

Current Affairs

May 1

1. KHNP submits bid for Czech Republic's nuclear power plant project *Source: The Korean Times*
https://www.koreatimes.co.kr/www/tech/2024/05/419_373748.html
2. Bonafide Mistake Committed By Assessee While Applying For Registration In Form 10AB Instead Of Form 10A, Merits To Be Condoned: Hyderabad ITAT *Source: LiveLaw*
<https://www.livelaw.in/tax-cases/hyderabad-itat-condone-mistake-assessee-registration-form-10ab-form-10a-256606>
3. Covishield Vaccine: Bereaved parents to take Serum Institute of India to Court following AstraZeneca's rare side effect admission *Source: The Economic Times*
<https://economictimes.indiatimes.com/industry/healthcare/biotech/pharmaceuticals/covishield-case-bereaved-parents-to-take-serum-institute-of-india-to-court-following-astrazenecas-rare-side-effect-admission/articleshow/109737411.cms?from=mdr>
4. Ruling faction rejects opposition's border demarcation proposal as 'dangerous for Armenia' *Source: JAM News* <https://jam-news.net/armenian-parliament-on-demarcation/>
5. ICJ rejects request to order Germany to stop selling arms to Israel *Source: The Guardian*
<https://www.theguardian.com/law/2024/apr/30/icj-rejects-request-to-order-germany-to-desists-arms-sales-to-israel>
6. The highest observatory on Earth sits atop Chile's Andes Mountains — and it's finally open *Source: Space*
[https://www.space.com/worlds-highest-observatory-tao-university-of-tokyo-atacama-opens#:~:text=The%20Japanese%20University%20of%20Tokyo,18%2C500%20feet\)%20above%20sea%20level.](https://www.space.com/worlds-highest-observatory-tao-university-of-tokyo-atacama-opens#:~:text=The%20Japanese%20University%20of%20Tokyo,18%2C500%20feet)%20above%20sea%20level.)
7. Uncovering the secret of long-lived stem cells *Source: Baylor College of Medicine*
<https://blogs.bcm.edu/2024/04/30/from-the-labs-uncovering-the-secret-of-long-lived-stem-cells/>
8. Only four G20 countries set for positive ecological footprint by 2050, study finds *Source: University of Sheffield*
<https://www.sheffield.ac.uk/news/only-four-g20-countries-set-positive-ecological-footprint-2050-study-finds>
9. The case for cautious optimism over state of Indian economy *Source: The Indian Express*
<https://indianexpress.com/article/opinion/editorials/the-case-for-cautious-optimism-over-state-of-indian-economy-9299745/>
10. PIL before Delhi High Court to curb deepfake videos during Lok Sabha elections *Source: Bar and Bench*
<https://www.barandbench.com/news/pil-delhi-high-court-curb-deepfake-videos-lok-sabha-elections>

Today In *History*

Find Out What happened On May 1

Important events of May 1

- *May Day (World Labor Day)*
- *Maharashtra Foundation Day*
- *Gujarat Foundation Day*

- **1707:** *The Kingdom of England and the Kingdom of Scotland merged and formed the Kingdom of Great Britain.*
- **1840:** *The Penny Black, the first adhesive postage stamp, was issued in the United Kingdom.*
- **1844:** *Hong Kong Police Force became the second modern police force in the world and the first in Asia.*
- **1851:** *Queen Victoria inaugurated the Great Exhibition in London.*
- **1886:** *A strike was held in America to fix the working hours for workers and from that day onwards, May 1 was declared as International Labour Day.*
- **1890:** *World Labor Day celebrated for the first time in the world.*
- **1897:** *Ramakrishna Mission started by Swami Vivekananda.*
- **1908:** *Prafulla Chaki shot himself after carrying out the Muzaffarpur bomb incident in 1908.*
- **1914:** *Car manufacturer Ford became the first company to impose an eight-hour working day for its employees.*
- **1923:** *In India, May Day started being celebrated in Chennai. Before this, there were 80 countries in India where May 1 was celebrated as Labor Day.*
- **1927:** *World Labor Day celebrated in India for the first time.*
- **1930:** *The ninth planet in the solar system named Pluto.*
- **1940:** *Olympic Games were canceled due to war.*
- **1945:** *The Soviet Red Army enters Berlin.*
- **1956:** *The polio vaccine developed by Jonas Salk was made available to the public.*
- **1960:** *Partition of Bombay province into Maharashtra and Gujarat.*
- **1960:** *Establishment of the Gujarat High Court.*

