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May 2019 Legal Current Affairs for Law Entrance Exam

May legal CA quiz 14

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

1. Which of the following countries has recently signed Protocol with India for Export of Indian Chilli Meal?

- A. Pakistan
- B. China
- C. Saudi Arabia
- D. Indonesia

2. As per the recent discovery, which of the following chemicals can be used to treat neurological diseases, as per the study published in the journal "Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences (PNAS)"?

- A. Serotonin
- B. Thyroxine
- C. Neurotransmitter
- D. Adrenaline

3. Which of the following cities was recently chosen by Facebook as base for WhatsApp Pay as the centre for rolling WhatsApp Pay globally?

- A. Dubai
- B. New York
- C. London
- D. Berlin

4. As per the recent news, which of the following states has recently deployed 1st Anti-Naxal Women Commando Unit?

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

5. Which of the following companies has recently launched UPI Bahi Khata for merchants for seamless networking and business expansion?

- A. PhonePe
- B. BharatPe
- C. MobiKwik
- D. Paytm

6. Which of the following companies is to commemorate the 6th day of each month as 'Protection Day'?

- A. Bajaj Allianz General Insurance
- B. ICICI Prudential Life Insurance
- C. Max Life Insurance
- D. HDFC Life

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- A. Artist
- B. Economist
- C. Journalist
- D. Scientist

8. Who among the following has recently been named as the Vice-Captain of the West Indies World Cup Team?

- A. Chris Gayle
- B. Darren Bravo
- C. Andre Russell
- D. Grant Elliot

9. The Indian Army is commemorating '2019' as _____ .

- A. Year of Duty
- B. Year of Next of Kin
- C. Year of the Disabled in Line of Duty
- D. Year of Solders

10. Which of the following companies has recently unveiled open source software 'ElectionGuard' for secure, verifiable voting?

- A. IBM
- B. Microsoft
- C. Google
- D. Infosys

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Correct answers:

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

Explanations:

1.

Hints to Remember

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<https://www.thehindubusinessline.com/economy/india-signs-protocol-for-export-of-chilli-meal-to-china-discusses-market-access-for-farm-products/article27083766.ece>

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https://www.business-standard.com/article/news-ani/bharatpe-launches-india-s-first-upi-bahi-khata-for-merchants-119050900978_1.html

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When: published on 6th May 2019

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<https://www.outlookindia.com/newscroll/max-life-insurance-to-mark-6th-of-every-month-as-protection-day/1529490>

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<https://sportstar.thehindu.com/cricket/icc-cricket-world-cup/chris-gayle-vice-captain-west-indies-icc-cricket-world-cup-2019/article27055737.ece>

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