

## **14 April 2018 Current Affairs**

### **Bhanu Pratap Sharma replaces Vinod Rai as chairman of Banks Board Bureau**

The Union Finance Ministry has reconstituted Banks Board Bureau (BBB) and appointed former bureaucrat Bhanu Pratap Sharma as its chairman.

### **India hosts 16th International Energy Forum (IEF) Ministerial Meeting**

India, world's third-largest energy consumer after US and China hosted 16th International Energy Forum (IEF) Ministerial Meeting from 10-12th April 2018 in New Delhi. This is second time India hosting IEF Ministerial meeting.

### **CWG 2018: Neeraj Chopra, 1st Indian to win Gold in Javelin Throw**

Neeraj Chopra became the first Indian javelin thrower to claim a gold medal at the Commonwealth Games, with a season's best effort of 86.47m in the final.

### **Siddharth won Shorenstein Journalism Award**

Siddharth Varadarajan, the founding editor of The Wire, has won the Shorenstein Journalism Award. The award, given annually by Stanford University's Walter H. Shorenstein Asia-Pacific Research Center.

### **India pips Germany to be No. 4 car market**

India has become the fourth-largest passenger vehicle (PV) market globally for the first time ever, unseating Germany, in January and February 2018. India is behind China, US and Japan. Germany in the 5th position, followed by Brazil and France.

## **CWG 2018: Mary Kom, 1st Indian Woman to win CWG Boxing Gold**

Five-time world champion and Olympic bronze medallist MC Mary Kom has become the first Indian woman boxer to win a gold medal at the Commonwealth Games.

## **Germany top FIFA rankings, Brazil second**

The FIFA/Coca-Cola World Ranking of April 2018 ranked current world champions, Germany at the top despite one draw and defeat in March. Belgium moved up two places to the third rank, Portugal and Argentina each dropped a place to be ranked fourth and fifth respectively.