



India offers \$1-million aid to Papua New Guinea

- The Government of India has granted \$1 million as immediate assistance for Papua New Guinea, which has been hit by a devastating flood and landslide that has so far killed 2,000 people.
- Papua New Guinea is a member of Forum for India-Pacific Islands Cooperation (FIPIC).

FIPIC

- Established in 2014.
- Member countries 15
- Last Summit Papua New Guinea (2023)

T20 World Cup

- The 9th edition of the T20 World Cup will be held in the USA and the West Indies.
- 3 teams USA, Canada and Uganda are debuting in the ICC T20 World Cup series. Along with them Nepal, Papua New Guinea and Oman are also relatively new to the big stage.
- These are considered likely to deliver shock defeats to some of the stronger teams.