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Q1: Consider the following statements:

1. Recently, The Supreme Court has recalled its 2022 judgment that struck down certain provisions of the Benami Transactions (Prohibition) Amendment Act, 1988.
2. In 2022 judgement, the court ruled that the amendment cannot be applied retrospectively
3. Sections 3(2) and 5 of the amended Act were declared unconstitutional in this judgement.
4. The Benami Transactions (Prohibition) Amendment Act, 1988, aimed to prohibit benami transactions and provide for the acquisition of properties involved in such transactions

How many statements is/ are correct?

- A: Only 1
- B: Only 2
- C: Only 3
- D: All four

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Q2: Consider the following statements with respect to smart insulin development:

1. The smart insulin, known as NNC2215, responds in real time to fluctuations in blood sugar levels.
2. This insulin contains a glucose-like molecule called a glucoside that activates the insulin when blood sugar is low.
3. It was developed by an international team of scientists from Denmark, the UK, and Czechia, in collaboration with the University of Bristol.

Which of the above statements is/are correct?

- A: Only 1 and 2

- B:** Only 1 and 3
- C:** Only 2 and 3
- D:** All of the above

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Q3: Consider the following statements with respect to Habeas Corpus and constitutional writs under Article 32:

1. Habeas Corpus protects individuals from unlawful detention by allowing them to request a court order for their release.
2. High Courts in India do not have the authority to issue habeas corpus.
3. Under Article 32, Supreme Court can issue various writs, including Mandamus, Prohibition, and Certiorari.

How many statements is/ are correct?

- A:** Only 1
- B:** Only 2
- C:** All three
- D:** None

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Q4: Consider the following statements regarding the "Sagar Kavach" coastal security exercise:

1. "Sagar Kavach" was conducted off the coast of Gujarat and the Union Territory of Daman and Diu.
2. The exercise involved only the Indian Coast Guard.
3. The main objective of the exercise was to strengthen maritime and coastal security by validating Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs).

How many statements is/ are correct?

- A:** Only 1
- B:** Only 2
- C:** All three
- D:** None

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Q5: Which of the following statements about non-kinetic warfare is incorrect?

1. Non-kinetic warfare exclusively relies on direct physical confrontations.
2. Cyber warfare is a component of non-kinetic warfare that involves hacking and data breaches.
3. Non-kinetic warfare cannot involve non-military stakeholders.

- A:** Only 1 and 2
- B:** Only 1 and 3
- C:** Only 2 and 3
- D:** All of the above

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