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December 2018 Legal Current Affairs for Law Entrance Exam

DEC LEGAL CA QUIZ 18

Directions: Study the following questions carefully and answer the questions given below.

1. India and _____ have recently agreed to fight terrorism jointly?

- A. Canada B. Russia C. United Kingdom
D. France E. None of these

2. Prime Minister Narendra Modi is going to inaugurate new campus of IIT Bhubaneswar on _____.

- A. December 24 B. December 23 C. December 26
D. December 25 E. None of these

3. Which of the following countries has recently become one of the few countries to formally recognize West Jerusalem as the capital of Israel however it will not move its embassy from Tel Aviv until a peace settlement is reached?

- A. New Zealand B. Australia C. India
D. USA E. None of these

4. Who among the following is going to head the committee to select managing directors of public sector insurance companies?

- A. Ajay Tyagi B. Rahul Dev Vrat C. Subash kHuntia
D. B P Sharma E. None of these

5. Which of the following states has recently become the first one to have a law against 'sextortion'?

- A. Haryana B. Uttar Pradesh C. Jammu and Kashmir
D. Madhya Pradesh E. None of these

6. Who among the following has recently represented India in the Miss Universe 2018 pageant?

- A. Nehal Chudasama B. Manushi Chillar C. Aditi Hundia
D. Roshni Sheoran E. None of these

7. Which of the following countries has recently agreed to compensate hundreds who fled Nazi Germany as children?

- A. Germany B. Britain C. Poland
D. France E. None of these

8. Which of the following countries has recently banned all Indian currency notes above Rs 100?

- A. Bangladesh B. Pakistan C. Nepal
D. Sri Lanka E. None of these

9. Who among the following has recently been appointed England cricket director?

- A. Ashley Giles B. Matthew Hoggard C. Marcus Trescothick
D. Steve Harmison E. None of these

10. Which of the following countries has recently honoured 12 Indian war veterans on its 47th anniversary of the Victory Day?

- A. Nepal B. Vietnam C. Bangladesh
D. Sri Lanka E. None of these

Correct answers:

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Explanations:

1.

Hints to Remember

Who: India and France

What: agreed to fight terrorism jointly

When: published on 15th December 2018

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For the complete information kindly visit given link:

<https://www.timesnownews.com/india/article/india-and-france-agree-to-fight-terrorism-jointly/331521>

2.

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Who: Prime Minister Narendra Modi

What: is to inaugurate new campus of IIT Bhubaneswar on Dec 24

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The prime minister will also lay foundation stone and inaugurate several other development projects in Odisha, the Petroleum and Natural Gas minister said in a tweet.

For the complete information kindly visit given link:

https://www.business-standard.com/article/pti-stories/pm-will-inaugurate-new-campus-of-iit-bhubaneswar-on-dec-24-118121600410_1.html

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For the complete information kindly visit given link:

<http://asiainsurancepost.com/policy/govt-forms-panel-under-bbb-select-md-psu-insurance-firms>

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<https://www.ndtv.com/india-news/jammu-and-kashmir-becomes-first-state-to-bring-law-on-sextortion-1962938>

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<https://www.theguardian.com/world/2018/dec/17/germany-to-compensate-1000-survivors-who-fled-nazis-as-children>

8.

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Who: Nepal

What: banned all Indian currency notes above Rs 100

When: published on 14th December 2018

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For the complete information kindly visit given link:

<https://timesofindia.indiatimes.com/world/south-asia/nepal-bans-indian-currency-notes-of-over-rs-100-denomination/articleshow/67093283.cms>

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<https://www.theweek.in/wire-updates/international/2018/12/16/fgn19-bangla-day.html>



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Top 10 news of the day : 18th December, 2018

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