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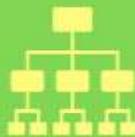
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Q1 Answer: d)

Explanation: All are correct

Q2 Answer: b)

Explanation: Gramin Krishi Mausam Seva (GKMS) scheme is implemented by India Meteorological Department in collaboration with State Agricultural Universities /Indian Council of Agricultural Research etc.It issues crop and location specific weather based agro advisories for the benefit of farming community.

Q3 Answer: b)

Explanation: Mauritius topped the source of foreign direct investment (FDI) into India in 2017-18 followed by Singapore

Q4 Answer: d)

Explanation: All are correct

Q5 Answer: c)

Explanation: Both are correct

Q6 Answer: b)

Explanation: Stand Up India Scheme aims to promote entrepreneurship among Scheduled Caste/Schedule Tribe and Women. The schemes provides for composite loans by banks between Rs. 10 lakh and upto Rs. 100 lakh for setting up a new enterprise in the non-farm sector. These loans would be eligible for refinance and credit guarantee cover

Q7 Answer: a)

Explanation: Banking ombudsman is a quasi judicial authority, created to resolve customer complaints against banks relating to certain services provided by them. The Ombudsman is a senior official, who has been appointed by the Reserve Bank of India.

Q8 Answer: b)

Explanation: Draft charter of Patients' Rights prepared by the National Human Rights Commission (NHRC), has been put up on the Health Ministry's website for comments and suggestions.

Q9 Answer: b)

Explanation: Tejaswini is the scheme for the socio-economic empowerment of Adolescent Girls and Young women. Recently, India signed financing agreement with World Bank (International Development Association) for funding of this scheme

Q10 Answer: d)

Explanation: All are correct

Q11 Answer: a)

Explanation: A Scheme for Promotion of Innovation, Rural Industry & Entrepreneurship (ASPIRE) is launched with an objective to set up a network of technology centers, incubation centres to accelerate entrepreneurship and also to promote start-ups for innovation and

entrepreneurship in rural and agriculture based industry. The planned outcomes of ASPIRE are setting up Technology Business Incubators (TBI), Livelihood Business Incubators (LBI) and creation of a Fund of Funds for such initiatives with SIDBI.

Q12 Answer: a)

Explanation: The objective of the Nai Udaan Scheme is to provide financial support to minority students for preparation of Main Examination, who clear Prelims conducted by Union Public Service Commission, Staff Selection Commission, State Public Service Commission etc. The scheme aims to adequately equip them to compete and to increase the representation of the minority in the Civil Services.

Q13 Answer: c)

Explanation: Both are correct

Q14 Answer: d)

Explanation: All are correct

Q15 Answer: d)

Explanation: Iran's Chabahar port is located on the Gulf of Oman and is the only oceanic port of the country. Iran will handover the strategic Chabahar port to an Indian company within a month for operation as per an interim pact.

Q16 Answer: c)

Explanation: Both are correct

Q17 Answer: b)

Explanation: Mission Kakatiya is a programme for restoring all the minor irrigation tanks and lakes in Telangana State, India.

Q18 Answer: b)

Explanation: It covers both urban and rural a

Q19 Answer: a)

Explanation: Varishtha Pension Bima Yojana is a part of Government's commitment for financial inclusion and social security. It aims to provide social security to elderly persons aged 60 years and above by giving an assured pension at a guaranteed rate of 8% per annum for 10 years.

Q20 Answer: c)

Explanation: Both are correct

Q21 Answer: b)

Explanation: Chennai-based supplier of uninterrupted power Supply (UPS) systems Consul Neowatt announced it has started the world's largest deployment of lithium-ion UPS solution in Andhra Pradesh.

Q22 Answer: c)

Explanation: Both are correct

Q23 Answer: b)

Explanation: Real Estate (Regulation and Development) Act is characterised by trust, rules, regulations and regulatory oversight. It bringing discipline in the Real Estate Sector was one of the core objectives. It ensured an eco-system that would prevent the entry of 'fly by night' operators. The Act attempts to balance the interests of the consumers and the developers by imposing clear responsibilities on both.

Q24 Answer: d)

Explanation: Ujwal DISCOM Assurance Yojana (UDAY) to provide financial and operational turnaround of power distribution companies and aims at long term affordable and accessible 24x7 power supply to all. It has target of making all DISCOMs profitable by 2018-19 through four initiatives such as Improving operational efficiencies of Discoms, Reduction of cost of power, Reduction in interest cost of Discoms, Enforcing financial discipline on DISCOMs through alignment with state finances. Government of India will not include the debt taken over by the states as per the above scheme in the calculation of fiscal deficit of respective states in the financial years 2015-16 and 2016-17. States will issue non-SLR including SDL bonds in the market or directly to the respective banks / financial institutions (FIs) holding the DISCOM debt to the appropriate extent. DISCOM debt not taken over by the state shall be converted by the banks / FIs into loans or bonds.

Q25 Answer: a)

Explanation: India State-level Disease Burden Initiative' report. The report is a joint initiative of the Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR), the Public Health Foundation of India (PHFI) and the Institute for Health Metrics and Evaluation (IHME) in collaboration with the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare. Punjab has been ranked at the top for the burden of ischemic heart disease, followed by Tamil Nadu, and vice-versa for diabetes. Kerala mwas ranked at the top for the burden of cancer, followed by Assam.

