

Q1. Which among the following decision was taken in the name of President?

- (a) Judicial
- (b) Executive
- (c) Legislative
- (d) Executive, legislative & Judicial

Q2. The attorney general shall hold office during the pleasure of the

- (a) Lok Sabha
- (b) Prime Minister
- (c) President
- (d) None of these

Q3. How many members shall retire from council of states on the expiration of every second year

- (a) Two third
- (b) one third
- (c) half
- (d) none of these

Q4. What is the difference between “vote-on account” and “interim budget”?

1. The provision of a “vote-on-account” is used by a regular Government, while an “interim budget” is a provision used by a caretaker Government.

2. A “vote-on-account” only deals with the expenditure in Government’s budget, while an “interim budget” includes both expenditure and receipts

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

Q5. What was the purpose with which Sir William Wedderburn and W.S. Caine had set up the Indian Parliamentary Committee in 1893?

- (a) To agitate for Indian Political reforms in the House of Commons
- (b) To campaign for the entry of Indians into the Imperial Judiciary
- (c) To facilitate a discussion on India's Independence in the British Parliament
- (d) To agitate for the entry of eminent Indians into the British Parliament

Q6. Which of the following are associated with ‘Planning’ in India?

- 1. The Finance Commission
- 2. The National Development Council
- 3. The Union Ministry of Rural Development
- 4. The Union Ministry of Urban Development
- 5. The Parliament

Select the correct answer using the code given below. [UPSC, Civil Services 2014, Paper 1]

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

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

Q7. Consider the following statements:

1. The Chairman and the Deputy Chairman of the Rajya Sabha are not the members of that House.
2. While the nominated members of the two Houses of the Parliament have no voting right in the presidential election, they have the right to vote in the election of the Vice President.

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

Q8. Regarding the office of the Lok Sabha Speaker, consider the following statements:

1. He/She holds the office during the pleasure of the President.
2. He/She needs not be a member of the House at the time of his/her election but has to become a member of the House within six months from the date of his/her election.
3. If he/she intends to resign, the letter of his/her resignation has to be addressed to the Deputy Speaker.

Which of the statements given above is /are correct? [UPSC, Civil Services 2012, Paper 1]

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 3 only
- (c) 1, 2 and 3
- (d) None of these

Q9. With reference to National Legal Services Authority, consider the following statements:

1. Its objective is to provide free and competent legal services to the weaker sections of the society on the basis of equal opportunity.
2. It issues guidelines for the State Legal Services Authorities to implement the legal programmes and schemes throughout the country.

Which of the statements given above is / are correct? [UPSC, Civil Services 2013, Paper 1]

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

Q10. In the Parliament of India, the purpose of an adjournment motion is [UPSC, Civil Services 2012, Paper 1]

- (a) to allow a discussion on a definite matter of urgent public importance
- (b) to let opposition members collect information from the ministers
- (c) to allow a reduction of specific amount in demand for grant
- (d) to postpone the proceedings to check the inappropriate or violent behaviour on the part of some members

Solutions

- S1.Ans.(b)
- S2.Ans.(c)
- S3.Ans.(b)
- S4.Ans.(b)
- S5.Ans.(a)
- S6.Ans.(c)
- S7.Ans.(b)
- S8.Ans.(b)
- S9.Ans.(c)
- S10.Ans.(a)



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