

(i) India and USA agreed to augment technology cooperation, especially through the initiative for Critical and Emerging Technologies (iCET) focussing on artificial intelligence, semiconductors, space, quantum, and telecom etc.

(ii) Under Defence Industrial Cooperation Roadmap, the defense industries and startups of both countries announced their intent to engage in co-production and other activities. A US company, General Electric Aerospace announced that they would manufacture jet engines in India through transfer of technology for our Light Combat Aircrafts' indigenous production. India was included as a member in the Mineral Security Partnership, which aims to accelerate the development of sustainable global critical energy minerals supply chains.

(iii) During Prime Minister's visit, Indian Space Research Organisation [ISRO], signed the Artemis Accords with the US National Aeronautics and Space Administration [NASA] for cooperation in civil exploration of outer space for peaceful purposes.

(iv) Both countries resolved six outstanding bilateral trade disputes in WTO through mutually agreed solutions. They agreed to strengthen collaboration between the respective SMEs and boost innovation linkages. In the telecommunication sector, both sides agreed to collaborate towards a bilateral "Trusted Network/Trusted Sources" framework; enable participation of Indian companies in the U.S. Rip and Replace Program; and undertake ORAN reciprocal pilot projects.

(v) In the semiconductor domain, three US companies made announcement for building a semiconductor assembly and test facility in India; and for training Indian engineers and workforce.

(vi) India and USA also agreed to accelerate cooperation in green hydrogen and other emerging technologies.

(vii) To deepen the people to people ties which are anchored in a 4.4 million Indian Diaspora in USA, the US announced its decision to open two new consulates in Bengaluru and Ahmedabad. India will open a new consulate in Seattle later this year and identify locations for two more new Consulates in USA. The US will undertake a pilot later this year to adjudicate domestic renewals of certain petition-based temporary work visas, including for Indian nationals.

(viii) Both countries agreed to further strengthen higher education partnerships. The US Government announced that they would return to the Government of India 105 cultural antiquities that were illegally trafficked. This has since taken place.
