

EVERYDAY CURRENT AFFAIRS – APRIL 29, 2025

TAMIL NADU

➤ **Red-Button Robotic COP**

- ✓ In a bid to reduce the response time to emergencies at public places by at least 50%, the Greater Chennai Police will install 'Red-Button Robotic COP', a modern equipment, in 200 key locations.



- ✓ The cutting-edge system will enhance safety and confidence among the public, and render swift assistance during crisis, the police said.
 - ✓ By pressing the red button on the machine, anyone can instantly avail themselves of assistance in times of emergency.
- #### ➤ **T.N. to Remove 'Colony' from Official Records, Public Parlance**
- ✓ "Steps will be taken to remove the word from government documents and public parlance, has it has come to symbolise oppression and to indicate untouchability," Mr. Stalin said.



- ✓ Chief Minister M.K. Stalin on Tuesday announced in the Assembly that the term 'Colony' would be removed from official records and public parlance as it had come to symbolise oppression and carried the connotation of untouchability.
- ✓ "The term 'colony' has been used to derogatorily refer to the original inhabitants of this land. Steps will be taken to remove the word from government documents and public parlance.

NATIONAL

➤ National Manufacturing Mission

- ✓ The Government of India has initiated the National Manufacturing Mission to enhance the Make in India initiative.



- ✓ Announced during the Union Budget of 2025, this mission aims to increase manufacturing's contribution to India's GDP.
- ✓ Currently, manufacturing accounts for 16-17% of GDP, and the government seeks to elevate this share.
- ✓ Recently, the Indian government has established an interministerial committee to draft the framework for this mission.

SCHEMES

➤ Tamil Nadu Electronics Components Manufacturing Scheme

- ✓ Tamil Nadu Chief Minister M.K. Stalin on Wednesday (April 30, 2025) launched the Tamil Nadu Electronics Components Manufacturing Scheme, which aims to promote the production of electronic components in the State.



- ✓ An official release stated that Tamil Nadu, through this initiative, was expected to attract investments worth ₹30,000 crore and generate employment opportunities for 60,000 individuals.
- ✓ To attract companies that benefit from the Electronics Component Manufacturing Scheme of the Union Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology (MeitY), the Tamil Nadu government would offer incentives that match the subsidies announced under the Union government's scheme.

