



Media Coverage

of

INDIAN LIGHTHOUSE FESTIVAL

Organised by

*MINISTRY OF PORTS, SHIPPING
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DATE

23-25 September, 2023

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Fort Aguada, Goa

MEDIA COVERAGE- ENGLISH

PRE-INAUGURATION COVERAGE



Publication Name- **Economic Times**

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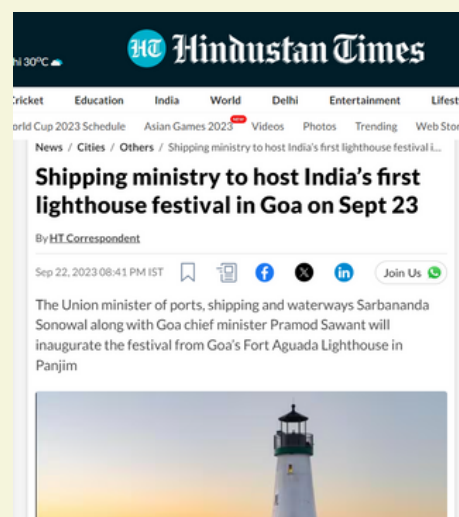
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Publication Name- **Hindustan Times**

Date- 23.09.2023

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<https://www.hindustantimes.com/cities/others/shipping-ministry-to-host-india-s-first-lighthouse-festival-in-go-a-on-sept-23-101695395490913.html>



Publication Name- **Press Trust of India**

Date- 23.09.2023

Link-

<https://www.ptinews.com/news/business/indias-first-lighthouse-festival-opens-in-go-a-spotlight-on-75-historical-sites-to-be-developed-as-major-tourist-destinations/656012.html>



MEDIA COVERAGE- ENGLISH

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Publication Name- **Times Now**

Date- 22.09.2023

Link-

<https://www.timesnownews.com/india/indias-first-lighthouse-festival-to-begin-in-go-a-on-september-23-know-details-article-103873468>



Publication Name- **The Statesman**

Date- 22.09.2023

Link-

<https://www.thestatesman.com/india/indias-first-lighthouse-festival-kicks-off-in-go-a-on-sat-1503224714.html>



Publication Name- **India**

Shipping News

Date- 22.09.2023

Link-

<https://indiashippingnews.com/indias-first-lighthouse-festival-begins-in-go-a-from-today/>



MEDIA COVERAGE- ENGLISH
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Publication Name- **Vartha Bharati**

Date- 23.09.2023

Link-

<https://english.varthabharati.in/india/indias-first-lighthouse-festival-opens-in-go>



India's First Lighthouse Festival Kicks Off In Goa On Sat



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India's First Lighthouse Festival Kicks Off In Goa On Sat

New Delhi/Goa, Sep 22 : Union Minister of Ports, Shipping & Waterways Sarbananda Sonowal will inaugurate India's first Lighthouse Festival from the iconic Fort Aguada lighthouse at Panjim in Goa on Saturday.



Publication Name- **TeluguStop**

Date- 22.09.2023

Link-

<https://english.telugustop.com/indias-first-lighthouse-festival-kicks-off-in-go-a-on-sat-latest-eng-news-11797056>

Publication Name- **New Kerala**

Date- 23.09.2023

Link-

<https://www.newkerala.com/news/2023/107760.htm>



MEDIA COVERAGE- ENGLISH

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Publication Name- **Times of India**

Date- 23.09.2023

Link-

<https://timesofindia.indiatimes.com/city/goa/indias-first-festival-putting-spotlight-on-lighthouses-kicks-off-in-go-a-today/articleshow/103874923.cms?from=mdr>

Publication Name- **CNBC Tv 18**

Date- 23.09.2023

Link-

<https://www.cnbctv18.com/travel/culture/indian-lighthouse-festival-begins-in-go-a-government-to-develop-75-structures-into-tourist-hubs-17866101.htm>

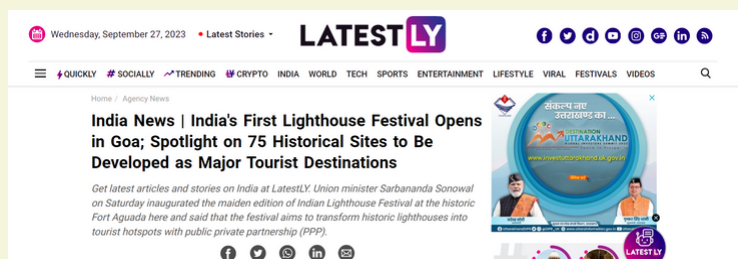


Publication Name- **Latest LY**

Date- 23.09.2023

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Publication Name- **YVGR News**

