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## CURRENT AFFAIRS ( 5th April )

### NATIONAL NEWS

- India Inks MOU to set Up Agriculture, Rural development Institute in Malawi.
- India has signed an MOU with the National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development consultancy Service (NABCONS) for setting up the India-Africa Institute of Agriculture (IAIARD) in Malawi, a landlocked country in southeastern Africa.
- 7th Foreign office Consultation between India and Italy held in Delhi.
- The 7th Foreign office consultation between India and Italy were held in New Delhi. The Indian side was led by secretary ( west), Ministry of External affairs, A Gitesh Sharma and the Italy side was led by General of Global Affairs of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Italy, Luca Sabbatucci.

### ECONOMIC AND FINANCIAL AWARENESS

- Karnataka Bank signs pact with Bharti AXA for Insurance Products.
- Karnataka Bank has entered into an MOU with Bharti AXA Life Insurance company to distribute the latter's life insurance products. The bank will be able to provide a wide choice of life insurance products to its customers across 836 branches, supported by the products of Bharati AXA Life Insurance Company.
- BSE, India INX Become First Indian Exchanges to Sign MOU with Moscow Exchange.
- BSE and India international Exchange have signed a memorandum of understanding with Moscow Exchange to connect investor community and companies in both countries besides allowing a capital formation platform.
- BSNL gets Licence for WIFI on Flights
- State-owned telecom service provider Bharatiya Sanchar Nigam limited (BSNL) has received a licence from the Department of Telecommunication to provide Internet and mobile service on flights. BSNL and its Satellites partner, Inmarsat, will able to offer in flights connectivity to airlines.



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