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1. Consider the following statements relating to the procedure of the election for the Speaker and the Deputy Speaker of the Lok Sabha:

1. The election of a Speaker shall be held on such date as the Prime Minister may fix and the Secretary General shall send to every member notice of this date.
2. The election of a Deputy Speaker shall be held on such date as the Speaker may fix and the Secretary General shall send to every member notice of this date.

Which of the statement(s) given above is/are correct?

(a) Only 1

**(b) Only 2**

(c) Both 1 and 2

(d) Neither 1 nor 2

2. The Supreme Court of India declares by issuing a writ that "respondent was not entitled to an office he was holding or a privilege he has exercising". Which writ is that?

(a) Habeas Corpus

**(b) Quo Warranto**

(c) Prohibition

(d) Certiorari

3. Match list I with list II and select the correct answer using the codes given below the lists:

List I (Functionaries)

- A. President of India
- B. Judges of Supreme Court
- C. Members of Parliament
- D. Minister for the Union

List II (Oaths or affirmations)

1. Secrecy of Information
2. Faithful discharge of duties
3. Faith and Allegiance to the constitution of India
4. Upholding the constitution and the law

Codes:

- |            | A        | B        | C        | D        |
|------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| (a)        | 3        | 4        | 1        | 2        |
| <b>(b)</b> | <b>4</b> | <b>3</b> | <b>2</b> | <b>1</b> |
| (c)        | 3        | 4        | 2        | 1        |
| (d)        | 4        | 3        | 1        | 2        |

4. Which one of the following is a subject of the concurrent list?

(a) Police

**(b) Criminal matters**

(c) Radio and Television

(d) Foreign Affairs

5. The office of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India was created by which of the following Provision?

(a) Through an act of the Parliament

**(b) By the Constitution**

(c) Through a cabinet resolution

(d) None of the above

6. Consider the following statements:

1. The first Public Service Commission in India was set up in the year 1926, on the recommendation of the Lee Commission on the Superior Civil Services in India.
2. The Government of India Act, 1935, provided for setting up of public service commissions at both the federal and provincial levels.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

(a) Only 1

(b) Only 2

**(c) both 1 and 2**

(d) Neither 1 nor 2

7. Consider the following statements and select the correct answer from the code given below.

1. Karnataka is the largest producer of raw silk in India.
2. Andhra Pradesh is the largest producer of mulberry silk in India.
3. Jharkhand is the largest producer of Tussar silk in India.
4. Meghalaya is the largest producer of Eri silk in India.

**Code**

- (a) Only 1 and 2  
(b) Only 2 and 3  
(c) **Only 1 and 3**  
(d) Only 2 and 4
8. Main crop cultivated in India under plantation agriculture is  
(a) **Tea, Rubber, Coconut, Coffee**  
(b) Tea, Rubber, sunflower, Soyabean  
(c) Tea, Banana, Grapes, Coconut  
(d) Tea, Rubber, coconut, Soyabean
9. The largest coconut producing state in India is  
(a) Andhra Pradesh  
(b) Karnataka  
(c) **Kerala**  
(d) Tamil Nadu
10. Through coffee and tea both are cultivated on hill slopes, there is some difference between them regarding their cultivation. In this context, consider the following statements.  
1. Coffee plant requires a hot and humid climate of tropical areas whereas tea can be cultivated in both tropical and subtropical areas.  
2. Coffee is propagated by seeds but tea is propagated by stem cuttings only.  
Which of the statements given above is/are correct?  
(a) Only 1  
(b) only 2  
(c) **Both 1 and 2**  
(d) Neither 1 nor 2
11. Qualities of an area in India are as follows  
1. Hot and moist climate.  
2. 200 cm annual rainfall.  
3. Mountain slopes of height up to 1100 metre.  
4. 15°C to 30°C range of annual temperature.  
Which of the following produces you will find most suitable to grow in above type of climate?  
(a) Mustard  
(b) Cotton  
(c) **Black pepper**  
(d) Virginia tobacco
12. Some Iron and steel plants have been planned along the Western coast of India. What is the major reason for this locations shift in this industry?  
(a) Increased nuclear power generation in the Western Coastal region  
(b) **Occurrence of high grade iron-ore deposits in Goa and parts of Madhya Pradesh and the comparative ease of exporting steel from here.**  
(c) Decline in international demand for Indian iron-ore from the Western coastal region  
(d) Adoption of sponge from technology
13. Which among the following iron and steel production plant is located far from Coalfields?  
(a) Bokaro (b) Durgapur  
(c) Kulti-Asansol (d) **Bhadravati**
14. What is Diamond Park?  
(a) These are the national parks developed by Central Environment Ministry of hilly areas of India.  
(b) These are the places where refineries have been established  
(c) **These are the industrial zones which have been created to promote manufacturing and export of diamonds and synthetic jewellerys and ornaments**  
(d) These are the centres where huge power projects are established
15. Which one among the following industries is the maximum consumer of water in India?  
(a) Engineering  
(b) Paper and pulp  
(c) Textiles  
(d) **Thermal Power**
16. Consider the following towns of India.  
1. Bhadrachalam 2. Chanderi  
3. Kancheepuram 4. Karnal  
Which of the above are famous for the production of traditional sarees/fabric?  
(a) Only 1 and 2  
(b) **Only 2 and 3**

