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DIRECTIONS:

In each question be low is given a statement followed by two assumptions numbered I and II. An assumption is something supposed or taken for granted. You have to consider the statement and the following assumptions and decide which of the assumptions is implicit in the statement.

Give your answer as;

- 1. if only assumption I is implicit.
- 2. if only assumption II is implicit.
- 3. if either I or II is implicit.
- 4. if neither I nor II is implicit.
- 5. if both I and II are implicit.

Q1. Statement:

The 'M' Cooperative Housing Society has put up a notice at its gate that salespersons are not allowed inside the society.

Assumptions:

- **I.** All the salespersons will stay away from the 'M' Cooperative Housing Society.
- **II.** The security guard posted at the gate may be able to stop the salespersons entering the society.
- a) if only assumption I is implicit.
- b) if only assumption II is implicit.
- c) if either I or II is implicit.
- d) if neither I nor II is implicit.
- e) if both I and II are implicit.

Q2. Statement:

"A tempting cup of garma garam Georgia now awaits you at every street corner. So no matter who you are or where you go, a Georgia Vending Machine will hand

you the same clean, delicious cup of tea in Regular, Adrak, Elaichi and Masala. And if you're looking for a change try the Regular, Mocha and Cappuccino coffee. One sip will make you realise why every other alternative is a mere compromise!"

—An advertisement

Assumptions:

- **I.** Most of the people need delicious cup of tea or coffee with a change in taste.
- **II.** Every person is addicted to either tea or coffee.
- a) if only assumption I is implicit.
- b) if only assumption II is implicit.
- c) if either I or II is implicit.
- d) if neither I nor II is implicit.
- e) if both I and II are implicit.

Q3. Statement:

"Why do we put pressures on children to do exercises when they become adamant not to do the same? Why not opt for other mediums such as break-dance etc to fulfil the desired objectives?"

Assumptions:

- I. Break-dances and exercises have some common benefits.
- II. Children would not have any hesitation participating in breakdances.
- a) if only assumption I is implicit.
- b) if only assumption II is implicit.
- c) if either I or II is implicit.
- d) if neither I nor II is implicit.
- e) if both I and II are implicit.

Q4. Statement:

How can you be so rude? Your father was such a polite person!

- I. Politeness is hereditary.
- II. Politeness is not hereditary.
- a) if only assumption I is implicit.
- b) if only assumption II is implicit.

- c) if either I or II is implicit.
- d) if neither I nor II is implicit.
- e) if both I and II are implicit.

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Q5. Statement:

"This time electronic voting machines will be used during elections."

Chief Election Commissioner.

Assumptions:

- **I.** It will reduce malpractices during counting of votes.
- **II.** Electronic voting machine is convenient for the voters to use.
- a) if only assumption I is implicit.
- b) if only assumption II is implicit.
- c) if either I or II is implicit.
- d) if neither I nor II is implicit.
- e) if both I and II are implicit.

Q6. Statement:

"If you want your writing speed to increase, then use only 0.7 pens" -an advertisement..

- **I.** In market other kinds of pens are available too.
- **II.** The person who have been told about 0.7 pens can understand about the specifications.
- a) If only assumption I is implicit
- b) If only assumption II is implicit
- c) If either I or II is implicit
- d) If neither I nor II is implicit
- e) If both I and II are implicit.

Q7. Statement:

"Mail your grievance and confidential information to the commissioner of police."

Request of city police to citizens

Assumptions:

- **I.** All categories of people, be it the poor or the senior citizens, might have grievances.
- II. People have blind faith in the efficiency of flying squad of vigilance branch.
- a) if only assumption I is implicit.
- b) if only assumption II is implicit.
- c) if either I or II is implicit.
- d) if neither I nor II is implicit.
- e) if both I and II are implicit.

Q8. Statement:

When we can't even buy a fan, how can we afford a cooler?

Assumptions:

- I. We can't afford a cooler.
- II. A cooler is costlier than a fan.
- a) if only assumption I is implicit.
- b) if only assumption II is implicit.
- c) if either I or II is implicit.
- d) if neither I nor II is implicit.
- e) if both I and II are implicit.

Q9. Statement:

Mohan requested his mother to arrange for food for about thirty persons as he invited all his friends to celebrate his birthday.

- I. Most of Mohan's friends may come to his house on his birthday.
- II. There may not be more than thirty who may attend Mohan's birthday party.
- a) if only assumption I is implicit.
- b) if only assumption II is implicit.

- c) if either I or II is implicit.
- d) if neither I nor II is implicit.
- e) if both I and II are implicit.

Q10. Statement:

Some of our staff are not giving their full output. We must punish them. - A manager to his colleague

Assumptions:

- **I.** The manager is in a position to punish the erring staff.
- II. The manager may not be in a position to punish the erring staff.
- a) if only assumption I is implicit.
- b) if only assumption II is implicit.
- c) if either I or II is implicit.
- d) if neither I nor II is implicit.
- e) if both I and II are implicit.

Q11. Statement:

"Irrespective of who comes to power, what is of prime importance is to heal the badly shaken lives of the people of state 'X' with the assurance that things would not go haywire in future."

