



EXCEL CIVILS ACADEMY

DAILY CURRENT AFFAIRS

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1. With reference to the Association of World Election Bodies (A-WEB), consider the following statements:
 - 1) It is largest association of Election Management Bodies (EMBs) worldwide.
 - 2) At present A-WEB has 115 EMBs as Members & 16 Regional Associations/Organisations as Associate Members.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. With reference to the HIV/AIDS Patients in India, consider the following statements:
 - 1) The HIV epidemic has an overall decreasing trend in country with estimated annual New HIV infections declining by 37% between 2010 and 2019.
 - 2) There are no dedicated hospitals for the treatment of HIV/AIDS patients.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
3. With reference to the parliamentary committees, consider the following statements:
 - 1) There are 14 departmentally related Standing Committees.
 - 2) Both Joint Parliamentary Committees (JPC) and Select Committee are chaired by MPs from the ruling party.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
4. 1776 Commission, recently seen in news, is an initiative of:
 - a) World Bank
 - b) IMF
 - c) World Economic Forum
 - d) None of the above
5. Which of the following state government proposed to establish the country's 'biggest' film city?
 - a) Uttar Pradesh
 - b) Gujarat
 - c) Madhya Pradesh
 - d) Punjab
6. With reference to the Official Secrets Act, consider the following statements:
 - 1) It was amended and made more stringent in the form of The Indian Official Secrets Act, 1904, during Lord Curzon's tenure as Viceroy of India.
 - 2) Under Section 5, only the person communicating the information can be punished.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. With reference to INS Viraat, consider the following statements:
 - 1) It is an Aircraft Carrier with the longest service in the world.
 - 2) INS Viraat proved pivotal in Operation Jupiter in 1989 during the Sri Lankan Peacekeeping operation.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
8. With reference to Beach Environment & Aesthetics Management Services (BEAMS), consider the following statements:

- 1) It has been launched under the Integrated Coastal Zone Management project.
- 2) It is launched by the Union Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change.
- 3) Its objective is to protect & conserve coastal ecosystems & natural resources.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

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

9. Consider the following statements:

- 1) The basin of the Indus river system is shared only by India and Pakistan.
- 2) The Indus Water Treaty allows India to use upto 20% water of eastern rivers.

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

10. With reference to the protection status of Sloth Bear, consider the following statements:

- 1) It is listed as endangered under the IUCN Red List.
- 2) It is protected under Schedule I of the Indian Wildlife Protection Act, 1972.

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