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Directions: The given sentence has been broken up into four different parts. The error, if any, will be in one or more parts of the sentence. Select the option which contains the part/parts of the sentence which has/have an error (spelling, grammatical or contextual). If there is no error, choose option E.

1. Parliament is not competing to (A) / enacts any law which is inconsistent (B) / with a fundamental rights (C) / enshrined in Part III of the Constitution. (D)

A. Only B B. Only A and C C. Only A, B and C D. Only B, C and D E. No error

2. The market's impressive recovery from the (A) / day's lows has offered some reason for (B) / optimism to investors, who believe the fall was (C) / simply a temporary correction in a bull market. (D)

A. Only C B. Only A and C C. Only B and D D. Only A, B and D E. No error

3. An ordinance is a constitutionally sanctioned (A) / ad hoc mechanism for which critically (B) / urgent situations are meet when Parliament (C) / or a State Assembly is not in session. (D)

A. Only C B. Only B and C C. Only A, B and D D. Only B, C and D E. No error

4. Given there limited attention and (A) / computational capacity, people gravitate (B) / towards the status quo, which often results (C) / in a gap between a policy's intent and action. (D)

A. Only A B. Only D C. Only A and C D. Only B and D E. No error

5. Over the last few years, it has being observed (A) / that even the most well-intentioned public (B) / policy programmes fails to be adopted by (C) / people who would benefit from them the most. (D)

A. Only B B. Only C C. Only A and C D. Only A, B and C E. No error

6. The victory was no surprise but it take a (A) / nerve-racking final with Bangladesh in (B) / Dubai for Rohit Sharma's men to win the Asia (C) / Cup and and fulfil their pre-tournament billing.(D)

A. Only C B. Only A and B C. Only B and D D. Only A, B and C E. No error

7. The message from the banking regulator appears (A) / to be that it is keen to word off any risks to (B) / the availability and cost of short-term credit from (C) / any unforeseen financial market volatility.(D)

A. Only C B. Only B C. Only A and C D. Only B and D E. No error

8. Food prices that have remained benign, helping (A) / slow overall CPI inflation, could also start hardening (B) / once the impact of the higher payout on the (C) / minimum support price for kharif crops kicks out.(D)

A. Only C B. Only D C. Only A and C D. Only B, C and D E. No error

9. With the U.S. Federal Reserve now firmly sets on its (A) / policy normalization path and having raise (B) / interest rates, the RBI would normally be expect to (C) / increase benchmark borrowing costs in India as well. (D)

A. Only A B. Only A and B C. Only B and D D. Only A, B and C E. No error

10. When a religious practice goes so far as to deny (A) / women equal status in society, the Constitution (B) / ought to mandate a shattering of the conventional (C) / divides between the private and the public.(D)

A. Only B B. Only C C. Only A and C D. Only A, C and D E. No error

Correct Answers:

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

Explanations :

1. Fragment A: Parliament is not **competing** to

Competing is incorrect as the statement talks about competency of the Parliament to indulge in certain acts.

Correct: Parliament is not **competent** to

Fragment B: **enacts** any law which is inconsistent

Here, the error is with respect to subject-verb disagreement.

Correct: **enact** any law which is inconsistent

Fragment C: with **a** fundamental rights

Specific rights are being spoken about here and thus, article 'the' would be used.

Correct: with **the** fundamental rights

Correct: Parliament is not competent to enact any law which is inconsistent with the fundamental rights enshrined in Part III of the Constitution.

Hence, option C is correct.

2. All the fragments are correct and hence, there is no error in the statement.

Hence, option E is correct.

3. Fragment B: ad hoc mechanism **for** which critically

The preposition used here is incorrect and the correct one would be **by**.

Correct: ad hoc mechanism **by** which critically

Fragment C: urgent situations are **meet** when Parliament

The tense here is incorrect.

Correct: urgent situations are **met** when Parliament

Correct: An ordinance is a constitutionally sanctioned ad hoc mechanism by which critically urgent situations are met when Parliament or a State Assembly is not in session.

Hence, option B is correct.

4. **Fragment A:** Given **there** limited attention and

Correct: Given **their** limited attention and

Correct: Given their limited attention and computational capacity, people gravitate towards the status quo, which often results in a gap between the policy's intent and action.

Hence, option A is correct.

5. **Fragment A:** Over the last few years, it has **being** observed

Correct: Over the last few years, it has **been** observed

Fragment C: policy programmes **fails** to be adopted by

Correct: policy programmes **fail** to be adopted by

There is subject verb disagreement here as multiple programmes are being talked about here.

Correct: Over the last few years, it has been observed that even the most well-intentioned public policy programmes fail to be adopted by people who would benefit from them the most.

Hence, option C is correct.

6. **Fragment A:** The victory was no surprise but it **take** a

Here, the event has already occurred and thus the tense needs to change.

Correct: The victory was no surprise but it **took** a

Fragment B: nerve-racking final **with** Bangladesh in the correct word here would be *against* as the tournament opponent team was Bangladesh

Correct: nerve-racking final **against** Bangladesh in

Both fragments A and B are incorrect.

Correct: The victory was no surprise but it took a nerve-racking final against Bangladesh in Dubai for Rohit Sharma's men to win the Asia Cup and fulfil their pre-tournament billing.

Hence, option B is correct.

7. Fragment B: to be that it is keen to **word off** any risks to

The correct phrase is to ward off which means *to prevent something from happening or harming you*.

Correct: to be that it is keen to **ward off** any risks to

Only fragment B is incorrect.

Correct: The message from the banking regulator appears to be that it is keen to ward off any risks to the availability and cost of short-term credit from any unforeseen financial market volatility.

Hence, option B is correct.

8. Fragment D: minimum support price for kharif crops **kicks out**

The correct phrase is to *kick in* which means to come into force.

Correct: minimum support price for kharif crops **kicks in**

Only D is incorrect.

Correct: Food prices that have remained benign, helping slow overall CPI inflation, could also start hardening once the impact of the higher payout on the minimum support price for kharif crops kicks in.

Hence, option B is correct.

9. Fragment A: With the U.S. Federal Reserve now firmly **sets** on its

The error is with respect to subject verb disagreement-

Correct: With the U.S. Federal Reserve now firmly **set** on its

Fragment B: policy normalization path and having **raise**

The tense is incorrect as the event has already occurred here.

Correct: policy normalization path and having **raised**

Fragment C: interest rates, the RBI would normally be **expect** to

the correct form of the word would be 'expected'

Correct: interest rates, the RBI would normally be **expected** to

Correct: With the U.S. Federal Reserve now firmly set on its policy normalization path and having raised interest rates, the RBI would normally be expected to increase benchmark borrowing costs in India as well.

Hence, option D is correct.

10. All the fragments are correct and thus there is no error.

Hence, option E is correct.



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