A citizen of state X

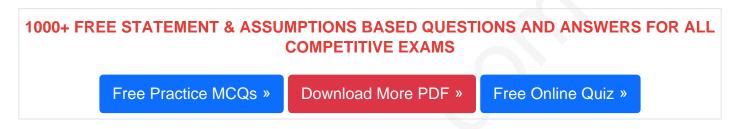
- **I.** The tenets of good governance and development must form the bedrock of the party that forms the next government in the state.
- **II.** To concentrate on the prime needs of the citizen is the only way by which the image of tarnished state 'X' can be improved.
- a) if only assumption I is implicit.
- b) if only assumption II is implicit.
- c) if either I or II is implicit.
- d) if neither I nor II is implicit.
- e) if both I and II are implicit.

Q12. Statement:

The Government of India has decided to start a track II dialogue with its neighbour to reduce tension in the area.

Assumptions:

- **I.** The neighbouring country may agree to participate in the track II dialogue.
- II. The people involved in track II dialogue may be able to persuade their respective Governments.
- a) if only assumption I is implicit.
- b) if only assumption II is implicit.
- c) if either I or II is implicit.
- d) if neither I nor II is implicit.
- e) if both I and II are implicit.



Q13. Statement:

Nobody can predict as to how long our country would take to contain the unfortunate and disastrous terrorist activities..

Assumptions:

- **I.** It is impossible to put on end to terrorist activities.
- **II.** Efforts to control the terrorist activities are on.
- a) If only assumption I is implicit
- b) If only assumption II is implicit
- c) If either I or II is implicit
- d) If neither I nor II is implicit
- e) If both I and II are implicit.

Q14. Statement:

"International players are role models and set examples by their actions on the field. Whatever we do on field makes impact on younger generation."

Zimbabwean captain Heath Streak

Assumptions:

- I. International players should be cautious in their approach.
- II. Most of international players lack good behaviour on the field.
- a) if only assumption I is implicit.
- b) if only assumption II is implicit.
- c) if either I or II is implicit.
- d) if neither I nor II is implicit.
- e) if both I and II are implicit.

Q15. Statement:

The school authority has decided to increase the number of students in each classroom to seventy from the next academic session to bridge the gap between income and expenditure to the largest extent

Assumptions:

- I. The income generated by way of fees of the additional students will be sufficient enough to bridge gap
- II. The school will get all the additional students in each class from the next academic session
- a) if only assumption I is implicit.
- b) if only assumption II is implicit.
- c) if either I or II is implicit.
- d) if neither I nor II is implicit.
- e) if both I and II are implicit.

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Answers to the above questions:

Q1. Answer: (e)

When a notice is given by an organisation to a group of persons, the former assumes that the latter will follow it.

Hence, I is implicit.

Q2. Answer: (a)

Assumption I is implicit. That is why the advertisement highlights "And if you're looking for a change".

Q3. Answer: (e)

Talking of break-dances as a substitute for exercise makes I implicit. At the same time when a substitute is talked about it must have been assumed that it will be suitable for the existing situation.

Hence II is also implicit.

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Q4. Answer: (a)

If a polite person's son being rude is a matter of shock then it must be assumed that politeness usually passes from father to son. So I is implicit.

Q5. Answer: (e)

Why the need to use the electronic voting machine? Chief Election Commissioner is definitely assuming I. Any system won't be recommended if it is not convenient to use for common people.

Hence II is implicit.

Q6. Answer: (e)

Both assumptions are implicit.

Q7. Answer: (d)

The request of the city police implies that the city police assume that "some people have grievances". Assumption I is not implicit due to the words "All categories". It is also not implicit because the statement does not say anything about flying squad of vigilance branch.

Q8. Answer: (e)

I is obvious from the statement. It is obvious by the way cooler is compared to fan in the statement.

Q9. Answer: (a)

I is implicit in the preparation being made. But II is not implicit as "about thirty" implies "nearly thirty

— maybe a few less, maybe a few more".

Q10. Answer: (a)

If a manager contemplates punishment for the erring staff, a capability to punish must be assumed.

Q11. Answer: (a)

I is implicit. The "badly shaken lives" will be headed through development. "That things would not go haywire" can be assured through good governance. It is not implicit: we don't know whether the image of the state has been tarnished.

Q12. Answer: (e)

A decision to start any sort of dialogue with one's neighbour assumes that the neighbour will also participate in it.

Hence I is implicit. II is implicit because track II dialogue can be meaningful only when the respective Govts agree to abide by it.

Q13. Answer: (b)

- INVALID:If it would have been "impossible", the person would said that such unfortunate
 and disastrous terrorist activities could never be contained. He wouldn't have been
 optimistic about it
- VALID: Root Cause. It must have been assumed that the efforts to control such acts are
 on, that is why it is said that no one can predict how long it would take to control such
 acts.

Q14. Answer: (a)

I is implicit. It is possible that his statement is general and his intention is only to explain the impact of players on the youngsters.

Q15. Answer: (e)

When a move a made, it is assumed to be effective Hence I is implicit. It is also assumed that the stipulated target will be met. Hence II is implicit

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