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December 2018 Legal Current Affairs for Law Entrance Exam

DEC LEGAL CA QUIZ 8

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

1. Bilateral Air Exercise SHINYUU Maitri-18 was recently held in which of the following cities?

- A. Lucknow
- B. Agra
- C. Jhansi
- D. Allahabad
- E. None of these

2. Which of the following cities has recently hosted 1st India-ASEAN InnoTech Summit?

- A. Mumbai
- B. Chennai
- C. New Delhi
- D. Hyderabad
- E. None of these

3. Which of the following Indian film actors has recently topped Forbes' richest Indian celebrity list for third time?

- A. Shah Rukh Khan
- B. Amir Khan
- C. Salman Khan
- D. Akshay Kumar
- E. None of these

4. Name the India's heaviest communication satellite which was recently launched successfully from French Guiana.

- A. GSAT-11
- B. GSAT-10
- C. GSAT-12
- D. GSAT-14
- E. None of these

5. _____ successfully launched 64 small satellites, including India's ExseedSAT-1 in the company's largest-ever "rideshare" mission on a twice-reused Falcon 9 rocket that lifted off from a California launch pad.

- A. ISRO
- B. NASA
- C. Space X
- D. European Space Agency
- E. None of these

6. Prime Minister Narendra Modi is going to inaugurate on December 25 the Bogibeel Bridge, India's longest rail-road bridge. The bridge is built on which of the following rivers?

- A. Ganga River
- B. Chambal River
- C. Brahmaputra River
- D. Krishna River
- E. None of these

7. India has recently signed an agreement with which of the following countries for co-operation and mutual assistance in Customs Matters?

- A. China
- B. Peru
- C. Chile
- D. Brazil
- E. None of these

8. Who among the following named IAAF athletes of the year?

- A. Eliud Kipchoge
- B. Dennis Kipruto Kimetto
- C. Caterine Ibarguen
- D. Both A and C
- E. Mohamed Farah

9. Government of the India has recently sanctioned how many projects worth over 24 thousand crore rupees under National Mission for Clean Ganga?

- A. 254 B. 198 C. 304
D. 289 E. None of these

10. Which of the following state governments has recently launched free pilgrimage scheme for senior citizens?

- A. Jharkhand B. Delhi C. Rajasthan
D. Jharkhand E. None of these



Correct answers:

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
B	C	C	A	C	C	B	D	A	B

Explanations:

1.

Hints to Remember

Who: Bilateral Air Exercise SHINYUU Maitri-18

What: was held in Agra

When: published on 3rd December 2018

The Japanese Air Self Defence Force (JASDF) is in India for a bilateral air exercise SHINYUU Maitri-18 with Indian Air Force from 03-07 Dec 18 at A F Station Agra. The theme of the exercise is joint Mobility/Humanitarian Assistance & Disaster Relief (HADR) on Transport aircraft. The JASDF C2 aircraft along with aircrew/observers are part of this first air exercise between the two Air Forces. IAF is participating with An-32 and C-17 aircraft with aircrew & observers. The focus of the exercise is set for the IAF and JASDF crews to undertake Joint Mobility/ HADR operations. Display of heavy loading/ off loading are also planned to be practiced during this exercise.

For the complete information kindly visit given link:

<http://pib.nic.in/newsite/PrintRelease.aspx?relid=186087>

2.

Hints to Remember

Who: New Delhi

What: hosted 1st India-ASEAN InnoTech Summit

When: published on 30th November 2018

Union Minister of Science & Technology and Earth Sciences, Dr. Harsh Vardhan, today called upon the scientific community in India and ASEAN member states to intensify collaborative research in science, technology and innovation to address the economic and societal challenges being faced by the two regions.

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https://www.business-standard.com/article/news-ani/india-asean-innotech-summit-here-organised-by-ficci-118113000803_1.html

3.

Hints to Remember

Who: Salman Khan

What: topped Forbes' richest Indian celebrity list for third time

When: published on 5th December 2018

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For the complete information kindly visit given link:

<https://www.hindustantimes.com/bollywood/salman-khan-tops-forbes-richest-indian-celebrity-list-for-third-time-shah-rukh-drops-out-of-top-10/story-lwseb585KEptukdYYAyBCM.html>

4.

