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1. A person convicted for more than two years in any case cannot contest in the Elections during and after the conviction period. This provision was provided by the

a) Constitutional Provision

b) Parliament Law

c) Judicial Verdict

d) Customs and Conventions

2. A new Cabinet Committee headed by the Prime Minister can be created by

a) The resolution of Parliament

b) The Order of the President

c) The Order of the Prime Minister

d) The resolution of Council of Ministers

3. Consider the following statements regarding the Election Commission of India's Model Code of Conduct (MCC)

1. The Model Code of Conduct comes into force immediately on announcement of the election schedule by the commission for the need of ensuring free and fair elections

2. The Model Code of Conduct has been provided the legal status under the Representation of People Act passed by the Parliament

Which of the given above statements is/are correct?

a) 1 only

b) 2 only

c) Both 1 and 2

d) Neither 1 Nor 2

4. Which of the following legislations has been passed to prevent the Child Labour in India?

1. The Factories Act of 1948

2. The Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection) of Children Act of 2000

3. The Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education Act of 2009

4. The Mines Act of 1952

Select the correct answer using the code given below

a) 1 and 4 only

b) 1, 3 and 4 only

c) 1, 2 and 4 only

d) 1, 2, 3 and 4

5. Consider the following statements

1. The President has no constitutional discretionary powers but has some situational discretionary powers.

2. The Governor has only the situational discretionary powers.

Which of the statements given above is/are not correct?

a) 1 only

b) 2 only

c) Both 1 and 2

d) Neither 1 nor 2

6. With reference to the Subordinate Courts, consider the following statements:

1. Constitution does not mention the provisions to regulate the organization of subordinate courts.

2. District judges are appointed by the Governor on the recommendation of the High Court.

3. District judge possesses original and appellate jurisdiction in both civil as well as criminal matters.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

a) 1 and 3 only

b) 1 and 2 only

c) 2 and 3 only

d) 1, 2 and 3

7. The Tenth Schedule is equally applicable to

1. The Members of Rajya Sabha.

2. The Members of State Legislative Council.

3. The Members of Local Panchayats.

Select the correct answer using the codes given below.

a) 1 only

b) 2 only

c) 1 and 2 only

d) 1, 2 and 3

8. A Protem Speaker

1. Administers oath to the newly elected members

2. Conducts the Election for the Office of Speaker

3. Conducts proceedings of Office till New Speaker is elected

Select the correct answer using the codes given below

- a) 1 only
- b) 1 and 2 only
- c) 2 and 3 only
- d) 1, 2 and 3**

9. Which of the following statements correctly relates to the Powers and Functions of the Panchayati Raj bodies?

- 1. They can plan for economic development and social justice.
- 2. A higher level Panchayati raj body cannot dissolve a lower level body.
- 3. They can levy and collect taxes if provided for by the state legislature.

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

- a) 1 and 3 only
- b) 1 only
- c) 3 only
- d) 1, 2 and 3**

10. If a new state is to be created which of the following schedules should definitely be altered?

- a) First**
- b) Second
- c) Third
- d) Eighth

11. Consider the following statements about Ladakh:

- 1. It is bound by the Karakoram range in the north and the Zaskar range in the south.
- 2. Indus flows towards the North-Western part of Ladakh.
- 3. Zoji La and Baralacha La passes are located in this region.
- 4. Drass is one of the coldest inhabited places in Ladakh.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

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

12. The estuarine landform is created by which of the following factors?

- 1. Due to the presence of strong Ocean current near the river mouth.
- 2. Folding or faulting of land surfaces near the coast.
- 3. The Sea level is higher than the coast.
- 4. The depositions of sediment on the coast

Select the correct answer using the code given below.

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

13. The Convectional rainfall could be experienced in which of the following regions?

- 1. During the summer in the tropical regions.
- 2. During the winter in the tropical regions.
- 3. During the summer in the temperate interiors.
- 4. During the winter in the temperate interiors.

Select the correct answer using the code given below.

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

14. Which of the following types of climates is/are found at the north and south of the Equator?

- 1. Laurentian Climate
- 2. Polar Climate
- 3. Siberian Climate
- 4. British Climate
- 5. China climate

Select the correct answer using the code given below.

- (a) 4 and 5 only
- (b) 2, 4 and 5 only**
- (c) 1, 2, 4 and 5 only
- (d) 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5

15. Which of the following processes are included under diastrophism?

1. Earthquake
2. Cyclone
3. Orogeny

Select the correct answer using the code given below.

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 2 and 3 only
- (c) 1 and 3 only

(d) None of the above

16. Consider the following statements:

1. The capacity of air to hold moisture increases with increase in temperature.
2. Relative humidity is high in Sub-Polar low pressure belt.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only

(c) Both 1 and 2

(d) Neither 1 nor 2

17. With reference to Inter tropical convergence zone (ITCZ), which of the following statements is/are correct?

1. It is a zone of calm, hot and rising air and low pressure.
2. It is also known by the name Horse latitude.

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2

18. Which of the following forces affect the velocity and direction of wind?

1. Pressure gradient force
2. Frictional force
3. Coriolis force

Select the correct answer using the code given below.

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 2 and 3 only
- (c) 1 and 3 only

(d) 1, 2 and 3

19. Consider the following statements:

1. It is an open ended scale used to measure earthquake.
2. It is logarithmic in nature.
3. It measures the amount of shaking of the ground.

Which type of earthquake measuring scale is being described here?

(a) Mercalli scale

(b) Richter scale

(c) Moment magnitude scale

(d) None of these

20. Which of the following are the favourable conditions for the formation of deltas?

1. Active erosion in the upper course of the river
2. Presence of tides
3. Shallow coast
4. Absence of strong current at right angles to the river mouth

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

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

21. Legacy wastes are the wastes that have been collected and kept for years at some barren land or a place dedicated for Landfill. Which among the following can be categorized as legacy waste?

1. Wastes in tanks, canisters, and stainless steel bins
2. Buried waste
3. Contaminated soil and groundwater
4. Contaminated building materials and structures.

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

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

22. Which of the following minerals are found as placer deposits?

- 1. Silver
- 2. Gold
- 3. Aluminium
- 4. Tin
- 5. Platinum

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

- (a) 1,2,3 and 4 only
- (b) 2,3,4 and 5 only
- (c) 1 and 2 only
- (d) 1,2,4 and 5 only**

23. With reference to National Ganga Council consider the following

- 1. The jurisdiction of the National Ganga Council (NGC) shall extend to the state which consists of the River Ganga basin
- 2. National Ganga Council implements the National Ganga River Basin Authority Programme, which is backed by the IMF.

Which of the above statement/s is/are not correct?

- a) 1 only
- b) 2 only**
- c) Both 1 and 2
- d) Neither 1 nor 2

24. With reference to coastal red sand dunes which was recently seen in news consider the following

- 1. The coastal red sand dunes, popularly known as 'Erra Matti Dibbalu' in Tamil Nadu.
- 2. These deposits are rare and have been reported only from three places in the tropical regions, that are in India such as Teri Sands in Tamil Nadu, Erra Matti Dibbalu in Visakhapatnam and one more site in Kerala.

Which of the above statement/s is/are not correct?

- a) 1 only
- b) 2 only
- c) Both 1 and 2**
- d) Neither 1 nor 2

25. SATAT scheme often mentioned in news, which of the following is being promoted as an alternative transport fuel?

- a) LPG
- b) CNG
- c) Hydrogen
- d) Compressed Biogas**