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## **Maharashtra State News**

INS Mumbai	Why in the news?
	<ul> <li>The Indian Naval Ship (INS) Mumbai is scheduled to make its first visit to Sri Lanka.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>About INS Mumbai: <ul> <li>INS Mumbai is the third of the Delhi-class guided missile destroyers, indigenously built and commissioned into the Indian Navy on 22 January 2001.</li> <li>Constructed at Mazagon Dock Limited in Mumbai.</li> <li>Participated in major Naval Operations: <ul> <li>Op Parakram (2002)</li> <li>Op Sukoon (2006): Evacuation of Indian, Nepalese, and Sri Lankan citizens from Lebanon.</li> <li>Op Rahat (2015): Evacuation of Indian and foreign nationals from Yemen.</li> </ul> </li> </ul></li></ul>
Lakhpati Didi	<ul> <li>Why in the news?</li> <li>PM addresses Lakhpati Didi Sammelan in Jalgaon, Maharashtra.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>About Lakhpati Didi:</li> <li>The Lakhpati Didi initiative is a significant program aimed at empowering women in rural India.</li> <li>Launched by the Indian government, this scheme focuses on helping women achieve financial independence by providing them with the necessary skills and resources to earn a sustainable income.</li> <li>Key Aspects of Lakhpati Didi: <ul> <li>Objective: To create three crore 'lakhpati didis' (prosperous sisters) across India by enabling them to earn at least ₹1 lakh per annum.</li> <li>Implementation: The scheme is implemented through Self-Help Groups (SHGs) and involves skill development, financial assistance, and capacity</li> </ul> </li> </ul>



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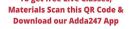
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	<ul> <li>building.</li> <li>Support: Women receive training in various skills such as plumbing, LED bulb making, and drone operation. They also get access to interest-free loans to start or expand their businesses.</li> <li>Impact: This initiative aims to uplift economically disadvantaged women, fostering entrepreneurship and improving their financial standing.</li> </ul>
Trade Marks Act, 1999	<ul> <li>Why in the news?</li> <li>The Bombay High Court has granted interim relief to Burger King in a trademark infringement case, restraining a Pune-based eatery from using the brand name until September 6.</li> <li>About Trade Marks Act, 1999:</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>It governs the registration, protection, and enforcement of trademarks.</li> <li>Purpose: The Act provides legal protection for trademarks, preventing unauthorized use and infringement.</li> <li>Trademark Definition: <ul> <li>A trademark includes any sign capable of being represented graphically and distinguishing the goods or services of one person from those of others.</li> <li>This can include words, logos, symbols, colors, shapes, and even sounds.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Rights Conferred by Registration: <ul> <li>Registration grants the owner exclusive rights to use the trademark in relation to the goods or services for which it is registered.</li> <li>The owner can prevent others from using an identical or confusingly similar mark.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Duration and Renewal: A registered trademark is valid for 10 years and can be renewed indefinitely for additional 10-year periods.</li> <li>Appellate Board: <ul> <li>The Act establishes an Intellectual Property Appellate Board (IPAB) to hear appeals against decisions of the register.</li> <li>This legislation is crucial for protecting brand identity and ensuring fair trade practices in the</li> </ul> </li> </ul>







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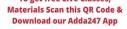


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