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Sectional Test on General Knowledge for CLAT UG [Part 5]

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1. Which country did the Indian Constitution primarily adopt the concept of “judicial review”?

- a. United Kingdom
- b. Ireland
- c. United States
- d. Canada

2. What instrument does the Reserve Bank of India employ to control the economy’s short-term liquidity?

- a. Statutory Liquidity Ratio
- b. Open Market Operations
- c. Bank Rate
- d. Cash Reserve Ratio

3. How did the Battle of Plassey (1757) primarily lead to the establishment of British political dominance in India?

- a. Ended Mughal rule.
- b. Brought Bengal under direct British rule.
- c. Weakened French influence permanently.
- d. Allowed the East India Company to control Bengal’s revenue.

4. Which river is known as the “Sorrow of Bihar” due to its frequent flooding?

- a. Gandak
- b. Kosi
- c. Son
- d. Punpun

5. The headquarters of the World Trade Organization (WTO) is located at:

- a. New York
- b. Geneva
- c. Paris
- d. Washington D.C.

6. Which gas is primarily responsible for the greenhouse effect on Earth?

- a. Oxygen
- b. Nitrogen
- c. Carbon Dioxide
- d. Hydrogen

7. The Concurrent List in the Indian Constitution was borrowed from the constitution of:

- a. Australia
- b. Canada
- c. United Kingdom
- d. South Africa

8. Which Indian classical dance form is traditionally associated with Andhra Pradesh and Telangana?

- a. Kuchipudi
- b. Manipuri
- c. Kathakali
- d. Odissi

9. The Montreal Protocol is an international agreement aimed at:

- a. Reducing greenhouse gas emissions.
- b. Protecting marine biodiversity.
- c. Preventing ozone layer depletion.
- d. Controlling nuclear weapons.

10. Which Indian mountain pass connects Manali to Leh?

- a. Zoji La
- b. Nathu La

- c. Rohtang Pass
- d. Shipki La

11. The term “demographic dividend” refers to:

- a. Decline in birth rate.
- b. Increase in elderly population.
- c. Economic growth due to a large working-age population.
- d. Population control measures.

12. What schedule of the Indian Constitution addresses the administration of tribal areas in Assam, Meghalaya, Tripura, and Mizoram?

- a. Fifth Schedule
- b. Sixth Schedule
- c. Seventh Schedule
- d. Tenth Schedule

13. The Higgs Boson, often mentioned in scientific discourse, is associated with:

- a. Nuclear fission
- b. Dark matter
- c. Particle physics
- d. Astrophysical radiation

14. Which of the following is classified as a biosphere reserve in India?

- a. Gir National Park
- b. Jim Corbett National Park
- c. Sundarbans
- d. Kaziranga National Park

15. The doctrine of “Collective Responsibility” in India implies that:

- a. The Council of Ministers is collectively responsible to the Lok Sabha.
- b. The Cabinet is accountable to the President.
- c. Ministers are individually responsible to the Prime Minister.
- d. All ministers must resign if one minister is dismissed.

Answers

1. Correct Answer: C – The concept of judicial review, adopted by India from the U.S. Constitution, grants the courts the authority to evaluate whether laws comply with constitutional principles.
2. Correct Answer: B – Open Market Operations involve buying/selling government securities to control liquidity.
3. Correct Answer: D – Control over Bengal's revenues gave the Company immense financial and political power.
4. Correct Answer: B
5. Correct Answer: B
6. Correct Answer: C – Carbon dioxide traps heat in the atmosphere, contributing significantly to global warming.
7. Correct Answer: A – The idea of a Concurrent List was adopted from the Australian Constitution.
8. Correct Answer: A – Kuchipudi originated in Andhra Pradesh and combines dance with dramatic expression.
9. Correct Answer: C – It targets substances that deplete the ozone layer, such as CFCs.
10. Correct Answer: C
11. Correct Answer: C
12. Correct Answer: B – The Sixth Schedule provides autonomous governance to tribal regions in the Northeast.
13. Correct Answer: C – The Higgs Boson explains how particles acquire mass in particle physics.
14. Correct Answer: C – Sundarbans is a UNESCO-recognized biosphere reserve.
15. Correct Answer: A