Date- 23.09.2023

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<https://vygrnews.com/travel/india-s-first-lighthouse-festival-begins-in-go>

Publication Name- **AIZ Goa News**

Date- 23.09.2023

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Publication Name- The Hindu

Date- 25.09.2023

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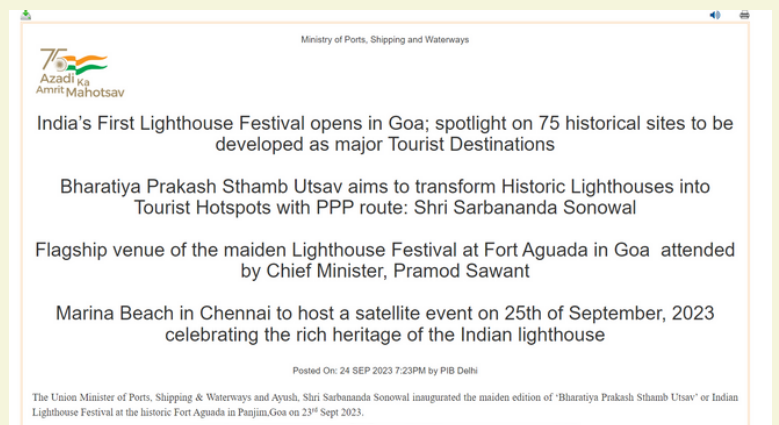
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Publication Name- PIB

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<https://pib.gov.in/PressReleaseIframe.aspx?PRID=1960187>



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Publication Name- **NDTV India**

Date- 24.09.2023

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<https://www.ndtv.com/video/news/news/will-not-compromise-on-cultural-heritage-of-lighthouses-minister-sarbananda-sonowal-727013>

Publication Name- **Times of India**

Date- 25.09.2023

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<https://timesofindia.indiatimes.com/city/goa/at-lighthouse-fest-in-go-centre-guides-investments-to-indias-new-tourism-hubs/articleshow/103920164.cms>



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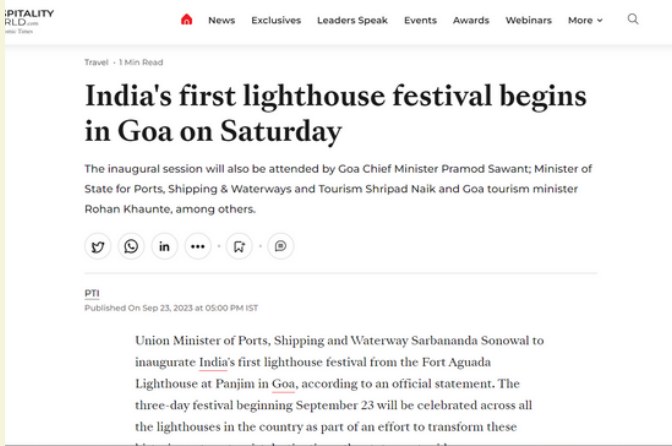
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Publication Name- **ET Hospitality**

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Publication Name- **Blitz India**

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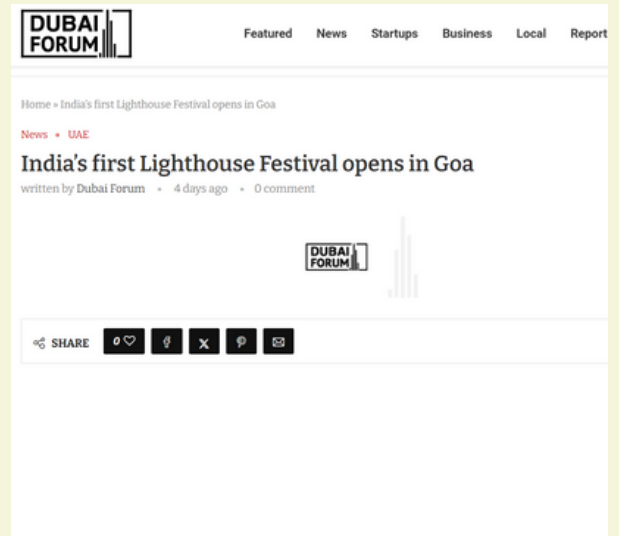
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Big News: India's first lighthouse festival starts in Goa, PM Modi's rally in Telangana on October 1 – India's first lighthouse festival opens in Goa Big News In Hindi Pipa News



