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March 2019 Legal Current Affairs for Law Entrance Exam

MAR LEGAL CA QUIZ 29

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

1. Which one of the following has recently launched mobile methadone vans to provide treatment to opioid addicts?

- A. AIIMS
- B. Apollo
- C. Fortis Healthcare
- D. Cipla

2. _____ has recently got a hi-tech bus Mobile Command and Control Vehicles worth Rs 3.7 crore for emergency situations.

- A. Dehradun Police
- B. Banbhoolpara Police
- C. Hyderabad Police
- D. Delhi Police

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- A. Cricstats
- B. StatCric
- C. ESPNstats
- D. Superstats

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_____ .

- A. Ganga Basin
- B. Ganga-Brahmaputra Basin
- C. Krishna-Godavari basin
- D. Godavari basin

5. Which one of the following has recently launched a Young Scientist Programme 'YUVIKA' for Schoolkids?

- A. Microsoft
- B. ISRO
- C. DRDO
- D. BARC

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- A. Vadodara Station
- B. Itarsi Junction
- C. Allahabad Junction
- D. Vijayawada railway station

7. The 33rd edition of India, Indonesia Coordinated Patrol (CORPAT) was recently commenced in _____ .

- A. Port Blair
- B. Chandigarh
- C. Lakshadweep
- D. New Delhi

8. Which of the following cities has recently hosted the first ever High Level Dialogue on Indo Pacific Cooperation?

- A. Jakarta
- B. Mumbai
- C. Hanoi
- D. Beijing

9. India was recently ranked at which of the following places in the UN World Happiness Report 2019?

- A. 108th
- B. 105th
- C. 135th
- D. 140th

10. Which of the following countries has recently won SAFF Women's Championship 2019?

- A. Pakistan
- B. India
- C. Nepal
- D. China

Correct answers:

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

Explanations:

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4.

Hints to Remember

Who: Vedanta Limited

What: reports oil discovery in India's Krishna-Godavari basin

When: published on 27th March 2019

Vedanta Limited has notified the Management Committee, Directorate General of Hydrocarbons and Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas of an Oil Discovery in the second exploratory well H2, located in the block KG-OSN-2009/3, Krishna-Godavari basin, East Coast of India. Vedanta Limited holds 100% participating interest in the block.

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For the complete information kindly visit given link:

<https://www.worldoil.com/news/2019/3/27/vedanta-limited-reports-oil-discovery-in-indias-krishna-godavari-basin>

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For the complete information kindly visit given link:

<https://www.dqindia.com/isro-looking-students-young-scientist-programme-registrations-till-april-3/>

6.

Hints to Remember

Who: Vijaywada Railway Station

What: Gets 'Gold Rating' For Green Measures

When: published on 26th March 2019

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<https://www.ndtv.com/india-news/vijaywada-railway-station-gets-gold-rating-for-green-measures-2012813>

7.

Hints to Remember

Who: 33rd Edition of India-Indonesia Coordinated Patrol (Ind-Indo Corpat)

What: Commences at Port Blair

When: published on 19th March 2019

Indonesian Naval Ship KRI Sultan Thaha Syaifuddin and Maritime Patrol Aircraft CN-235 led by Cmde Dafit Santoso arrived at Port Blair, Andaman & Nicobar Islands, India for the Opening Ceremony of the 33rd edition of the India-Indonesia Coordinated Patrol (IND-INDO CORPAT) to be held from 19 Mar to 04 Apr 2019. His Excellency Ambassador of Indonesia to India, Mr. Shidharto Raza Suryodipuro is also visiting Port Blair to attend the Opening Ceremony to be held at Port Blair from 20 - 21 Mar 19. The Indian delegation is led by the senior officer from the Indian Navy, Commodore Ashutosh Ridhorkar, VSM Naval Component Commander, Andaman and Nicobar Command.

The ship and aircraft from both the countries would undertake patrolling on the respective sides of 236 nautical miles long International Maritime Boundary line. The patrolling would be conducted in three phases from 22-31 March 2019. This will be followed by a Closing Ceremony at Belawan, Indonesia, which is scheduled from 01-04 April 2019.

The IND-INDO CORPAT Series of bilaterals seek to underscore India's peaceful presence and solidarity with friendly Maritime neighbours countries to ensure good order in the maritime domain, consolidate interoperability and strengthen existing bonds of friendship between India and Indonesia. During the stay in Port Blair harbour, various activities such as official calls, formal reception onboard ship, sporting fixtures between both navies, ship open to visitors and professional interactions have been planned.

For the complete information kindly visit given link:

<http://pib.nic.in/newsite/PrintRelease.aspx?relid=189468>

8.

Hints to Remember

Who: High-Level Dialogue on Indo-Pacific Cooperation

What: was held in Jakarta

When: published on 20th March 2019

Vice President Jusuf Kalla officially inaugurated the High-Level Dialogue on Indo-Pacific Cooperation (HLD-IPC) in Jakarta on 20 March 2019. At the inauguration, the Vice President emphasized the importance of Indo-Pacific region as the home to 3/5 global population with the total GNP of almost US\$52 trillion, making stability and inclusive cooperation the determining factors for regional economic growth and welfare.

"The conducive regional architecture is an important aspect to grow a trustable character and encourage the cooperative spirit for the collective benefits," he explained.

The notion was the basis for the HLD-IPC as an attempt to reflect the synergy that is expected to boost concrete cooperation within the regional interaction in Indo-Pacific. The cooperation covers a number of fields such as maritime, infrastructures, and sustainable development to implement the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) for regional welfare.

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<https://www.kemlu.go.id/en/berita/Pages/Vice-President-Jusuf-Kalla-Inaugurates-High-Level-Dialogue-on-Indo-Pacific-Cooperation-in-Jakarta.aspx>

9.

Hints to Remember

Who: India's happiness ranking

What: drops to 140

When: published on 22nd March 2019

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For the complete information kindly visit given link:

<https://www.businesstoday.in/current/world/indias-happiness-ranking-drops-to-140-way-behind-pakistan-china-bangladesh/story/330018.html>

10.

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Who: India

What: has won SAFF Women's Championship 2019

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