Q26 Answer: c)

Explanation: Both are correct

Q27 Answer: a)

Explanation: Pradhan Mantri MUDRA Yojana was launched to give access to cheap credit to poor and small fledgling businesspersons with the objective to provide self-employment. Under the scheme, loans are given to non-farm income generating enterprises in manufacturing and trading and services whose credit needs are below Rs.10 lakh. MUDRA provides refinance support to Banks / MFIs for lending to micro business.

Q28 Ans: C

BRICS (Brazil, Russia, India, China and South Africa) nations had established the BRICS ICM to enhance trade and economic relations amongst BRICS countries

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A Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) on Collaborative Research on Distributed Ledger and Blockchain Technology was also suggested to be inked by all member banks

Q29 Ans: C

The first project covers thirteen sites in Chhattisgarh

Q30 Ans: D

The NTA has been mandated to conduct JEE (Main), NEET (UG), UGC-NET, CMAT and GPAT examinations.

Q31 Ans: b

Q32 Ans: a

It is to promote/incentivize employment generation. Central Government will be paying the 8.33% EPS contribution of the employer for the new employment

Q33 Ans: C

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Q36 Ans: A

Pradhan Mantri Fasal Bima Yojana (PMFBY) is the government sponsored crop insurance scheme that integrates multiple stakeholders on a single platform.

Q37 Ans: D

ITU is a United Nations specialized agency for Information and Communication Technologies, with membership of 193 countries and nearly 800 private sector entities and academic institutions.

Q38 Ans: C

Pakyong Airport is a greenfield airport near Gangtok

Q39 Answer: b)

Explanation: Jharsuguda is the second major airport in Odisha. The airport has been developed under the Centre's UDAN scheme. The Jharsuguda airport has been developed by the Airports Authority of India in collaboration with the Odisha government

Q40 Answer: c)

Explanation: Both are correct

Q41 Answer: c)

Explanation: Both are correct

Q42 Answer: d)

Explanation: All are correct

Q43 Answer: d)

Explanation: The Supreme Court has constituted a three-member committee to look into the problems of jails in India and suggest reform measures. The committee headed by former SC judge Justice Amitava Roy. The committee will look into the aspect of jail reforms across the country and suggest measures to deal with them

Q44 Answer: d)

Explanation: All are correct

Q45 Answer:b)

Explanation: Ease of Living Index is an initiative of Union Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs (MoHUA).Ease of Living framework comprised four pillars namely Institutional, Social, Economic and Physical. The index is in line with SDG (Sustainable Development Goal) 11, to make cities and human settlements inclusive, safe, resilient and sustainable.

Q46 Answer: c)

Explanation: All are correct

Q47 Answer: d)

Explanation: The ESI Corporation has approved 'Atal Bimit Vyakti Kalyan Yojna' for Insured Persons (IP) covered under the Employees' State Insurance Act, 1948. The relief payable in cash directly to the Bank Account in case of unemployment and while they search for new engagement.

Q48 Answer: c)

Explanation: The Supreme Court, in historic judgement upheld Aadhaar as a reasonable restriction on individual privacy that fulfils the government's "legitimate aim" to provide dignity to a large, marginalised population living in abject poverty. Aadhaar is necessary for Pan Card, IT Returns and Government subsidies and benefits. However Government can't denat any benefits in case the aadhaar is not produced.

Q49 Answer: d)

Explanation: All are correct

Q50 Answer: d)

Explanation: AGMARK is a certification mark employed on agricultural products in India, assuring that they conform to a set of standards approved by the Directorate of Marketing and Inspection, an agency of the Government of India.

Q51 Answer: c)

Explanation: All are the provisions of National Digital Communications Policy-2018.

Q52 Answer: c)

Explanation: Both are correct

Q53 Answer: c)

Explanation: Government of India-United Nations Sustainable Development Framework (SDF) to sign a Five-Year Sustainable Development Framework (2018-2022). It outlines the work of UN agencies in India. The NITI Aayog is the national counterpart for the UN in India for the operationalization of the UNSDF. The UNSDF 2018-22 comprises of seven priority areas that outline the work that UN agencies will undertake jointly or individually, fully aligned with the priorities of the GoI.

Q54 Answer: d)

Explanation: All are correct

Q55 Answer: b)

Explanation: The Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs, under the aegis of Swachh Bharat Mission – Urban (SBM – U), has partnered with Google to launch the Loo Review campaign to encourage all local guides in India to rate and review public toilets on Google Maps.

Q56 Answer: a)

Explanation: Poshan Abhiyaan, a scheme aimed at addressing the problem of malnutrition among children, adolescent girls and women. It is formerly known as the National Nutrition Mission (NNM). The programme has fixed goals to reduce low birth weight, stunting and undernutrition (the prevalence of underweight) in children (up to six years of age) by 6% in three years, at the rate of 2% a year anaemia among children, adolescent girls and women (up to 49 years of age) by 9%, at the rate of 3% a year.

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