 2021 tennis championship.

- \*R. Ashwin becomes the second fastest cricketer to reach 400 test wickets.
- \*Yusuf Pathan retires from all forms of cricket.
- \*Manika Batra wins singles title at 82nd national Table Tennis Championship.