

# **ERROR DETECTION QUESTIONS**

**After cough syrups made by pharmaceutical companies based in India which had unacceptable (a)/ amounts of diethylene glycol and/or ethylene glycol had killed 66 children in the Gambia, 65 children in Uzbekistan in 2022, and 12 children in (b)/ Cameroon in 2023, and India-made eye drops contaminated drug-resistant bacteria killed three persons and blind eight in (c)/ U.S., again in 2023, the spotlight has back on Indian drug companies for all the wrong reasons. (d)/ No Error.(e)/**



**A BBC Eye investigation has brought to light the criminal actions of (a)/ Aveo Pharmaceuticals, a Maharashtra - based company, which was manufacturing and exporting unapproved, high (b)/ addictive opioid drug combinations to West Africa. The “medicines” contains (c)/ tapentadol, a powerful opioid, and carisoprodol, a high addictive muscle relaxant. (d)/ No Error.(e)/**



**The pharmacy of the global (a)/ South is facing a crises of reputation. (b)/ While the Indian drug regulator has been approved tapentadol and carisoprodol (c)/ as standalone drugs, the combination is no clearance. (d)/ No Error.(e)/**



**Even if the company's claim that the drug combination has (a)/ approved by the State drug authority turn out to be correct, it is still illegal as only the (b)/ Central Drugs Standard Control Organization (CDSCO) can approve any noble fixed dose (c)/ combination (FDC) drugs for safety and efficacy.(d)/ No Error.(e)/**





**India questioned and denied the World Health (a)/  
Organization's report about the lethal cough syrup send to  
Gambia, (b)/ as well as in latest case, CDSCO and the  
State regulatory authority swang into action (c)/ even in the  
absence of any complain by West African countries. (d)/ No  
Error.(e)/**



**The reason: the BBC investigation's irrefutable video evident that the company in the "business" (a)/ of manufacturing and exporting the dangerous combination drug despite of knowing the harmful effects. (b)/ The seizure of nearly 13 million "medicines" and 26 batches of active pharmaceutical (c)/ ingredients of tapentadol and carisoprodol are clinching evidence for taking criminal action against the company. (d)/ No Error.(e)/**



**While the moves by the authorities — to issue a ‘ stop activity’ order, withdrew the manufacturing licence (a)/ and permission to export the drugs by any company, and a show cause notice — aspire (b)/ some confidence, only stringent punishment can serve as a deter. Indian pharmaceutical companies are (c)/ known by the global South for there high-quality generic drugs.(d)/ No Error.(e)/**



**It is for the drug regulator to insure that India (a)/ continues to famous for this and does not gains notoriety for producing and (b)/ exporting deadly synthetic opioids as drugs. Manufacturing synthetic opioid (c)/ drugs cannot be any pharmaceutical company's "business".(d)/ No Error.(e)/**





**When Germans went to vote on Sunday (February 23, 2025), in one of the most consequential (a)/ election in the country's post-reunification history, there was the little doubt about the outcome. (b)/ The Olaf Scholz-led three-parties coalition collapsed and (c)/ his centrist Social Democratic Party (SPD) was huge unpopular. (d)/ No Error.(e)/**



**Germany, once hailed as a model country, was in its third year of economic contraction (a)/ and the far-right Alternative for (b)/ Germany (AfD), with neo-Nazi roots, was surging ahead with its (c)/ anti-establishment and anti-immigrant campaign.(d)/ No Error.(e)/**