- 1961:** Cuban Prime Minister Dr. Fidel Castro declared Cuba a socialist nation and abolished the electoral process.
- 1972:** The country's coal mines were nationalized.
- 1977:** About 36 people were killed during Labour Day celebrations at Taksim Square in Istanbul.
- 1978:** Japan's Naomi Uemura became the first man to reach the North Pole alone.
- 1984:** Phu Dorjee succeeded in climbing Mount Everest without oxygen.
- 1993:** Sri Lankan President Ranasinghe Premadasa died in a bomb explosion.
- 1996:** The United Nations officially declared itself poor.
- 1998:** The resolution to admit Poland, Hungary and the Czech Republic into NATO was passed by the Senate.
- 1999:** Death penalty was abolished in Nepal in 1999.
- 1999:** Mireya Moscoso was appointed the first female President of Panama in 1999.
- 2000:** The International Inter-Parliamentary Union suspended Pakistan, Ivory Coast and Sudan from the membership of the Union in 2000 for dissolving the country's parliaments.
- 2001:** Jaish-e-Mohammed and Lashkar-e-Taiba declared terrorist organizations in the United States, India was included in the United States' special 301 list
- 2002:** On America's appeal, Israel withdrew its army from Hebron.
- 2003:** Appointment of American diplomat Paul Bremer as Administrator of Iraq.
- 2004:** Marek Belka became the new Prime Minister of Poland.
- 2004:** 10 new nations joined the European Union.
- 2005:** Saddam Hussein rejected the US offer of conditional release.

- 2007:** India ranked 9th in the ODI cricket rankings by ESPN.
- 2008:** President Pratibha Patil appointed seven new judges to the Allahabad High Court in 2008.
- 2008:** A Pakistani-backed Taliban militant group took control of the Dera Adam Khel town in the North West Frontier Province. Belarus ordered 10 US diplomats to leave the country.
- 2009:** Same-sex marriage was legalised in Sweden in 2009.
- 2010:** In Somalia's capital Mogadishu, about 30 people were killed and 70 were injured in two bomb attacks in the afternoon at the Abdalla Shidia Mosque, located near the crowded goat market, when members of the rebel organization "Islamic al-Shabab" (Movement of Warrior Youth) were offering prayers.
- 2011:** United States President Barack Obama confirmed that al-Qaeda leader Osama bin Laden had been killed in his compound in Abbottabad, northeastern Pakistan.
- 2013:** As a tribute to late Rameshbhai, on the occasion of his 62nd birthday celebration and Labor Day, in a function organized at Sarvodaya Ashram Tadianwa, material related to Rameshbhai on Bharatkosh was dedicated to the global readership.

Famous People born on May 1

- **1910:** *Senior administrative officer and former Governor of Kerala and Madhya Pradesh Niranjan Nath Wanchoo was born.*
- **1913:** *Balraj Sahni was born.*
- **1919:** *Indian playback singer Manna Dey was born.*
- **1927:** *Famous Hindi poet and contemporary critic Namvar Singh was born.*
- **1932:** *Indian politician S. M. Krishna was born.*
- **1951:** *Ramesh Bhai, social reformer and founder of Sarvodaya Ashram, Tadiyanawa, was born.*
- **1960:** *India's contemporary poet and writer Jagdish Vyom was born.*
- **1987:** *Israeli tennis player Shahar Pe'er was born.*