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SST

Gender, Religion and Caste

Q1 Which of the following is an example of state intervention in religious affairs?
(A) Abolishing untouchability
(B) Minimum Wages
(C) Primary Education
(D) None of the above

Q2 Communal Politics is based on the idea that
(A) Religion is the principal basis of social community
(B) Religious expression is healthy in politics
(C) Politics must be stereotypes free
(D) All of the above

Q3 Which of the following is an example of a strong expression of Communal Politics?
(A) Democracy in India
(B) Power Sharing in Belgium
(C) Majoritarianism in Sri Lanka
(D) Both (A) and (B)

Q4 Identify the statements which suggest that it is not politics that gets caste - ridden, it is the caste that gets politicized.
1. When governments are formed, political parties take care that representatives of different castes find a place in it.
2. Each caste group incorporates neighboring castes which were earlier excluded.
3. Various caste groups enter into a coalition with other castes.
4. Political parties and candidates in elections make appeals to caste sentiments.
(A) 1,2 and 3   (B) 2,3 and 4
(C) 2 and 3   (D) 1 and 4

Q5 Identify two reasons that state that caste alone cannot determine elections in India.
1. No party wins the votes of all the voters of a caste or community.
2. Some political parties are known to favour some castes and are seen as their representatives.
3. No parliamentary securing in the country has a clear majority of one single caste.
4. Mobilizing and securing political support has brought new consciousness among the lower castes.
(A) 1 and 3   (B) 1 and 4
(C) 2 and 3   (D) 2 and 4

Q6 Which among the following statements about India's Constitution is wrong?
(A) Prohibits discrimination on grounds of religion.
(B) Gives official status to one religion.
(C) Provides to all individuals freedom to profess any religion.
(D) Ensure equality of citizens within religious communities.

Answer Key

Q1	(A)		**Q4**	(C)
Q2	(A)		**Q5**	(A)
Q3	(C)		**Q6**	(B)

Hints & Solutions

Q1 **Text Solution:**

Abolishing untouchability

Video Solution:

Q2 **Text Solution:**

Religion is the principal basis of social community

Video Solution:

Q3 **Text Solution:**

Majoritarianism in Sri Lanka

Video Solution:

Q4 **Text Solution:**

2 and 3

Video Solution:

Q5 **Text Solution:**

1 and 3

Video Solution:

Q6 **Text Solution:**

Gives official status to one religion.

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