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**Q1.** Union Law Ministry notified Delhi High Court Amendment Act, 2015. Consider the following statements in the given context:

- It empowers the Chief Justice of the Delhi High Court to transfer any pending suit or other proceedings to a relevant subordinate court.
- It provides for the enhancement of pecuniary jurisdiction of the District Courts of Delhi from 20 lakh to 2 crore rupees.

Which of the above statement is/are **correct**?

- a) 1 and 2 both
  - b) 2 only
  - c) 1 only
  - d) Neither 1 nor 2
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**Q2.** The Indian government in Union Budget 2014-15 has proposed to open new AIIMS in which of the following states?

- Kerala
- Punjab
- Tamil Nadu
- Assam

Codes:

- a) 2, 3 and 4 only
  - b) 3 and 4 only
  - c) 1, 2 and 3 only
  - d) All of these
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**Q3.** Consider the following statements.

- India will host the second edition meeting of the Forum for India-Pacific Islands Cooperation (FIPIIC) on 21 August 2015 in Jaipur, Rajasthan.
- The FIPIIC meeting will pave the way for agreements in various potential areas between India and these nations.
- It will include sectors such as agriculture, fisheries, food processing, solar energy etc.

Which among the above is/are **correct**?

- a) 2 and 3 only
- b) 1 and 2 only
- c) 2 only
- d) All of these

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**Q4.** Which of the following statements are **correct** regarding Warehousing Corporations (Amendment) Bill, 2015?

- It seeks to give status of 'Maharatna' Public Sector Enterprise to Central Warehousing Corporation (CWC)
- The central government will become the financial guarantor once the bill is passed.

Codes

- a) 2 only
- b) Both 1 and 2
- c) 1 only
- d) Neither 1 Nor 2

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**Q5.** A copper crown with beads of carnelian - a semi precious gemstone associated with the Harappan civilisation has recently been found at:

- a) Hastinapur
  - b) Baghat
  - c) Ropar
  - d) Meerut
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**Q6.** Takahiro Hachigo has been appointed as President and Chief Executive Officer of which of the following motor company?

- a) Mitsubishi
  - b) Toyota
  - c) Suzuki
  - d) Honda
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**Q7.** Which of the following pairs are correct?

- World Hindi Day: 10 January
- Pravasi Bharatiya Divas: 7 January
- International Day of Yoga: 21 June

Codes:

- a) 1 and 3 only
  - b) 2 and 3 only
  - c) 1 and 2 only
  - d) All of these
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**Q8.** “Tear You Apart” campaign is related to :

- a) Anti-Globlization Campaign
  - b) Tobacco control campaign
  - c) Sanitation campaign
  - d) Health Awareness Campaign
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**Q9.** Consider the following statements

- Union Government has selected Irom Chanu Sharmila as Brand Ambassador for the North East Region.
- She is also first Indian woman boxer to get a Gold Medal in the 2014 Asian Games held at Incheon, South Korea.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- a) 2 only

- b) Both 1 and 2
  - c) 1 only
  - d) Neither of the above
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**Q10.** SBIINTOUCH launched by State Bank of India relates to

- a) home loans
  - b) infrastructure loans
  - c) digital branches
  - d) ATM services
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**Q11.** Which of the following statements are **correct** regarding high-level panel on urban cooperative banks (UCB) appointed by the Reserve Bank of India?

- The panel will be headed by Raghuram Rajan.
- It will suggest appropriate size of UCBs and the line of businesses it may be permitted to undertake.
- It will analyse the modalities of implementing the suggestion of the Malegam Committee.

Codes

- a) 1 and 3 only
  - b) 2 and 3 only
  - c) 1 and 2 only
  - d) All of these
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**Q12.** ONGC Videsh Ltd (OVL) will sign a deal to acquire oilfields in Siberia. Which of the following oilfields are included in the deal?

- PetroCarabobo
- San Cristoba
- Vankor
- Yurubcheno Tokhomskiye

Codes:

- a) 2 and 3 only
- b) 1 and 4 only
- c) 1 and 2 only

d) 3 and 4 only

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**Q13.** Which of the following are the recommendations of Deepak Parekh Committee on Infrastructure?

- Establish a PPP model for power distribution
- Power Tariffs should be under a grading system according to the paying capabilities of households.
- Privatisation of coal mining
- Disinvestment in Public Sector Banks

Codes:

- a) 1, 2 and 3 only
- b) 3 and 4 only
- c) 1 and 2 only
- d) All of the above

**Q14.** Who has been appointed as the new Chief Election Commissioner (CEC) of India?

- a) Sindhushree Khullar
- b) Harishankar Brahma
- c) S C Sinha
- d) Sekhar Basu

**Q15.** India has recently signed a Memorandum of Understanding in the field of textile and clothing with which of the following countries?

- a) Belarus
- b) Kyrgyzstan
- c) Turkmenistan
- d) Kazakhstan

## Answers to the above questions :

### Q1. Answer: (a)

The act empowers the Chief Justice of the Delhi High Court to transfer any pending suit or other proceedings to a relevant subordinate court. The Act provides for enhancement of pecuniary jurisdiction of the District Courts of Delhi from Rs. 20 lakh to Rs. 2 crores.

### Q2. Answer: (a)

The budget has proposed to open few new AIIMS in Jammu and Kashmir, Punjab, Tamil Nadu, Himachal Pradesh, Bihar and Assam.

### Q3. Answer: (d)

India will host the second edition meeting of the Forum for India-Pacific Islands Cooperation (FIPIC) on 21 August 2015 in Jaipur, Rajasthan.

The meeting will be attended by the heads of 14 island nations from the Indo-Pacific oceanic region.

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### Q4. Answer: (d)

The bill states that the CWC has been awarded the 'Miniratna' by the Department of Public Enterprises.

As per the criteria, the government will not continue as the financial guarantor of the enterprise.

**Q5. Answer: (b)**

The accidental discovery of a skeleton wearing what appears to be a copper crown has created a buzz in Baghpat district of Uttar Pradesh.

**Q6. Answer: (d)**

Takahiro Hachigo has replaced Takanobu Ito to become new President and CEO of Honda. Before this, he was Managing Officer of Honda Motor Co.

**Q7. Answer: (a)**

Pravasi Bharatiya Divas is celebrated in India on 9 January each year to mark the contribution of the overseas Indian community to the development of India.

**Q8. Answer: (b)**

Ministry of Health & Family welfare launched the nation wide National Tobacco Control campaign known as–Tears you apart.

**Q9. Answer: (a)**

Union Government has selected legendary boxer and five-time world boxing champion MC Mary Kom as Brand Ambassador for the North East Region.

**Q10. Answer: (c)**

SBI, under SBIINTOUCH, has launched six digital branches across the country to provide next generation banking solutions.

**Q11. Answer: (b)**

RBI's Deputy Governor R Gandhi will head the committee.

**Q12. Answer: (d)**

Petro Carabobo and San Cristoba oilfields are located in Venezuela.

**Q13. Answer: (a)**

Disinvestment in Public Sector Banks is not a proposal by the committee.

**Q14. Answer: (b)**

Harishankar Brahma succeeded V S Sampat to become new Chief Election Commissioner (CEC) of India.

**Q15. Answer: (b)**

India has signed MoU with Kyrgyzstan in the three fields. These include Textiles and Clothing, Silk and Sericulture and Fashion.

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