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ONLINE TESTS FOR IAS PCS HCS HAS (NO.13)

Q1. How many of the following statements is/are correct about new Post office amendment, 2023?

1). It makes provisions for interception, opening, detention and disposal of any item in the course of transmission by the Post Office on grounds such as the security of state, friendly relations with foreign states, public order, emergency, public safety, or contravention of the provisions of the Bill

2. The Central government by notification can empower any officer of the Post Office to deliver a postal article suspected of containing any prohibited item to the customs authority or any other specified authority.

3. The officer-in-charge appointed by the Central government is empowered to intercept, open or detain any postal article on grounds such as the security of state, friendly relations with foreign states, public order, emergency, public safety, or contravention of the provisions of the Bill.

Ans. a) 1 only b) Two
c) Three d) none

Q2. How many of the following statements is/are correct?

1. Renuka dam project is water storage project on Giri River in Sirmaur district of HP.

2. Delhi, Haryana, UP, Rajasthan, Uttarakhand and Himachal will be the beneficiaries of this project that will generate 40 MW power during peak flow

3. 90 per cent of the of the cost of irrigation or drinking water component will be provided by the Central government, while the remaining 10 per cent will be borne by the beneficiary states.

Ans. a) 1 only b) Two
c) Three d) None

Q3. Which one of the following is/are correct about African Union which became the latest member of G-20?

1. It's an intergovernmental organisation of the 55 member states of Africa, found in 2002, it is the successor of the Organisation of African Unity (OAU), which was formed in 1963.

2. Its head quarter is at Cairo.

Ans. A) Only 1 B) Only 2
C) Both D) None

Q4 At which of the following place First African Climate Summit was held recently in Sep. 2023?

Ans. A) Nairobi B) Adis Ababa
C) Abuja D) Durban

Q5. How many of the following statements is/are correct about new Post office amendment , 2023 ?

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 c) Three d) none

Q6. Consider the following tribes

- i) Karen.
- ii) Wa.
- iii) Kachin
- iv) Chin
- v) Rakhine

How many of the above tribes are in Myanmar

Ans. a) Two b) Three c) Four d) All

Q7. Wad Madani town in Blue Nile province which is in news recently lies in which of the following country?

Ans. a) Ethiopia b) South Sudan
 c) Sudan d) Libya

Q8. Choose the correct statement/s:

- 1. Rare earth minerals are group of 17 metals which are used to make magnets for wind turbines, electronics, electric vehicles.
- 2. More than 90% rare earths are found in China.

Ans. A) only 1 B) 1,2
 C) both D) none

Q9. Which of the following is not the example of a hot local wind

- Ans. a) Brickfielder b) sirocco
 c) Harmattan d) Mistral

Q10. Choose the number of correct statement/s from the following

- 1. Unicorn was the most depicted animal on Indus valley seals.
- 2. They had trade with Sumer civilization of Mesopotamia.
- 3. According to A.C Das Aryans were from Central Asia.
- 4. Samveda has two parts, white and black Samveda.

Ans. a) 1 only b) Two
 c) Three d) Four

Q11. How many of the following statement/s is/are correct?

- 1. Mauryans were the first kings who issued lead coins .
- 2. Fourth Buddhist council occurred during Kushans time.
- 3. Most powerful branch of Pratiharas was Avanti or Ujjain branch.

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4. Hathigumha inscription belongs to Kharvela of Odisha .

- Ans. a) 1 only b) Two
c) Three d) Four

Q12. It receives Rainfall mainly during the winters, these areas are famous for citrus fruits production. Which climate region is being referred to here?

- Ans. a) British type climate
b) Mediterranean type Climate
c) China type Climate
d) Savannah type climate

Q13. Very famous historical Chennakeshwar temple belongs to which of the following dynasty?

- Ans. a) Kakaityas b) Cholas
c) Pallavas d) Hoyasalas

Q14. Which of the following statements are correct w.r.t the Preamble of the Constitution but added later?

1. The Preamble is based on the 'Objective resolution' drafted and moved by Dr. Rajendra Prasad in 1946.
2. The terms Socialist, Sovereign and integrity were added to the preamble by 42nd Constitutional Amendment.

Select the correct answer:

- a) 1 only B) 2 only
b) Both d) none

Q15. Who discharges the duties of the office of a Governor if it falls vacant due to death or resignation of the Governor?

- a) The Chief Justice of India
b) The President immediately appoints an acting Governor
c) The Senior most judge of the Supreme Court
d) The Chief Justice of the High Court.

Q16. Given below are two statements, one labelled as Assertion (A) and the other labelled as Reason (R).

Assertion (A): The reservation of thirty-three per cent of seats for women in Parliament and State Legislature does not require Constitutional amendment:

Reason (R) : Political parties contesting elections can allocate thirty-three percent of seats they contest to women candidates without any Constitutional amendment.

In the context of the above two statements which one of the following is correct?

ANS(a) Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A

(b) Both A and R are true but R is not the correct explanation of A

(c) A is true but R is false

(d) A is false but R is true

Q17. Bab Al Mandab strait which is a strategic Location Separates which of the following two countries?

1. Yemen & Eretria
2. Yemen & Djibouti
3. Saudi Arabia & Djibouti.

Ans. a) only 1 b) 1, 2 c) 2, 3 d) 1, 2, 3