

**Quiz Date: 01<sup>st</sup> July 2020**

Q1. Name the country which has signed a pact with Bhutan for the construction of the 600 MW Kholongchhu joint venture hydroelectric project in Bhutan.

- (a) Bangladesh
- (b) China
- (c) Nepal
- (d) India
- (e) Russia

Q2. Name the Popstar who has been honored with the BET 2020 Humanitarian Award for her longstanding philanthropic work.

- (a) Beyonce
- (b) Ariana Grande
- (c) Katy Perry
- (d) Taylor Swift
- (e) Jennifer Lopez

Q3. Which state government will launch a 'Kill Corona' campaign from July 1 to control the spread of COVID-19 in the state?

- (a) Punjab
- (b) Madhya Pradesh
- (c) Rajasthan
- (d) West Bengal
- (e) Odisha

Q4. Which state government has launched the world's largest plasma therapy trials "Project Platina" for COVID-19 patients?

- (a) Karnataka
- (b) Assam
- (c) Kerala
- (d) Tamil Nadu
- (e) Maharashtra

Q5. Name the former Germany footballer who has announced his retirement from the sport. He scored 31 goals in 78 appearances for the national team.

- (a) Miroslav Klose
- (b) Mario Gomez
- (c) Lukas Podolski
- (d) Holger Badstuber
- (e) Thomas Muller

Q6. Name the person who has become the new President of Malawi.

- (a) Saulos Chilima
- (b) Atupele Muluzi
- (c) Peter Mutharika
- (d) Jane Ansah
- (e) Lazarus Chakwera

Q7. The forest department of which state has developed India's first lichen park in Kumaon's Munsiyari, Pithoragarh district?

- (a) Uttar Pradesh
- (b) Himachal Pradesh
- (c) Haryana
- (d) Uttarakhand
- (e) Madhya Pradesh

Q8. On which day the United Nations observes International Asteroid Day globally every year to raise public awareness about the asteroid impact hazard?

- (a) 30 May
- (b) 30 August
- (c) 30 June
- (d) 30 July
- (e) 30 September



Q9. How many chinese apps have been banned by the Government of India, citing them prejudicial to the sovereignty and integrity of India, the defence of India, the security of state and public order?

- (a) 59
- (b) 69
- (c) 49
- (d) 39
- (e) 20

Q10. Name the noted Kannada novelist who passed away recently. She was the first woman writer to bag Kendra Sahitya Academy and Nadoja awards.

- (a) Kiran Desai
- (b) Jhumpa Lahiri
- (c) Shashi Deshpande
- (d) Anita Desai
- (e) Geetha Nagabhushan

Q11. Maharashtra government has launched the world's largest plasma therapy trials " \_\_\_\_\_ " for COVID-19 patients.

- (a) Project Platelets
- (b) Project Platina
- (c) Project Plasma
- (d) Project Chromosome
- (e) Project Virus

Q12. Name the ministry which has, using its power under section 69A of the Information Technology Act read with the relevant provisions of the Information Technology Rules 2009, has decided to block 59 chinese apps.

- (a) Ministry of Defence
- (b) Ministry of Home Affairs
- (c) Ministry of External Affairs
- (d) Ministry of Information Technology
- (e) Ministry of Human Resource Development

Q13. Name the campaign to be launched by Madhya Pradesh government from July 1 to control the spread of COVID-19 in the state.

- (a) Eliminate Corona
- (b) End Corona
- (c) Kill Corona
- (d) Finish Corona
- (e) Terminate Corona

Q14. On which day the United Nations observes International Day of Parliamentarism globally every year?

- (a) 27 June
- (b) 28 June
- (c) 29 June
- (d) 30 June
- (e) 01 July

Q15. Ministry of Information Technology, using its power under \_\_\_\_\_ of the Information Technology Act read with the relevant provisions of the Information Technology Rules 2009 has decided to block 59 Chinese apps.

- (a) section 69A
- (b) section 59A
- (c) section 39A
- (d) section 29A
- (e) section 19A

### Solutions

S1. Ans.(d)

Sol. India and Bhutan has signed a pact for the construction of the 600 MW Kholongchhu joint venture hydroelectric project in Bhutan.

S2. Ans.(a)

Sol. Popstar Beyonce has been honored with the BET 2020 Humanitarian Award for her longstanding philanthropic work.

S3. Ans.(b)

Sol. The Madhya Pradesh government will launch a 'Kill Corona' campaign from July 1 to control the spread of COVID-19 in the state.

S4. Ans.(e)

Sol. Maharashtra government has launched the world's largest plasma therapy trials "Project Platina" for COVID-19 patients.

S5. Ans.(b)

Sol. Former Germany footballer Mario Gomez has announced his retirement from the sport. He scored 31 goals in 78 appearances for the national team.

S6. Ans.(e)

Sol. Lazarus Chakwera has become the new President of Malawi.

S7. Ans.(d)

Sol. Uttarakhand forest department has developed India's first lichen park in Kumaon's Munsiyari, Pithoragarh district.

S8. Ans.(c)

Sol. United Nations observes International Asteroid Day globally on 30 June every year to raise public awareness about the asteroid impact hazard.



S9. Ans.(a)

Sol. Government of India has banned 59 Chinese apps citing them prejudicial to the sovereignty and integrity of India, the defence of India, the security of state and public order.

S10. Ans.(e)

Sol. Noted Kannada novelist Geetha Nagabhushan has passed away recently. She was the first woman writer to bag Kendra Sahitya Academy and Nadoja awards.

S11. Ans.(b)

Sol. Maharashtra government has launched the world's largest plasma therapy trials "Project Platina" for COVID-19 patients.

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