Hints to Remember

Who: India's heaviest communication satellite GSAT-11

What: was launched successfully from French Guiana

When: published on 5th December 2018

Indian Space Research Organisation's (ISRO) heaviest and most-advanced high throughput communication satellite GSAT-11 was successfully

launched from the Spaceport in French Guiana during the early hours today.

The launch vehicle Ariane 5 VA-246 lifted off from Kourou Launch Base, French Guiana at 02:07 am (IST) carrying India's GSAT-11 and South Korea's GEO-KOMPSAT-2A satellites, as scheduled. Ariane 5 is one of three launch vehicles operated by Arianespace along with Soyuz and Vega.

After a 30-min flight, GSAT-11 separated from the Ariane 5 upper stage in an elliptical Geosynchronous Transfer Orbit. The achieved orbit was very close to the intended one.

The 5854-kg GSAT-11 will provide high data rate connectivity to users of Indian mainland and islands through 32 user beams in Ku-band and 8 hub beams in Ka-band.

For the complete information kindly visit given link:

<https://www.isro.gov.in/update/05-dec-2018/india%E2%80%99s-heaviest-communication-satellite-gsat-11-launched-successfully-french>

5.

Hints to Remember

Who: Space X

What: launches 64 Satellites aboard Reusable Rocket

When: published on 7th December 2018

Space X successfully launched 64 small satellites, including India's ExseedSAT-1 in the company's largest-ever "rideshare" mission on a twice-reused Falcon 9 rocket that lifted off from a California launchpad.

The reusable part of the Falcon 9 rocket — its first stage booster — returned to earth as planned, landing on SpaceX's 'Of Course I Still Love You!' droneship, according to a live video of the flight.

However, the rocket's payload fairing — an enclosure that covers and protects satellites during the intense heat and pressure in the first half of a launch — missed its landing net and ended up in the ocean.

For the complete information kindly visit given link:

<https://www.firstpost.com/tech/science/spacex-rideshare-successfully-launches-64-satellites-on-twice-reused-falcon-9-rocket-5666601.html>



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What: is to inaugurate Bogibeel Bridge, India's longest rail-road bridge, on December 25

When: published on 5th December 2018

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The bridge is 4.94 km long.

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For the complete information kindly visit given link:

<https://www.thehindu.com/news/national/other-states/pm-to-inaugurate-bogibeel-bridge-indias-longest-rail-road-bridge-on-december-25/article25669105.ece>

7.

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Who: India

What: signs an agreement with Peru for co-operation and mutual assistance in Customs Matters

When: published on 5th December 2018

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Finance Ministry, in a release, said the agreement signed in New Delhi is also expected to facilitate trade and ensure efficient clearance of goods traded between the two sides.

For the complete information kindly visit given link:

<http://www.newsoneair.com/Main-News-Details.aspx?id=356319>

8.

Hints to Remember

Who: Eliud Kipchoge and Caterine Ibarguen

What: named IAAF athletes of the year

When: published on 5th December 2018

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<https://www.bbc.com/sport/athletics/46451728>

9.

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Who: Government of India

What: sanctions 254 projects worth over 24 thousand crore rupees under National Mission for Clean Ganga

When: published on 5th December 2018

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Water Resources, River Development and Ganga Rejuvenation Minister Nitin Gadkari said, around five thousand crore rupees have been spent in the last four years under it.

Mr Gadkari was speaking after inaugurating India Water Impact Summit 2018 in New Delhi today. He said the government has decided to spend another three thousand crore rupees next year under the programme.

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<http://www.newsoneair.com/Main-News-Details.aspx?id=356317>

10.

Hints to Remember

Who: Delhi government

What: launches free pilgrimage scheme for senior citizens

When: published on 5th December 2018

The Delhi government launched the 'Mukhyamantri Tirth Yatra Yojana' -- which offers free travel packages on five religious circuits for senior citizens from the national capital.

The scheme, approved by the Cabinet in July, was launched by Chief Minister Arvind Kejriwal at the Delhi Secretariat.

"The scheme will enable 1,100 senior citizens from each Assembly constituency of Delhi per year to undertake free pilgrimage, the expenses for which will be borne by the Delhi government," Kejriwal said, adding that a total of 77,000 pilgrims will be able to avail this facility every year.

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Top 10 news of the day : 8th December, 2018

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