

WEEKLY NEWS BULLETIN.

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Coalition Updates.

- On World Ocean Day, the Deep Sea Conservation Coalition and its members have sent a <u>letter</u> to the UN Secretary General, Antonio Guterres, urging to add his voice to the calls for a moratorium on Deep Sea Mining and towards ensuring a healthy ocean for future generations.
- Prithvi Trust, on the occasion of Menstrual Hygiene Day,
 organised a menstrual awareness camp with adolescent girls and

women in the mining affected areas of Panna, Madhya Pradesh. Issues around persisting menstrual taboos and stigmas, limited access to menstrual products, usage and its proper



disposal, poor menstrual hygiene and poor nutrition amongst girls and women were discussed. To address the secrecy taboo and to promote open talks around menstruation, a campaign was launched as 'Chuppi Todo Abhiyan' (Break the Silence Campaign).

Interesting Podcasts & Videos.

- Protecting Our Shared Wealth with Guy Standing
- The Ghost in Your Phone
- "American Electric Power (AEP) and House Bill 6: Dark Money,
 Corruption, and Power"

India News.

- <u>'Uninterrupted' mining can be carried out following partial nod:</u>
 <u>Centre</u>
- Who should own the world's lithium?
- An Inclusive Transition Must Recognise Coal Miners in India's
 Green Future
- <u>Citizens Fight To Restore Goa's Ecology: Revitalising Agriculture</u>
 <u>in Mining-Affected Areas</u>
- Owners in West Singhbhum iron ore belt can't reclaim land:
 Report
- Google leads funding round for Indian space startup Pixxel
- Preventing illegal mining is key priority in new climate policy in Rajasthan
- Future of coal, iron and steel
- Activist for probe into illegal mining on Raigad beaches

- Rampant illegal mining in Ganga river sparks worries
- India will not face any shortage of coal this year: Coal Minister
 Pralhad Joshi
- Complicity Of State With Mafia Operating In Illegal Mining Of
 Coal & Its Transportation Is Clear And Obvious: Meghalaya High
 Court Raps Govt
- Airborne gravity gradiometry, magnetics survey by OIL
- State-owned coal firms taking various measures to make mining sustainable: Minister Pralhad Joshi
- Locals stop Jamkani coal mining operations in Odisha
- What Happens to Locals' Jobs When an Abandoned Coal Mine
 Becomes a Tourist Spot?
- Stir against solar projects on pasture land in Rajasthan
- <u>Tata Group to set up Rs.13000 Crore lithium-ion cell</u>
 <u>manufacturing unit in Gujarat</u>
- <u>Desperate families displaced by Adani's Suliyari coal mine</u>
 <u>struggle to get lawful compensation</u>
- MNRE hosts "Women in Renewable Energy" event to accelerate
 India's energy transition
- More mining lease blocks being prepared in Rajasthan for exploiting mineral resources

International News.

- ExxonMobil attempts to reclaim seat on Extractive Industries

 Transparency Initiative Board, activists cite flawed process
- Putting the energy transition at the heart of the EITI Standard

- Why we need to respect Earth's last great wilderness the ocean
- Ghana Launches 2022 Extractive Industries Transparency
 Initiative (EITI) Mining & Oil/Gas Reports Covering the Period
 2020
- Ghana's Transition Minerals: No Time to Lose
- Coalmines pollute much more than their operators predicted when they sought approval
- Friends With (Metal) Benefits
- Chinese, Canadian mining companies dig deep in conflicted
 Balochistan
- Mongolia opens its mining & mineral sector for Indian companies
- Mining giant BHP faces \$280 million cost for underpaying staff
- Rich countries with high greenhouse gas emissions could pay
 \$170tn in climate reparations
- Greater possibility of India & Namibia collaboration in energy
 (oil & gas), green hydrogen and solar: Jaishankar
- How an insurance professional helped stop a massive coal mine
- Rich nations say they're spending billions to fight climate change. Some money is going to strange places.
- Hell Holes: Fossil fuel companies walk away from the lands they
 have devastated, often without paying a penny to restore them

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