



EXCEL CIVILS ACADEMY

DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS

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1. With reference to the Farmers (Empowerment and Protection) Agreement of Price Assurance and Farm Services Bill, 2020, consider the following statements:
 - 1) Sale, lease or mortgage of farmers' land is allowed.
 - 2) Effective dispute resolution mechanism has been provided for with clear time lines for redressal.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
2. Which of the following organization as the third party, played a pivotal role in crafting the Indus Water Treaty (IWT) between India and Pakistan?
 - a) World Bank
 - b) World Economic Forum
 - c) IMF
 - d) None of the above
3. 'Blue Flag' certification, often mentioned in news, is awarded by:
 - a) Green peace
 - b) WWF
 - c) UNEP
 - d) None of the above
4. India recently launched its own eco-label "BEAMS" (Beach Environment & Aesthetics Management Services) under:
 - a) Sagarmala Project
 - b) Integrated Coastal Zone Management (ICZM) project
 - c) National Mission For A Green India (GIM)
 - d) None of the above
5. With reference to the International Coastal Clean-Up Day, consider the following statements:
 - 1) The International Coastal Clean-Up Day is being celebrated on September 19, 2020 around the world.
 - 2) International Coastal Cleanup (ICC) Day takes place on the second Saturday in September every year, and is one of the largest one-day volunteer event in the world.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
6. With reference to the Jammu and Kashmir Integrated Grievance Redress and Monitoring System (JK-IGRAMS), consider the following statements:
 - 1) It aims to create an interface with the public and focus on governance issues in the Union Territory.
 - 2) There will be a minute by minute status update of the grievances on the portal.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
7. Consider the following statements:
 - 1) The Montreux Record is a register of wetland sites of international importance.
 - 2) Three wetlands of India are in Montreux Record.Which of the statements given above is/are not correct?
 - a) 1 only
 - b) 2 only
 - c) Both 1 and 2
 - d) Neither 1 nor 2

8. With reference to 'Basic Exchange and Cooperation Agreement (BECA)', consider the following statement:

- 1) BECA will allow India to use the geospatial maps of the USA for military use.
- 2) It is one of the four foundational military communication agreements between India and USA.

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

9. Which of the following reports are published by the World Bank?

- 1) Global Economic Prospects
- 2) Ease of Doing Business
- 3) Global Risks Report
- 4) World Development Report
- 5) Human Capital Index

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

- a) 1, 2, 3 and 5 b) 1, 2, 4 and 5 c) 2, 3, 4 and 5 d) 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5

10. With reference to the Convention on Biological Diversity (CBD), consider the following statements:

- 1) Nagoya and Cartagena protocols are signed under CBD.
- 2) CBD has also released Aichi Targets on biodiversity for 2030.
- 3) India is a party to the CBD convention.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- a) 1 only b) 2 and 3 only c) 1 and 3 only d) 1, 2 and 3 only