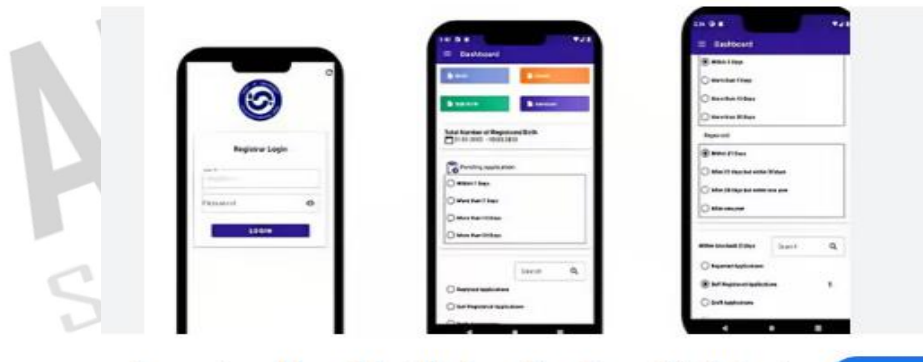




## EVERYDAY CURRENT AFFAIRS – OCTOBER 31, 2024

### SCHEMES

- **Mobile App for Hassle-Free Birth and Death Registration Launched**
- ✓ On October 29, 2024, Union Home Minister Amit Shah launched the Civil Registration System (CRS) mobile application, aimed at integrating technology into governance and simplifying the registration of births and deaths.



- ✓ This initiative aligns with the government's Digital India vision, designed to provide citizens with a seamless and efficient way to register vital events at any time, from any location, and in their state's official language.

### OBITUARY

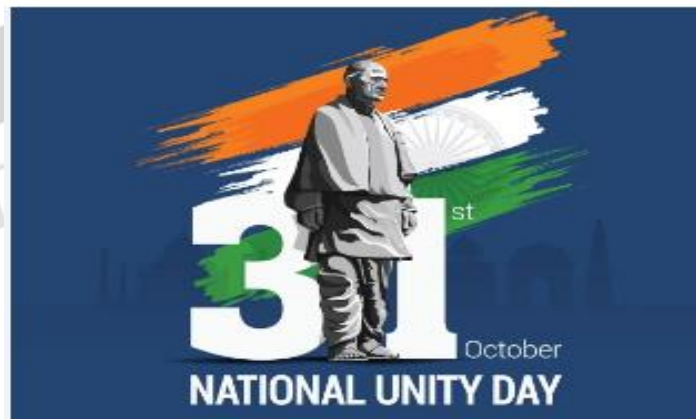
- **Justice KS Puttaswamy**
- ✓ Justice K.S. Puttaswamy, the pivotal petitioner in the landmark right to privacy case, passed away at the age of 98 on Monday.



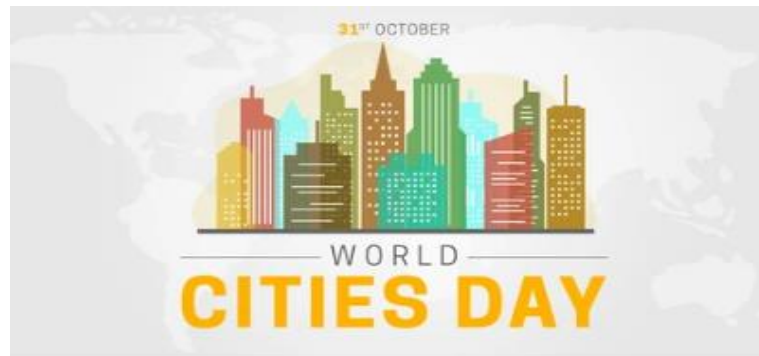
- ✓ His passing comes over seven years after the Supreme Court ruled that privacy is a fundamental right.
- ✓ His significant contributions to Indian law, particularly regarding the right to privacy, will be remembered as a cornerstone in the protection of individual rights in India.

## IMPORTANT DAYS

- **National Unity Day – October 31**
- ✓ Rashtriya Ekta Diwas or National Unity Day is celebrated to commemorate the birth anniversary of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel.



- ✓ He was India's first Deputy Prime Minister of India and first Home Minister of India from 1947 to 1950.
  - ✓ Patel successfully persuaded all the 565 self-governing princely states to accede to India after getting independence from British colonial rule.
- **World Cities Day – October 31**
  - ✓ It highlights the global push towards creating sustainable, inclusive urban spaces.



- ✓ In 2013, the United Nations General Assembly officially designated this day.
- ✓ The theme for 2024 is “Youth leading climate and local action for cities.”

