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February 2019 Legal Current Affairs for Law Entrance Exam

FEB LEGAL CA QUIZ 2

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

1. Cyril Ramaphosa was on a 2-day visit to India recently. He is president of which of the following countries?

- A. Cuba B. Mali C. South Africa
D. Australia E. None of these

2. Mariya Ahmed Didi has recently visited India. She is defence minister of which of the following countries?

- A. Malaysia B. Mali C. Maldives
D. Mauritius E. None of these

3. National Voters Day was recently observed on which of the following dates?

- A. January 25 B. January 26 C. January 27
D. January 28 E. None of these

4. Which of the following state cabinets has recently approved Rs 2000 fine for public drinking, cooking?

- A. Maharashtra B. Bihar C. Goa
D. Delhi E. None of these

5. Which of the following state governments is going to disburse Rs 2900 crore for drought relief measures?

Correct answers

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

Explanations:

1.

Hints to Remember

Who: South Africa President Cyril Ramaphosa

What: was on a 2-day visit to India

When: published on 24th January 2019

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For the complete information kindly visit given link:

<https://www.dnaindia.com/india/report-south-africa-president-cyil-ramaphosa-arrives-in-india-says-visit-will-consolidate-ties-2711918>

2.

Hints to Remember

Who; Maldivian Defence Minister Mariya Ahmed Didi

What: is on a visit to India

When: published on 24th January 2019

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The Maldivian Defence Minister will meet her Indian counterpart Nirmala Sitharaman along with a senior delegation including the Defence forces chiefs.

This is Maldivian Defence Minister's first visit outside her country, as she had wanted to visit India as her first destination outside Male.

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<http://www.sify.com/news/maldivian-minister-s-visit-india-maldives-to-strengthen-defence-ties-news-national-tbyaoFeaifagi.html>

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<https://www.indiatoday.in/education-today/gk-current-affairs/story/national-voters-day-2019-why-is-voting-important-for-democratic-countries-1438991-2019-01-25>

4.

Hints to Remember

Who: Goa cabinet

What: has approved Rs 2000 fine for public drinking, cooking

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<https://economictimes.indiatimes.com/news/politics-and-nation/liquor-ban-in-go-3-months-jail-rs-2000-fine-for-drinking-and-cooking-in-open/videoshow/67683555.cms>

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Who: Maharashtra government

What: to disburse Rs 2900 crore for drought relief measures

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"151 Tahsil, 268 Mandals, 923 villages have been declared drought affected. All the schemes related to the light bill, fodder for cows and others are being looked upon," he added.

The minister said that the state government had already sent a proposal to the Centre, demanding Rs 7,900 crore for drought relief measures. However, considering the gravity of the situation, Maharashtra government will distribute Rs 2,900 crore from its own treasury for relief measures in the affected areas.

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<https://www.mid-day.com/articles/maharashtra-government-to-disburse-rs-2900-crore-for-drought-relief-measures/20295185>

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Who: CBI

What: books ex-Air India chief Arvind Jadhav, others in corruption case

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<https://www.hindustantimes.com/india-news/cbi-books-ex-air-india-chief-arvind-jadhav-others-in-corruption-case/story-7jBwrG8NgzFmNxZwc1qqUJ.html>

7.

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Who: IndiGo

What: has appointed Ronojoy Dutta as new CEO

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<https://www.businesstoday.in/sectors/aviation/indigo-appoints-ronojoy-dutta-as-its-new-ceo/story/313276.html>

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Who: Renault

What: names Thierry Bollore CEO, Senard chairman

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9.

Hints to Remember

Who: ISRO

What: successfully launched Microsat R into space

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Top 10 news of the day : 2nd February 2019

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