# Joint Statement on India-United Kingdom Defence Partnership

The UK Secretary of State for Defence Sir Michael Fallon is on a four-day visit to India from April 11, 2017. The India-UK delegation level talks were held here today where the UK side was led by Sir Michael Fallon while the Indian delegation was headed by the Defence Minister Shri Arun Jaitley.

### <u>Boost to Digital Payments Promotion on</u> <u>Ambedkar Jayanti</u>

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Prime Minister to release BHIM-Aadhar in Nagpur tomorrow

## <u>Aadhaar Seeding Application launched</u> <u>by Shri Bandaru Dattatreya</u>

The Central Board (EPF) under the chairmanship of Union Minster of State for Labour and Employment (Independent Charge) Shri Bandaru Dattatreya held its 217th special meeting in New Delhi today.

## <u>Pradhan Mantri Mudra Yojana (PMMY)</u> <u>crosses the target of Rs. 1.8 lakh</u> crore for 2016-17

Loans extended under the Pradhan Mantri Mudra Yojana (PMMY) during 2016-17 have crossed the target of Rs. 1,80,000 crore for 2016-17. Sanctions currently stand at Rs. 1,80,087 crore with final data still awaited from some

#### **Business Reform Action Plan 2017**

The Department of Industrial Policy and Promotion (DIPP), Ministry of Commerce and Industry, in partnership with the World Bank Group, released the Business Reform Action Plan (BRAP) 2017 for implementation by States/UTs on 13.04.2017.