Publication Name- **Pipa News**

Date- 24.09.2023

Link- <https://pipanews.com/big-news-indias-first-lighthouse-festival-starts-in-go-a-pm-modis-rally-in-telangana-on-october-1-indias-first-lighthouse-festival-opens-in-go-a-big-news-in-hindi-pipa-news/>

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Publication Name- **Media Mangalam**

Date- 25.09.2023

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Upcoming Events Mariners Bay Resort, Arambol, on Sept 26 6th edition of Serendipity Arts Festival

Goa

India's first lighthouse festival begins in Goa

The festival aims at promoting these historic spots as tourist destinations



Publication Name- **Gomantak Times**

Date- 24.09.2023

Link-

<https://english.mediamangalam.com/indian-lighthouse-festival-inaugurated-in-go/>

Publication Name- **Amar Ujala**

Date- 24.09.2023

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MEDIA COVERAGE- ENGLISH
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Publication Name- **The Hindu**

Date- 25.09.2023

Link-

<https://www.thehindu.com/news/national/lighthouse-festival-to-showcase-maritime-history/article67342225.ece>

Goa Lighthouse festival to showcase maritime history

The festival, according to the Centre, is aimed at rejuvenating the rich maritime history of the country's 75 iconic lighthouses

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India's FIRST Lighthouse Festival Inaugurated In Goa | DETAILS

Union Minister Sarbananda Sonowal on Saturday inaugurated the first edition of 'Bharatiya Prakash Sthamb Utsav' or Indian Lighthouse Festival at Goa's iconic Fort Aguada.

Times Now Digital | Updated Sep 25, 2023 | 12:00 AM IST

Publication Name- **Times Now**

Date- 25.09.2023

Link-

<https://www.timesnownews.com/india/indias-first-lighthouse-festival-inaugurated-in-go-a-details-article-103913563>

Publication Name- **PM India**

Date- 24.09.2023

Link-

https://www.pmindia.gov.in/en/news_updates/pm-expresses-happiness-over-inauguration-of-indian-lighthouse-festival-at-aguada-fort-in-go-a/?comment=disable

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PM expresses happiness over inauguration of Indian Lighthouse Festival at Aguada Fort in Goa

24 Sep, 2023

The Prime Minister, Shri Narendra Modi said that he is glad to see growing enthusiasm towards Lighthouses as key tourist spots.

In a series of X posts, Union Minister for Ports, Shipping and Waterways, Shri Sarbananda Sonowal informed that he has inaugurated first ever Indian Lighthouse Festival at Aguada Fort in Goa along with Goa CM Shri Dr Pramod

MEDIA COVERAGE- ENGLISH
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Publication Name- **iGlobal News**

Date- 25.09.2023

Link-

<https://www.iglobalnews.com/headlines/pm-modi-cheers-first-ever-indian-lighthouse-festival-in-go>



Publication Name- **New Delhi Times**

Date- 25.09.2023

Link-

<https://www.newdelhitimes.com/lighthouse-festival-starts-at-go/>

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MEDIA COVERAGE- ENGLISH

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Publication Name- **Swarajya Magazine**

Date- 25.09.2023

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<https://swarajyamag.com/infrastructure/bharatiya-prakash-sthamb-utsav-heritage-lighthouses-to-be-developed-into-major-tourist-destinations-75-iconic-sites-identified>



Publication Name- **Saachi Baat**

Date- 27.09.2023

https://saachibaat.com/politics/today-top-news-27-september-2023/#google_vignette

