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March 2019 Legal Current Affairs for Law Entrance Exam

MAR LEGAL CA QUIZ 1

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

1. The Rising India Summit 2019 is going to be held in which of the following cities?

- A. Mumbai
- B. New Delhi
- C. Chennai
- D. Lucknow

2. Which of the following cities has recently hosted the 14th Agricultural Science Congress?

- A. Kolkata
- B. Pune
- C. Mumbai
- D. New Delhi

3. Chief Minister of which of the following states has recently launched a helpline "1905" for quick redressal of public complaints?

- A. Uttarakhand
- B. Uttar Pradesh
- C. Odisha
- D. Haryana

4. Which of the following states has recently launched the 100 day urban job guarantee scheme?

- A. Rajasthan
- B. Chhattisgarh
- C. Uttar Pradesh
- D. Madhya Pradesh

5. Which of the following states has recently become the first state in the country to have raise a special dog squad to detect liquor consignment?

- A. Haryana
- B. Uttar Pradesh
- C. Bihar
- D. Maharashtra

6. Which of the following cities has recently hosted the 44th International Advertising Association (IAA) Summit?

- A. New Delhi
- B. Kochi
- C. Mumbai
- D. Chennai

7. Ashraf Ghani flagged off the Afghan Cargo from western Nimroz province that will be exported to India through Chabahar Port, is president of which of the following countries?

- A. Afghanistan
- B. India
- C. Iran
- D. Pakistan

8. Which of the following countries has recently declared a national state of emergency, dismissed the federal government and sacked all state governors?

- A. Ethiopia
- B. Sudan
- C. Zimbabwe
- D. Venezuela

9. Oil Marketing Companies are going to engage more than 10,000 rural women as “Ujjwala Didis” in which of the following states?

- A. Odisha
- B. Sikkim

C. Andhra Pradesh

D. Telangana

10. Which of the following teams was recently crowned as the winners of the inaugural Pro Volleyball League?

A. Kochi Blue Spikers

B. Black Hawks

C. Calicut Heroes

D. Chennai Spartans



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Correct answers:

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

Explanations:

1.

Hints to Remember

Who: The Rising India Summit 2019

What: will be held in New Delhi

When: published on 25th February 2019

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For the complete information kindly visit given link:

<https://www.in.com/business/the-rising-india-summit-2019-a-confluence-of-innovation-ideas-and-thought-from-across-the-nation-321689.htm>

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<https://krishijagran.com/agriculture-world/14th-agricultural-science-congress-concluded-on-23rd-february/>

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Hints to Remember

Who: Uttarakhand CM

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CM Rawat said that the CM helpline will expedite redressal of public grievances. This will also speed up departmental works while also enhancing transparency in the works.

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<https://m.dailyhunt.in/news/india/english/news+bharati-epaper-newsbhar/quick+redressal+of+public+complaints+becomes+smoother+in+u+khand+cm+rawat+launches+helpline-newsid-109679672>

4.

Hints to Remember

Who: Madhya Pradesh

What: launched the 100 day urban job guarantee scheme

When: published on 23rd February 2019

The 100-day urban job guarantee scheme — a first in the country and the brainchild of Madhya Pradesh chief minister Kamal Nath — is offering over 40 jobs, covering a broad spectrum from cattle grazer to accountant and photographer, as the government aims to cover as many beneficiaries as possible, regardless of their educational qualification.

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<https://timesofindia.indiatimes.com/india/first-in-india-mp-rolls-out-100-day-urban-job-scheme/articleshow/68120057.cms>

5.

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Who: Bihar

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<https://www.latestly.com/india/news/bihar-becomes-first-state-in-india-to-have-special-dog-squad-for-detecting-liquor-consignment-659246.html>

6.

Hints to Remember

Who: Kochi

What: hosted the 44th International Advertising Association (IAA) Summit

When: published on 22nd February 2019

For the complete information kindly read the given lines carefully:

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“Reliance Industries CMD Mukesh Ambani, Bollywood actor Amitabh Bachchan and spiritual leader Sri Sri Ravi Shankar will attend the summit on the opening day. The theme of the 44th edition is ‘brand dharma’,” said IAA world vice-president and Mathrubhumi joint MD M V Shreyams Kumar.

7.

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Who: Ghani

What: flags off first Afghan cargo to India through Chabahar port

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<http://www.sify.com/news/ghani-flags-off-first-afghan-cargo-to-india-through-chabahar-port-news-international-tczlMAgchbbha.html>

8.

Hints to Remember

Who: Sudan's Omar al-Bashir

What: declares state of emergency

When: published on 23rd February 2019

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Protesters took to the streets after the announcement in the city of Omdurman, witnesses said, but were met with tear gas by police.

For the complete information kindly visit given link:

<https://www.bbc.com/news/world-africa-47330423>

9.

Hints to Remember

Who: Oil Marketing Companies

What: to Engage 10,000 Women as Grassroots Energy Ambassadors in Odisha

When: published on 23rd February 2019

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Top 10 news of the day : 1st March 2019

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