

Quiz Date: 29<sup>th</sup> March 2020

Q1. The Indian Army's International Seminar "Pragyan Conclave 2020" has concluded in-

- (a) Pune
- (b) New Delhi
- (c) Kolkata
- (d) Mumbai
- (e) Chennai

Q2. President Ram Nath Kovind conferred the 61st annual awards of the National Lalit Kala Akademi to \_\_\_\_\_ artists at the Rashtrapati Bhavan in New Delhi.

- (a) 23
- (b) 17
- (c) 10
- (d) 18
- (e) 15

Q3. The 35th edition of AAHAR- the Food and Hospitality fair has concluded in-

- (a) New Delhi
- (b) Pune
- (c) Chennai
- (d) Kolkata
- (e) Mumbai

Q4. Which of the following country has been made public transport free to reduce traffic pressure on the road recently?

- (a) China
- (b) Spain
- (c) Monaco
- (d) Luxembourg
- (e) Netherlands

Q5. The 35th edition of AAHAR- the Food and Hospitality fair began recently. This fair is being organized by-?

- (a) BSNL
- (b) India Tourism Development Corporation
- (c) India Trade Promotion Organisation
- (d) National Small Industries Corporation
- (e) MMTC Ltd

Q6. President Ram Nath Kovind conferred the 61st annual awards of the National Lalit Kala Akademi to the artists in New Delhi recently. Which of the following is not them?

- (a) Keshari Nandan Prasad from Jaipur, Rajasthan

- (b) Yashpal Singh from Delhi
- (c) Devendra Kumar Khare from Vadodara, Gujarat
- (d) Anoop Kumar Manzukhi Gopi from Thrissoor, Kerala
- (e) Sudarsan Pattnaik from Odisha

Q7. Who has named as the 128th Commonwealth Points of Light Award winner?

- (a) Sunderlal Bahuguna
- (b) Rajendra Singh
- (c) Chewang Norphel
- (d) Jadav Payeng
- (e) Dashrath Manjhi



Q8. Who has appointed as the new Finance Secretary by Government of India?

- (a) Ajay Narayan Jha
- (b) Hasmukh Adhia
- (c) Ajay Bhushan Pandey
- (d) Rajiv Gauba
- (e) Aruna Sundararajan

Q9. The Ministry of External Affairs announced Senior diplomat Sanjay Kumar Panda has been appointed as India's Ambassador to which country?

- (a) Germany
- (b) Turkey
- (c) Canada
- (d) Spain
- (e) Italy

Q10. According to Union Finance Minister Nirmala Sitharaman, the exercise of consolidation of 10 public sector banks (PSBs) into \_\_\_\_\_ is on course and the merger will come into effect from 1st April 2020.

- (a) four
- (b) eight
- (c) six
- (d) five
- (e) seven

Q11. Which of the following is used for International Monetary Transfer?

- (a) RTGS
- (b) NEFT
- (c) SWIFT
- (d) UPI
- (e) None of these

Q12. What is the fullform of OTP in credit/debit card transaction?

- (a) Odd Transaction Password
- (b) Owner is Trading Pass code
- (c) One Time Password
- (d) One Time Pincode
- (e) On Time Password

Q13. Which one among the following has not started commercial banking ?

- (a) SIDBI
- (b) IDBI
- (c) ICICI
- (d) UTI
- (e) HDFC

Q14. The maturity period of Treasury Bill is \_\_\_\_\_.

- (a) 91 Days
- (b) 364 Days
- (c) 6 months
- (d) None of these
- (e) Both (a) and (b)

Q15. The Commercial Banks in India are governed by \_\_\_\_\_.

- (a) Reserve Bank of India Act, 1934
- (b) Indian Companies Act, 1956
- (c) Indian Banking Regulation Act, 1949
- (d) Securities and Exchange Board of India Act, 1993
- (e) Insurance Regulatory and Development Authority of India Act, 1999

### Solutions

S1. Ans.(b)

Sol. The Indian Army's International Seminar "Pragyan Conclave 2020" has begun at Manekshaw Centre, New Delhi. The seminar has been organised by Centre for Land Warfare Studies (CLAWS).

S2. Ans.(e)

Sol. President Ram Nath Kovind conferred the 61st annual awards of the National Lalit Kala Akademi to 15 artists at the Rashtrapati Bhavan in New Delhi.

S3. Ans.(a)

Sol. The 35th edition of AAHAR – the Food and Hospitality fair began in New Delhi. This fair is being organized by India Trade Promotion Organisation, ITPO, with support of the Ministry of Food Processing Industries, Agriculture and Processed Food Products Development Authority and several apex industry associations.

S4. Ans.(d)

Sol. Luxembourg, the 7th smallest country in Europe, has been made public transport free to reduce traffic pressure on the road. It becomes the 1st country in the world to make public transport free.

S5. Ans.(c)

Sol. The 35th edition of AAHAR – the Food and Hospitality fair began in New Delhi. This fair is being organized by India Trade Promotion Organisation, ITPO, with support of the Ministry of Food Processing Industries, Agriculture and Processed Food Products Development Authority and several apex industry associations.

S6. Ans.(e)

Sol. President Ram Nath Kovind conferred the 61st annual awards of the National Lalit Kala Akademi to 15 artists at the Rashtrapati Bhavan in New Delhi. Sudarsan Pattnaik is an Indian sand artist from Odisha has not received this award.

S7. Ans.(d)

Sol. Assam's Environmental activist Jadav Payeng, popularly called the 'Forest Man of India', was named as the 128th Commonwealth Points of Light Award winner. Queen Elizabeth II has honoured Payeng for his exceptional voluntary service to environmental conservation.

S8. Ans.(c)

Sol. Government of India appointed the current Revenue Secretary Ajay Bhushan Pandey as the new Finance Secretary. Pandey replaces current Finance Secretary Rajiv Kumar.

S9. Ans.(b)

Sol. The Ministry of External Affairs announced Senior diplomat Sanjay Kumar Panda has been appointed as India's Ambassador to Turkey. He will succeed Sanjay Bhattacharya.

S10. Ans.(a)

Sol. According to Union Finance Minister Nirmala Sitharaman, the exercise of consolidation of 10 public sector banks (PSBs) into four is on course and the merger will come into effect from the new financial year 1st April 2020.

S11. Ans.(c)

Sol. SWIFT payments are a method of making an international money transfer sent by the SWIFT international payment network. It stands for Society for Worldwide Interbank Financial Telecommunication, and is the largest financial messaging systems in world.

S12. Ans.(c)

Sol. The fullform of OTP in credit/debit card transaction is One Time Password.

S13. Ans.(a)

Sol. SIDBI is a financial institution for developing and financing micro, small and medium enterprise sector. We provide loan for small business and industries. SIDBI has not started as commercial banking.

S14. Ans.(a)

Sol. The maturity period of Treasury Bill is 91 Days.

S15. Ans.(c)

Sol. The Commercial Banks in India are governed by Indian Banking Regulation Act, 1949.