Publication Name- **Yugmarg News**

Date- 25.09.2023

Link-

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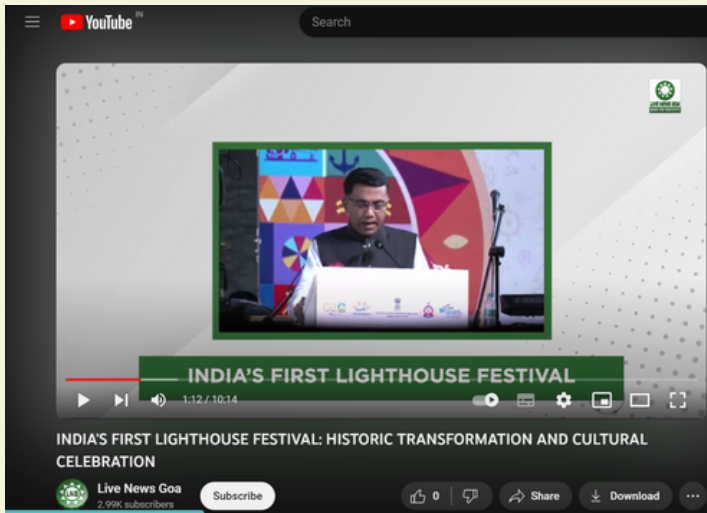
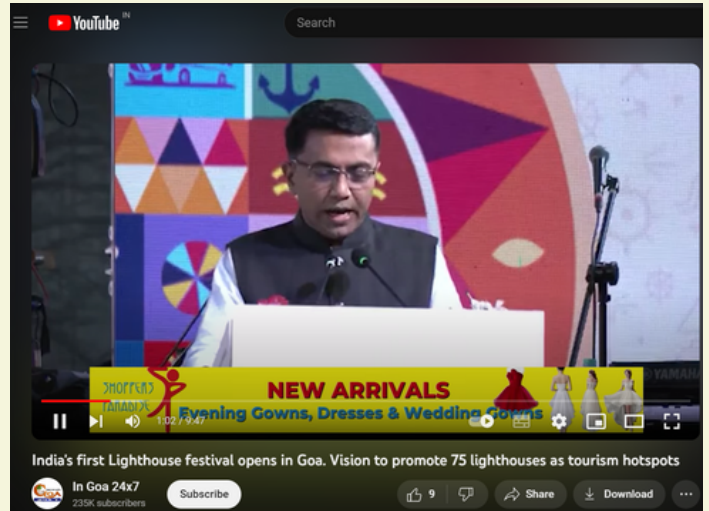
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Date- 25.09.2023

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Publication Name- **Live News Goa**

Date- 24.09.2023

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=F0j73KTaJXk>

Publication Name- **Prime Media Goa**

Date- 25.09.2023

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https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=abA_v_-DS9c



MEDIA COVERAGE- ENGLISH

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Publication Name- **Curious Times**
Goa

Date- 25.09.2023

Link-

<https://curioustim.es.in/news/discover-go-a-lighthouse-festival-maritime-wonders/>



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India's first lighthouse festival took place in Goa

India witnessed a historic event as the country's first-ever lighthouse festival illuminated the picturesque state of Goa. Organized by the Union Ministry of Ports, Shipping, and Waterways.

Sumit Arora Published On September 25th, 2023



Publication Name- **Adda 24*7**

Current Affairs

Date- 25.09.2023

Link-

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=abA_v_-DS9c

Publication Name- **Affairs Cloud**

Date- 26.09.2023

Link-

<https://affairscloud.com/current-affairs-26-september-2023/>

NATIONAL AFFAIRS

India's First Lighthouse Festival Held in Goa to promote Lighthouses as Tourist Destinations



The First edition of 'Bharatiya Prakash Sthamb Utsav' or 'Indian Lighthouse Festival', the 3 day long event to promote Lighthouses as Tourist Destinations was held in Goa from 23rd to 25th September 2023.

- The festival was inaugurated by Union Minister **Sarbananda** Sonowal, Ministry of Ports, Shipping & Waterways (**MoPSW**) at **Fort Aguada** in Panjim, Goa on 23rd September 2023.
- This festival was celebrated across all the lighthouses in India to promote historic spots i.e. Lighthouses as tourist destinations.
- It also highlights the invaluable role of lighthouses in the coastal regions.

MEDIA COVERAGE- ENGLISH

ELECTRONIC MEDIA COVERAGE (NATIONAL AND LOCAL)



Publication Name- **NDTV India**

Date- 24.09.2023

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<https://www.ndtv.com/video/news/news/will-not-compromise-on-cultural-heritage-of-lighthouses-minister-sarbananda-sonowal-727013>

