

# WEEKLY NEWS BULLETIN.

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## Coalition Updates.

In a powerful display of creativity and cultural resilience, the
women of Panna, in the state of Madhya Pradesh, have
developed a song celebrating the benefits of mushrooms. This
self-composed song serves not only as a testament to their
newfound skills but also as a tool for spreading awareness
among their community and beyond.

The story of Panna's tribal women cultivating mushrooms is not

just about farming; it's a story of empowerment, resilience, and hope. For decades, the tribal communities of Panna have



struggled with economic hardships, often exacerbated by the need to migrate in search of livelihoods and battling silicosis.

Beyond economic benefits, mushroom farming has addressed critical issues of food and nutrition insecurity. Prithvi Trust has

built a mushroom shed in the village itself to provide training on mushroom production to women mine workers.

### Interesting Podcasts & Videos.

- The mind-blowing thing we get WRONG about energy
- How climate change is impacting tribals and forests in India
- The Dark Earth: Coal Mining and Tribal Lives of Jharkhand

#### India News.

- Centre expands area limits by over 4x to boost critical minerals mining
- How is India's hunt for critical minerals going? | Explained
- Centre asks Jharkhand to auction 10 mineral blocks, warns it
   will go ahead if state fails to do so
- How can the Ministry of Mines force Jharkhand State to auction valuable mineral blocks to private companies, violating the letter and the spirit of PESA/FRA Act?
- Letter to Supreme Court flags rampant sand mining in Karbi
   Anglong area
- Union Minister Hardeep Singh Puri Reviews Overseas Assets of Indian Energy PSUs
- India's coal sector to see major boost with new mine
   agreements, 40,560 jobs expected
- Petronet, Shell, Adani-Total push back against PNGRB's attempt to regulate LNG terminals
- Four Unexplored Indian Basins May Hold More Oil Than The Permian

- Three die of asphyxiation at illegal coal mine in Gujarat
- With revival of mining, Goa will have revenue surplus of Rs
   1,720 cr: Sawant
- Vedanta seeks \$1 billion in upsized share placement
- Odisha government sanctions Rs 4.11 billion renewable energy projects
- Rajasthan govt begins to process to explore coal bed methane
   reserves

#### International News.

- World Must Adopt Approach To Protect Human And Planetary
   Health: UNEP
- <u>Deep sea mining debate heats up in Jamaica amidst regulatory</u>
   <u>concerns</u>
- The International Seabed Authority Must Change Course Amid
   Series of Scandals
- Three Major Insurers Exclude Deep Sea Mining Reflecting A
   Growing Industry Trend
- Philippines must say a firm 'no' to seabed mining
- The Corporate Capture of Global Economic Governance: A feminist call for multilateralism, not multistakeholderism
- Building trust through transparency: The 2023 EITI Standard in Latin America & the Caribbean
- <u>Shaping the future: Advancing collective action for impactful beneficial ownership transparency</u>
- International Court of Justice climate ruling should include legal duty to protect climate-stabilizing biodiversity

- Germany Chancellor plans lithium deal with Serbia after Rio ruling
- How Fossil Fuels Drive Inflation and Make Life Less Affordable
   for Canadians
- Clean energy minerals: Tanzania's dark side to 'a new dawn'
- NZ plays catch-up in critical minerals race
- Global battery demand to quadruple by 2030

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