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- 1. With reference to United Nations Climate Change Framework Convention (UNFCCC), consider the following statements:
 - 1) The Conference of Parties (COP) is the apex decision-making body of the UNFCCC.
 - 2) It was formed in 1994 to stabilize greenhouse gas emissions and protect the earth from the threat of climate change.
 - 3) COP 27 was held in Sharm el-Sheikh, Egypt.

Which of the above statements is/are correct?

- a) 1 and 2 only
- b) 2 and 3 only
- c) 1 and 3 only
- d) 1, 2 and 3 only
- 2. Consider the following statements with reference to Voice of the Global South Summit:
 - 1) It was hosted by India to discuss the goals to achieve the long-term temperature goal targeted under Paris Climate Summit.
 - 2) It was held under the theme 'Unity of Voice, Unity of Purpose'.
 - 3) The 'Global South' broadly refers to countries in Asia, Africa, and South America, North America.

Which of the above statements is/are NOT correct?

- a) 1 and 2 only
- b) 2 and 3 only
- c) 1 and 3 only
- d) All of the above
- 3. With reference to inflation targeting in India, consider the following statements:
 - 1) Only the Reserve Bank of India sets the inflation target.
 - 2) Inflation targets are linked to the Consumer Price Index.

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

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- 4. Which of the following correctly describe the term 'Money Multiplier"?
 - a) It is the number of times a unit of currency can be used to purchase new goods and services.
 - b) It is the total monetary assets held by the central bank regarding a base year.
 - c) It is a factor to calculate the Repo rate by the Central Bank.
 - d) It is the amount of money that banks generate with deposits by public.
- 5. In the Context of Indian Economy, recently, SEBI mulls new facility to protect investor funds. Consider the following statements regarding SEBI.
 - 1) SEBI is a statutory body established on April 12, 1992 in accordance with the provisions of the Securities and Exchange Board of India Act, 1992.
 - 2) The basic functions of the Securities and Exchange Board of India is to protect the interests of investors in securities and to promote and regulate the securities market.
 - 3) Before SEBI came into existence, Controller of Capital Issues was the regulatory authority; it derived authority from the Capital Issues (Control) Act, 1947.

Which of the above statements is/are correct?

- a) 1 and 2 only
- b) 2 and 3 only
- c) 1 and 3 only
- d) d.1, 2 and 3
- 6. In the Context of Indian Economy, Budget is to be rolled on 1st February 2023. Consider the following statements:
 - 1) The term Budget was nowhere used in the constitution.
 - 2) According to Article 112 of the Indian Constitution, the Union Budget of a year, also referred to as the annual financial statement, is a statement of the estimated receipts and expenditure of the government for that particular year.

Select the correct answer using the codes given below:

- a) 1 only
- b) 2 only
- c) Both 1 and 2
- d) Neither 1 nor 2
- 7. In the Indian economy, SC to hear Google's plea for stay on CCI's ₹1,337-cr. fine today. In this context consider the following statements regarding CCI:
 - 1) The Competition Act was passed in 2002 and has been amended by the Competition (Amendment) Act, 2007

2) The commission is a quasi-judicial body which gives opinions to statutory authorities and also deals with other cases.

Select the correct answer using the codes given below:

- a) 1 only
- b) 2 only
- c) Both 1 and 2
- d) Neither 1 nor 2
- 8. In the Indian economy

Budget is to be rolled on 1st February 2023. Consider the following statements:

- 1) Capital expenditure is incurred with the purpose of increasing assets of a durable nature or of reducing recurring liabilities.
- 2) Revenue expenditure involves any expenditure that does not add to assets or reduce liabilities.

Select the correct answer using the codes given below:

- a) 1 only
- b) 2 only
- c) Both 1 and 2
- d) Neither 1 nor 2
- 9. Consider the following statements related to Solar System:
 - 1) The Sun rays can never be overhead beyond the tropical zone.
 - 2) In the month of June, Southern Hemisphere has its longest day.
 - 3) During equinox, daytime and night-time are of approximately equal duration all over the planet.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- a) 2 and 3 only
- b) 1, 2 and 3
- c) 1 and 3 only
- d) 1 and 2 only
- 10. Consider the following statements with respect to the Sub-tropical high-pressure belt:
 - 1) Sub-Tropical high-pressure belt is not thermally induced, and owes its origin to the rotation of the earth and sinking and settling down of winds.
 - 2) The pressure belts occupy their normal ideal position at the time of the equinox.
 - 3) This belt is characterized by cyclonic conditions.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

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

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