Publication Name- **Goa 365**

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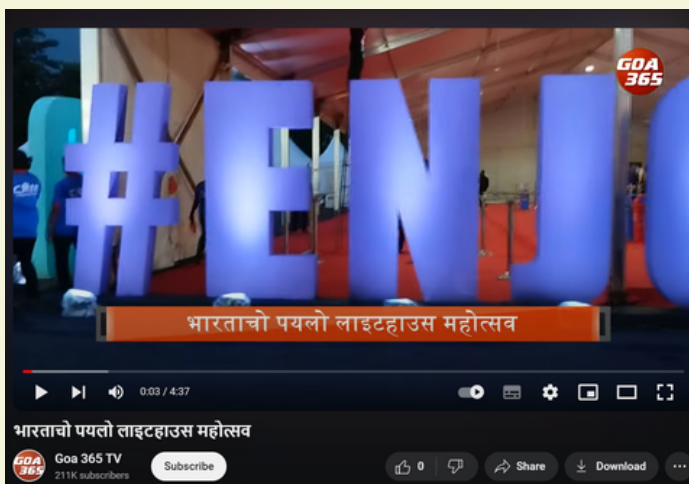


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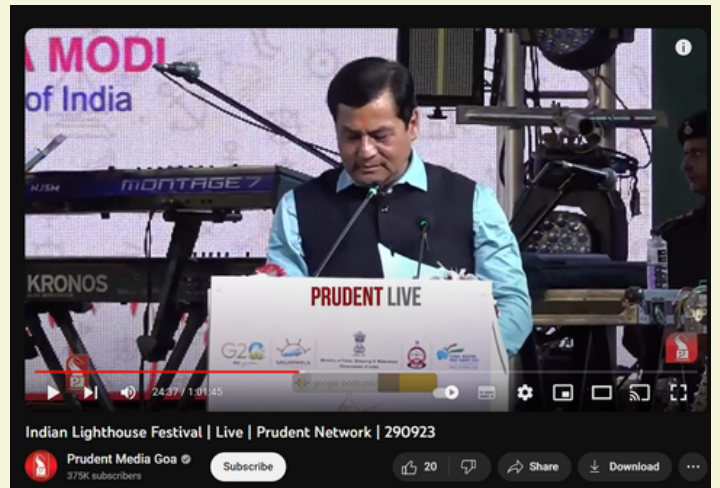
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Publication Name- **Prudent Media Goa**

Date- 23.09.2023

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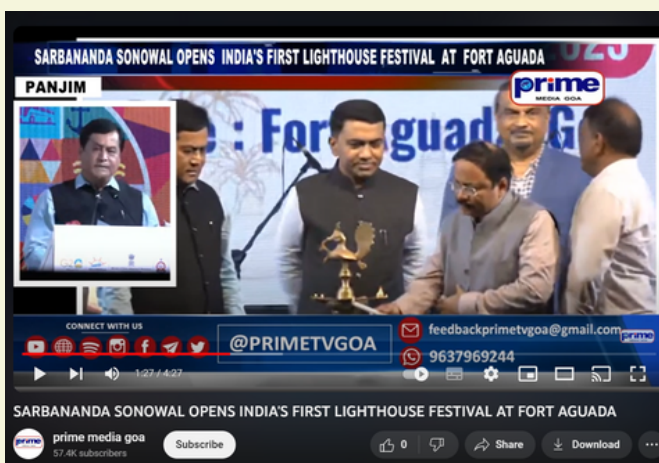


Publication Name- **Prime Media Goa**

Date- 25.09.2023

Link-

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xNhy21-sO-U>



MEDIA COVERAGE (LANGUAGE)



Publication Name- **Amar Ujala**

Date- 24.09.2023

Link-

<https://www.amarujala.com/india-news/india-first-lighthouse-festival-opens-in-go-big-news-in-hindi-2023-09-24>

Publication Name- **GS Times Hindi**

Date- 23.09.2023

Link-

<https://hindi.gstimes.in/current-affairs-in-hindi/indias-first-lighthouse-festival-opens-in-go/>



Publication Name- **Janta Se Rishta**

Date- 23.09.2023

Link-

<https://jantaserishta.com/local/goa/indias-first-lighthouse-festival-begins-in-go-2840802>



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Publication Name- **Gomantak Times**

Date- 25.09.2023

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<https://www.dainikgomantak.com/goa/goa-india-water-transport-vanguards-shores-lighthouses-testaments-past-present-foreign-invasion-union-ministry-of-ports-shipping-waterways-shipyard-gujrat-gbg92>

Publication Name- **Gomantak Times**

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<https://www.dainikgomantak.com/goa/first-indian-lighthouse-festival-held-at-aguada-fort-goarrrs99>



भारतीय पहिला 'लाईट हाऊस' महोत्सव आजपासून

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Publication Name- **Tarun Bharat**

Date- 23.09.2023

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