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Legal GK Facts Questions for CLAT Exam

Legal GK Facts Quiz 21

Directions: Read the questions carefully and choose one of the options as your answer.

1. Which one among the following Sections of the Indian Penal Code defines murder?

- A. 299
- B. 300
- C. 301
- D. 302

2. Homicide in legal terms means _____ ?

- A. Causing death
- B. Intentionally causing death
- C. Causing death of anyone
- D. Causing death of a human being

3. Mercy killing is also known as _____ ?

- A. Euthansia
- B. Final Exit
- C. Murphy's death
- D. Santhara

4. A right available against world at large is a right in _____ ?

- A. Personam
- B. Rem
- C. Pleno
- D. Situ

5. The killing of a new born child is known as _____ ?

- A. Infanticide
- B. Abortion
- C. Foeticide
- D. Malfeasance

6. Which one of the following is not a negotiable instrument?

- A. Will
- B. Ceque
- C. Promissory note
- D. Bill of exchange



7. Finance Commission is a _____ ?

- A. Non-statutory body
- B. Statutory body
- C. Institutional body
- D. Non-governmental organization

8. A Union Territory is administered by the _____ ?

- A. President of India directly
- B. Governor of the Territory
- C. Chief Minister
- D. President through Lt. Governor

9. Members of the U.P.S.C. are appointed by the _____ ?

- A. Prime Minister
- B. President
- C. Chief Justice
- D. Speaker of the Lok Sabha

10. The constitution (one hundredth Amendment) Act, 2015 amended the _____ Schedule of the Constitution to give effect to an agreement entered into by India and _____ on acquiring and transferring of territories between the two countries.

- A. ninth; Pakistan
- B. second; Pakistan
- C. first; Bangladesh
- D. first; China



Correct answer:

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

Explanation:

1. Murder is defined under Section 300 of the Indian Penal Code. According to this Act, culpable homicide is considered as murder if: The act is committed with an intention to cause death.

Hence, option B is correct.

2. Thus, homicide means the killing of a man by a man. ... Homicide can be lawful or unlawful. Culpable homicide is punishable by law and is further divided into two categories: Culpable homicide amounting to murder.

Hence, option D is correct.

3. A mercy killing is the intentional ending of life of a person who is suffering from a terminal, painful illness. The term—also called “right to die”—is most often used to describe voluntary euthanasia

Hence, option A is correct.

4. As per the law of the land, every person entering into a contract has rights in rem. This is right available to him or her against the entire world. It protects a person's property from the entire world. This is why we call such a right as a negative right.

Hence, option B is correct.

5. Infanticide (or infant homicide) is the intentional killing of infants. Now universally illegal, infanticide was a widespread practice throughout human history that was mainly used to dispose of unwanted children. Its main purposes were controlling population growth and saving resources from being spent on weak or disabled offspring. Unwanted infants were normally abandoned to die of exposure, but in some societies they were manually killed.

Hence, option A is correct.



6. Non-negotiable securities and products are those that cannot be transferred from one party to the next.

Hence, option A is correct.

7. Finance Commission is institutional body. The Finance Commission is constituted by the President under article 280 of the Constitution, mainly to give its recommendations on distribution of tax revenues between the Union and the States and amongst the States themselves.

Hence, option C is correct.

8. Union Territories are administrated by the President acting to such extent, as he thinks fit, through an Administrator appointed by him. Administrators of Andaman and Nicobar Islands, Delhi and Puducherry are designated as Lieutenant Governors.

Hence, option D is correct.

9. Article-316– Appointment and term of office of members: The Chairman and other members of a Public Service Commission shall be appointed, in the case of the Union Commission or a Joint Commission, by the President, and in the case of a State Commission, by the Governor of the State.

Hence, option B is correct.

10. The constitution was amended to give Bangladesh some Enclaves as per the decision of International Court.

Hence, option C is correct.



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