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## DAILY DOSE

### CURRENT AFFAIRS – 03/03/2026

#### 1. Homemaking Recognised as a Legally Relevant Role with Significant Economic Value:

**Recent** - The Delhi High Court ruled that homemaking is a legally relevant role whose economic value must be considered in maintenance decisions.

**Earning Capacity:** Educational qualifications or the ability to work alone cannot justify denying maintenance, as earning capacity differs from actual income.

**Joint Property:** Property acquired during marriage qualifies as a joint contribution because a homemaker's labour builds the savings that fund such purchases.

#### 2. India-Canada Formally Resume CEPA Negotiations:

**Recent** - Canadian PM Mark Carney concluded his state visit to India, signalling a reset in bilateral diplomatic relations.

**Fuel Security:** Canada's Cameco will supply uranium ore concentrates from 2027 to 2035 to support India's nuclear energy expansion.

**Trade Talks:** Negotiations for the Comprehensive Economic Partnership Agreement (CEPA) formally resumed, with a target to conclude by end-2026.

**Trade Target:** A \$50 billion bilateral trade target was set for 2030.

#### 3. Space Re-entry and Gaganyaan Return System:

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**Recent** - Space re-entry is a crucial aspect of India's Gaganyaan Mission to ensure the safe return of astronauts to Earth.

Space re-entry describes the process by which a spacecraft or crew capsule returns from orbit and safely passes through Earth's atmosphere to land on the surface.

**De-orbit Burn:** The spacecraft reverses direction and activates engines before re-entry to reduce orbital speed (~28,000 km/h). This enables gravity to pull it into the atmosphere.

**Re-entry Corridor:** It is a narrow, specific angle at which a spacecraft must enter Earth's atmosphere to avoid burning up or bouncing back into space.

## 4. Forest Owlet (*Heteroglaux blewitti*):

**Recent** - a rare Forest Owlet (*Heteroglaux blewitti*) was sighted for the first time at Kuno National Park (KNP) in Madhya Pradesh.

Forest Owlet is an endemic owl species rediscovered in 1997 after being presumed extinct for over 100 years.

**Habitat Preference:** The species inhabits dry deciduous forests dominated by teak with an open canopy and dense undergrowth.

**Distribution:** The owl is restricted to central India with fragmented populations in Madhya Pradesh, Maharashtra, and Gujarat.

## 5. Debrigarh Wildlife Sanctuary to Host Second 'Indian Bison Fest':

**Recent** - Debrigarh Wildlife Sanctuary is hosting the second edition of the Indian Bison Fest to promote conservation of the Indian Bison (Gaur) through community-led eco-tourism.

Debrigarh Wildlife Sanctuary is a dry deciduous forest in western Odisha, popularly known as the "Land of Bisons."

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Boundary: The sanctuary is bound on the east and north by the Hirakud Reservoir, formed by the Hirakud Dam on the Mahanadi River.

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