

Quiz Date: 10th May 2020

Q1. Which state government has banned 11 brands of Pan Masala for one year in the state citing the presence of chemical which is harmful to the heart and can cause various diseases?

- (a) Uttar Pradesh
- (b) Tamil Nadu
- (c) Kerala
- (d) Jharkhand
- (e) West Bengal

Q2. Name the company with which Ministry of Defence has signed a pact to modernize infrastructure of 37 airfields of Indian Air Force, Indian Navy (IN) and Indian Coast Guard (ICG).

- (a) TATA POWER SED
- (b) Adani Enterprises Ltd (AEL)
- (c) Fairfax India Holdings Corp.
- (d) GMR Infrastructure Ltd
- (e) Reliance Infrastructure Limited

Q3. Indian Council of Medical Research has partnered with _____ for delivery of its coronavirus COVID-19 testing kits.

- (a) Flipkart
- (b) Zomato
- (c) India Post
- (d) Snapdeal
- (e) Amazon

Q4. Defence Minister has inaugurated new 80-km road in Uttarakhand which connects close to the Line of Actual Control (LAC) and opens a new route for Kailash Mansarovar yatra via Lipulekh Pass. Who is the present Defence Minister of India?

- (a) Rajnath Singh
- (b) Narendra Modi

- (c) Amit Shah
- (d) Nirmala Sitharaman
- (e) Ravi Shankar Prasad

Q5. Which of the following has recently approved a loan of \$500 million to support India's COVID-19 operations?

- (a) New Development Bank
- (b) Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank
- (c) Reserve Bank of India
- (d) World Bank
- (e) Asian Development bank

Q6. Global rating agency, Moody's has slashed India's Gross Domestic Product (GDP) growth rate to "_____" for the fiscal year 2020-21.

- (a) 1.0%
- (b) 1.5%
- (c) 2.2%
- (d) 2.5%
- (e) zero



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Q7. Name the person who is set to serve his second term as the president of Marylebone Cricket Club (MCC).

- (a) Graeme Smith
- (b) Shane Warne
- (c) Stephen Fleming
- (d) Kumar Sangakkara
- (e) Brian Lara

Q8. India has signed MoUs (Memorandum of understanding) with which country for coking coal.

- (a) Russia

- (b) China
- (c) Japan
- (d) South Korea
- (e) Bangladesh

Q9. On which day the World Migratory Bird Day is observed globally on every year to raise awareness of migratory birds and the importance of international cooperation to conserve them?

- (a) 6 May
- (b) 7 May
- (c) 8 May
- (d) 9 May
- (e) 10 May

Q10. Which state government has increased the retirement age of the government staff, teachers and those in public sector units from 58 years to 59 years?

- (a) Punjab
- (b) Rajasthan
- (c) Nagaland
- (d) Tamil Nadu
- (e) Odisha



Q11. Global rating agency, Moody's has forecasted India's Gross Domestic Product (GDP) growth rate at ____ for the fiscal year 2021-22.

- (a) 6.0%
- (b) 6.6%

- (c) 5.6%
- (d) 5.0%
- (e) 6.3%

Q12. Which state government has launched a “Pravasi Raahat Mitra” App to connect migrants with schemes and jobs?

- (a) Sikkim
- (b) Bihar
- (c) Himachal Pradesh
- (d) Andhra Pradesh
- (e) Uttar Pradesh

Q13. The theme of World Migratory Bird Day 2020 is?

- (a) Unifying our Voices for Bird Conservation
- (b) Protect Birds: Be the Solution to Plastic Pollution!
- (c) Their Future is our Future
- (d) Birds Connect Our World
- (e) Energy—make it bird-friendly!

Q14. Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank (AIIB) has approved a loan of _____ to support India's COVID-19 operations.

- (a) \$100 million
- (b) \$250 million
- (c) \$500 million
- (d) \$600 million
- (e) \$1000 million

Q15. Kumar Sangakkara is set to serve his second term as the president of Marylebone Cricket Club (MCC). Kumar Sangakkara is from which country?

- (a) Australia

- (b) Pakistan
- (c) South Africa
- (d) Sri Lanka
- (e) Zimbabwe

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S1. Ans.(d)

Sol. The Jharkhand government has banned 11 brands of Pan Masala for one year in the state citing the presence of chemical which is harmful to the heart and can cause various diseases.

S2. Ans.(a)

Sol. Ministry of Defence has signed a pact with the TATA POWER SED to modernize infrastructure of 37 airfields of Indian Air Force, Indian Navy (IN) and Indian Coast Guard (ICG).

S3. Ans.(c)

Sol. Indian Council of Medical Research has partnered with the India Post for delivery of its coronavirus COVID-19 testing kits.

S4. Ans.(a)

Sol. Defence Minister Rajnath Singh has inaugurated new 80-km road in Uttarakhand which connects close to the Line of Actual Control (LAC) and opens a new route for Kailash Mansarovar yatra via Lipulekh Pass.

S5. Ans.(b)

Sol. Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank (AIIB) has approved a loan of \$500 million to support India's COVID-19 operations.

S6. Ans.(e)

Sol. Global rating agency, Moody's has slashed India's Gross Domestic Product (GDP) growth rate to "zero" for the fiscal year 2020-21.

S7. Ans.(d)

Sol. Kumar Sangakkara is set to serve his second term as the president of Marylebone Cricket Club (MCC).

S8. Ans.(a)

Sol. India has signed MoUs (Memorandum of understanding) with Russia for coking coal.

S9. Ans.(d)

Sol. World Migratory Bird Day is observed globally on 9 May every year to raise awareness of migratory birds and the importance of international cooperation to conserve them.

S10. Ans.(d)

Sol. Tamil Nadu government increases the retirement age of the government staff, teachers and those in public sector units from 58 years to 59 years.



S11. Ans.(b)

Sol. Global rating agency, Moody's has forecasted India's Gross Domestic Product (GDP) growth rate at 6.6% for the fiscal year 2021-22.

S12. Ans.(e)

Sol. Uttar Pradesh government has launched a "Pravasi Raahat Mitra" App to connect migrants with schemes and jobs.

S13. Ans.(d)

Sol. The theme of World Migratory Bird Day 2020 is “Birds Connect Our World”.

S14. Ans.(c)

Sol. Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank (AIIB) has approved a loan of \$500 million to support India’s COVID-19 operations.

S15. Ans.(d)

Sol. Former Sri Lanka skipper Kumar Sangakkara is set to serve his second term as the president of Marylebone Cricket Club (MCC).

