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CURRENT AFFAIRS – 18/04/2026

1. PM Gati Shakti – Logistics Data Bank Expansion:

Recent: Expansion of the Logistics Data Bank (LDB) under PM Gati Shakti.

Objective: Improve real-time tracking of cargo movement across India.

Key Feature: Integration with ports, railways, and highways for seamless logistics.

Significance: Reduces logistics cost and enhances supply chain efficiency.

2. National Quantum Mission:

Recent: Government reviewed progress under the National Quantum Mission.

Objective: Develop quantum computing, communication, and sensing technologies.

Key Focus: Indigenous quantum hardware and secure communication systems.

Significance: Strategic importance in cybersecurity and advanced computing.

3. Green Credit Programme Implementation:

Recent: Guidelines operationalised for the Green Credit Programme.

Objective: Incentivise voluntary environmental actions like afforestation.

Mechanism: Individuals and organisations earn tradable green credits.

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Significance: Market-based approach to environmental conservation.

4. e-NAM (National Agriculture Market) Strengthening:

Recent: New features added to the e-NAM platform.

Objective: Enhance digital agricultural marketing and transparency.

Key Feature: Inter-state trade integration and better price discovery.

Significance: Supports farmers' income and agricultural reforms.

5. Ayushman Bharat Digital Mission (ABDM) Update:

Recent: Expansion of digital health IDs and integration of hospitals.

Objective: Create a unified digital health ecosystem.

Key Feature: Seamless access to medical records across providers.

Significance: Improves healthcare accessibility, efficiency, and data management.