- (c) Only 1, 2 and 3  
(d) Only 1, 3 and 4
17. Which of the following is not a required qualification for the post of Vice-President?  
a) He should have completed 35 years of age  
**b) He should be qualified for election as a member of the Lok Sabha**  
c) He should not hold any office of profit  
d) He should be a citizen of India
18. Which of the following appointments are made by the Governor?  
1. He appoints the chief minister and other ministers.  
2. He appoints the state election commissioner.  
3. He appoints the advocate general of a state.  
4. He appoints the chairman of the state public service commission.  
Select the correct option from the codes given below:  
a) Only 1 and 2  
b) Only 2 and 4  
c) Only 2 and 3  
**d) 1, 2, 3 and 4**
19. Which one of the following pairs is not correctly matched?  
a) Languages: Eighth Schedule  
**b) The forms of oaths or affirmations: Second Schedule**  
c) Allocation of seats in the Council of States: Fourth Schedule  
d) Provisions as to disqualification on the ground of defection: Tenth Schedule
20. The forms of oaths or affirmations for which of the following officials are mentioned in the third schedule of the Indian constitution?  
1. The Comptroller and Auditor General  
2. The Chief Election Commissioner  
3. The Chief Justice of a High Court  
4. The Attorney General  
Select the correct answer using the codes given below:  
a) 1 and 2 only  
b) 1, 2 and 3 only  
c) 2, 3 and 4 only  
**d) 1 and 3 only**
21. Which of the following is/are listed among the Directive Principles in Part-IV of the Constitution of India?  
I. Equal Pay for Equal Work  
II. Uniform Civil Code  
III. Small family norm  
IV. Education through mother tongue at primary level  
a) I, II and III  
**b) I and II**  
c) II and III  
d) I, II and IV
22. Match List I with List II and select the correct answer using the codes given below:  
List-I (Terms mentioned in Preamble)  
A. Republic  
B. Secular  
C. Democratic  
D. Sovereign  
List-II (Implications)  
1. Head of the State is not a hereditary monarch  
2. State does not recognize any religion as a state religion  
3. Government gets its authority from the will of the people  
4. State is free to conduct its own internal and external affairs.  
Codes:  

	A	B	C	D
a)	1	2	3	4
b)	1	3	2	4
c)	2	3	1	4
d)	3	2	1	4
23. The 'Common Carbon Metric', supported by UNEP, has been developed for  
**a) Assessing the carbon footprint of building operations around the world.**

- b) Enabling commercial farming entities around the world to enter carbon emission trading.
  - c) Enabling governments to assess the overall carbon footprint caused by their countries.
  - d) Assessing the overall carbon footprint caused by the use of fossil fuels by the world in a unit time.
24. Consider the following statements about Eklavya Model Residential Schools (EMRS):
- 1. Administered by the Ministry of Tribal Affairs, it is established with grants under Article 275(1) of the Indian Constitution.
  - 2. It pays special focus in Integrated Tribal Development Projects (ITDP) where there shall be at least one EMRS in the demarcated project spatial area.

Which of the above statement/s is/are **incorrect**?

- a) 1 only
  - b) 2 only
  - c) Both 1 and 2
  - d) **Neither 1 nor 2**
25. Recently following water bodies are in news arrange them from North to south
- 1. Yellow Sea
  - 2. South China sea
  - 3. East China sea
  - 4. Celebes Sea

Select the correct answer using the code given below

- (a) 3-2-4-1
- (b) 1-2-3-4
- (c) **1-3-2-4**
- (d) 2-3-4-1



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