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Q1: Consider the following statements regarding the Ken-Betwa river linking project:

1. The Ken-Betwa river linking project aims to provide drinking water to 65 lakh people in 10 districts of Madhya Pradesh and 21 districts of Uttar Pradesh.
2. The project is the first initiative under the National River Linking Policy of India.
3. The project will generate 103 MW of hydroelectricity and 27 MW of solar power.

Which of the following options is/are correct?

- A: 1 and 2 only
- B: 2 and 3 only
- C: 1, 2, and 3
- D: only 1

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Q2: Which of the following features are associated with the Ken-Betwa river linking project?

1. A 77-meter high Daudhan dam will be constructed in the Panna Tiger Reserve.
2. The project involves transferring water from the Betwa River to the Ken River.
3. A 221-kilometer long link canal will be built to transfer water.

Which of the following options is/are correct?

- A: Only 1
- B: 1 and 3 only
- C: 2 and 3 only

D: All of the above

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Q3: Who signed the \$500 million loan agreement between India and ADB on behalf of the Government of India?

A: Juhi Mukherjee, Joint Secretary, Ministry of Finance

B: Narendra Modi, Prime Minister of India

C: Amit Shah, Union Home Minister

D: S. Jaishankar, Minister of External Affairs

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Q4: Consider the following statements regarding domestic migration in India:

- 1. The number of domestic migrants in India decreased by approximately 12% between 2011 and 2023.**
- 2. Maharashtra and Andhra Pradesh have seen an increase in their share of domestic migrants.**
- 3. Improved infrastructure, education, healthcare, and economic opportunities in rural and semi-urban areas are contributing factors to the decline in migration.**

Which of the following options is/are correct?

A: 1 and 3 only

B: 2 and 3 only

C: 1 and 2 only

D: All of the above

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Q5: Which of the following statements is true regarding the legal protection of pangolins in India?

A: The Indian pangolin is listed as a vulnerable species by the IUCN but is not protected under Indian law.

B: The Indian pangolin is fully protected under Schedule 1 of the Wildlife Protection Act of 1972 and its international trade is banned under CITES Appendix I.

C: Pangolins are not protected by Indian law but are protected under international trade regulations only.

D: The Indian pangolin is classified as a threatened species but is not covered under the Wildlife Protection Act of 1972.

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