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Reasoning Questions for CLAT Exam.

CLAT Reasoning Quiz 1

Directions: Read the following information carefully and answer the questions given beside:

There is a meet of eight ministers at Rashtrapati Bhawan. These eight ministers namely Jaitley, Nitin, Prabhu, Paswan, Prakash, Radha, Ravi and Shankar are sitting around a circular table facing the centre but not necessarily in the same order. Each one of them is from a different ministry viz. Agriculture, Finance, Defence, Railways, Health and Family Welfare, HRD, Food Processing Industries and Law & order.

Radha sits second to the right of the representative of Railways. Representatives of Food Processing Industries and Railways are immediate neighbours of the each other. Two people sit between the representative of Food Processing Industries and Nitin. Prabhu and Prakash are immediate neighbours of each other. Neither Prabhu nor Prakash is an immediate neighbour of either Nitin or the representative of Food Processing Industries. Representative of Defence sits second to the right of Paswan, Paswan is neither the representative of Railways nor Food Processing Industries. Ravi and the representative of Agriculture are immediate neighbours of each other. Nitin is not the representative of Agriculture. Only one person sits between Prabhu and the representative of Finance. Shankar sits third to the left of the representative of Law & order. Representative from HRD sits second to the left of the representative of Health and Family Welfare.

1. Who among the following sit between Nitin and the representative from Food Processing Industries?

- A. Jaitley and Radha B. Radha and Ravi C. Shankar and Jaitley
D. Shankar and Ravi E. Nitin and Paswan

2. Who among the following sits second to the left of Nitin?

- A. The representative of Railways
- B. The representative of HRD
- C. The representative of Law & order
- D. The representative of Health and Family Welfare.
- E. None of these

3. Which of the following is true with respect to the given seating arrangement?

- A. Jaitley sits second to the right of the representative of Food Processing Industries.
- B. The representative of Law & Order sits to the immediate left of the representative of Agriculture
- C. Nitin is the representative of Defence
- D. Prabhu sits second to the right of Shankar
- E. Jaitley and Nitin are immediate neighbours of each other

4. Who among the following is the representative of Finance?

- A. Jaitley B. Prabhu C. Shankar D. Ravi E. Paswan

5. Four of the following five are alike in a certain way based on the given arrangement and thus form a group. Which is the one that does not belong to that group?

- A. Jaitley – Food Processing Industries
- B. Prabhu - Finance
- C. Ravi – Law & Order
- D. Prakash – Health and Family Welfare
- E. Nitin – Defence

Correct Answers:

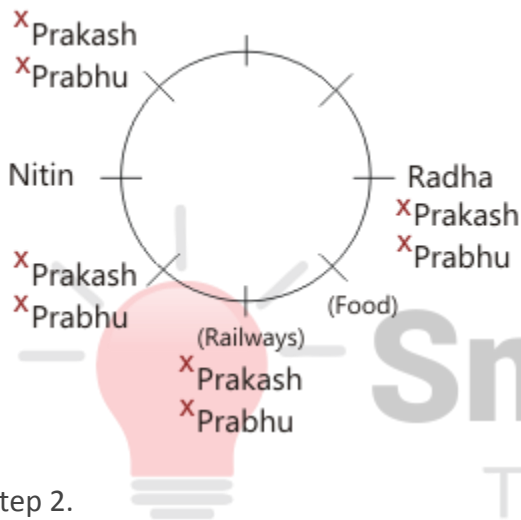
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Common Explanations:

Step 1.

References

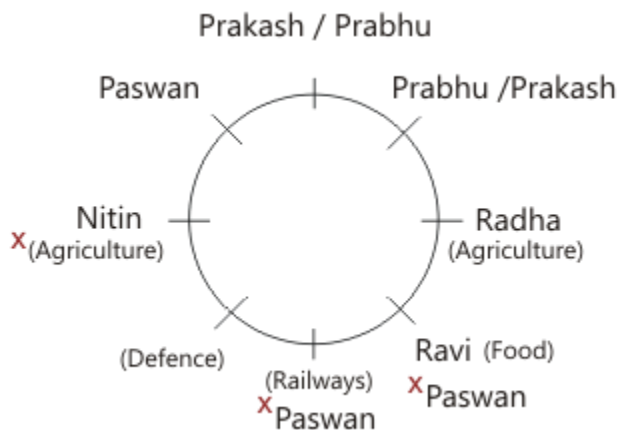
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Step 2.

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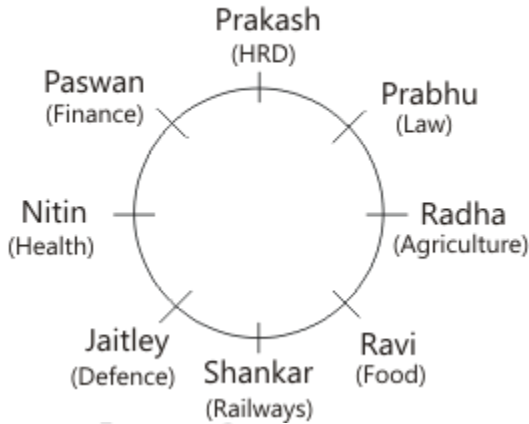
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Step 3.

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Answers :

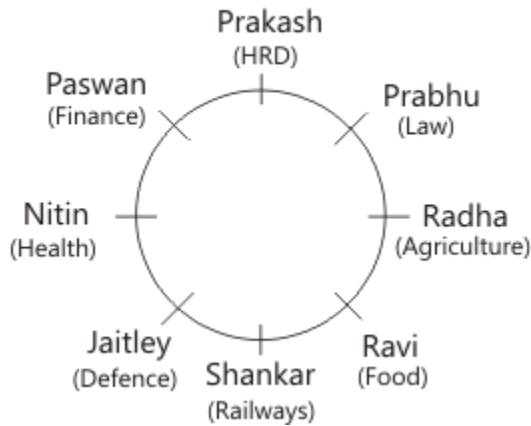
1. By referring to the final seating arrangement chart, we get



We can clearly observe that Jaitley and Shankar are sitting between Nitin and Ravi, who is representative of Food Processing Industries.

Hence, option C is correct.

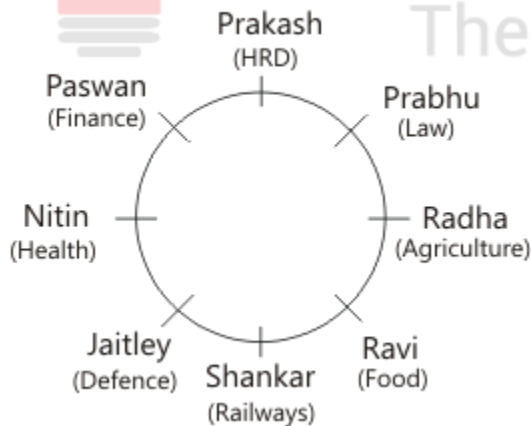
2. By referring to the final seating arrangement chart, we get



We can clearly observe that the representative of HRD, Prakash is sitting second to the left of Nitin.

Hence, option B is correct.

3. By referring to the final seating arrangement chart, we get



We can clearly observe that Jaitley and Nitin are immediate neighbours of each other.

Hence, option E is correct.



4. By referring to the final seating arrangement chart, we get



We can clearly observe that Paswan is the representative of finance.

Hence, option E is correct.

5. By referring to the final seating arrangement chart, we get



Except Nitin – Defence, in all other pairs concerned department minister is sitting second to the right of first person.

Hence, option E is correct..

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