

## **Weekly Quiz**

### **(11<sup>th</sup> Oct – 17<sup>th</sup> Oct 2021)**

**Q.1) Consider the following statements with respect to a **Right to clean, healthy and sustainable environment****

1. Right to clean, healthy and sustainable environment was recognised as a human right by UN Human Rights Council.
2. India abstains from voting on the resolution which favours right to a clean, healthy and sustainable environment as Human right.
3. The right to a clean environment was rooted in the 1972 Stockholm Declaration.

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) All of the above

**Q.2) Consider the following statements with respect to **Indian Space Association (ISpA)****

1. It is a private industry body to help boost space technology in India by engaging with all stakeholders in the Indian space domain.
2. Indian Space Research Organization, Antrix Corporation and New Space India Limited are the founding members of the Indian Space Association.

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

**Q.3) Which of the following best describes the term **Circular Economy**?**

- a. It is an alternative to a traditional linear type “take-make-waste” economy.
- b. It connects freelancers with customers to provide short term services using digital platforms
- c. It is a peer-to-peer based activity of acquiring, providing, or sharing access to goods and services
- d. None of the above

Q.4) Consider the following statements with respect to **Kongka La**

1. It is a pass that marks the Line of Actual Control between India and China.
2. It lies on a spur of the Pir Panjal Range that intrudes into the Chang Chenmo River Valley.

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

Q.5) Consider the following statements with respect to **ePLI bond**

1. Both the Postal Life Insurance (PLI) as well as the Rural Postal Life Insurance (RPLI) policy bonds is available in the electronic form.
2. It is made available in collaboration with Digilocker, National eGovernance Division (NeGD).

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

Q.6) Consider the following statements with respect to **Climate Resilience Information System and Planning (CRISP-M)**

1. It is a tool which embeds climate information in the GIS based planning and implementation of Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme.
2. It was launched by the Ministry of Earth Sciences (MoES).

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

Q.7) With reference to **Recirculatory Aquaculture System (RAS) Technology**, consider the following statements:

1. This method is used for high- density culture of various species of fish, utilizing minimum land area and water.
2. The capital cost of starting a RAS is much lower as compared to traditional ponds and raceways.
3. RAS requires a constant uninterrupted power supply.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- a) 1 and 2 only
- b) 2 and 3 only
- c) 1 and 3 only
- d) All of the above

Q.8) With reference to **Dhole**, consider the following statements

1. The species is limited to Eastern and Western Ghats in India.
2. It is listed as Schedule II species under the Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972

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

Q.9) India's push for a successful **bio-fuel program** might have negative implications on which of the following?

1. Water resources
2. Crop diversification
3. Food prices

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) All of the above

Q.10) With reference to **Mission Lucy**, consider the following statements:

1. The mission is designed to understand the composition of the diverse asteroids that are a part of the Trojan asteroid swarms.
2. It is the mission of European Space Agency.

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

Q.11) With reference to **Organisation for Economic Cooperation and Development**, consider the following statements

1. The OECD is an intergovernmental economic organisation, founded to stimulate economic progress and world trade.
2. It is headquartered in Paris, France.
3. India is a member of OECD.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- a) 1 and 2 only
- b) 2 and 3 only
- c) 1 and 3 only
- d) All of the above

Q.12) With reference to **Green Grid Initiative- One Sun One World One Grid**, consider the following statements:

1. It aims to build global consensus about sharing solar resources.
2. It is launched by Ministry of Power and New and Renewable Energy (MNRE).

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

Q.13) **Kunming Declaration**, in news, is related to which of the following:

- a. Biodiversity Conservation
- b. Climate Change
- c. Cyber Security
- d. Disaster Reduction

Q.14) With reference to **Narcotics and Psychotropic Substances (NDPS) Act**, consider the following statements:

1. The act provides for immunity from prosecution to those who are dependent on drugs.
2. The Act prescribes quantity-based punishment. The Act differentiates between small and commercial quantities of various drugs.

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

Q.15) With reference to **National Green Tribunal (NGT)**, consider the following statements:

1. It is a statutory body set up for effective and expeditious disposal of cases relating to environmental protection and conservation of forests.
2. NGT is mandated to make disposal of applications or appeals finally within 6 months of filing of the same.
3. NGT does not have suo motu powers to take up environmental issues across the country.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- a) 1 and 2 only
- b) 2 and 3 only
- c) 1 and 3 only
- d) None of the above

