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August

Q.1: A youth award in the name of former President Dr Kalam, which of the following state governments has instituted?

Ans: Tamil Nadu

Q.2: Recently how many FDI proposals has been cleared by Government?

Ans: 7

Q.3: In Indian Air Force recently which of the following missile systems has been inducted?

Ans: Akash

Q.4: List released by Forbes, how many Indian Companies are listed in the Forbes Asia Fabulous 50?

Ans: 10

Q.5: Entry into on-demand grocery delivery service by launching a new app has made by which of the following companies?

Ans: OLA

Q.6: In the World Archery Championships at Copenhagen in Denmark Who has earned first-ever individual medal for India?

Ans: Rajat Chouhan

Q.7: As the brand ambassador of the newly created National Kidney Fund in Sri Lanka who among the following has been appointed recently?

Ans: Muttiah Muralitharan

Q.8: To the board of the company as the Director (Exploration) of ONGC Videsh Limited who has been appointed recently?

Ans: Sudhir Sharma

Q.9: The single-largest order of high mobility vehicle (LMV) from the Indian Army has

bagged by which company?

Ans: Tata Motors

Q.10: To acquire its 49 percent stake Which companies has signed strategic agreement with Essar Oil?

Ans: Rosneft

Q.11: To acquire retail brokerage firm Sharekhan which firms has planned?

Ans: BNP Paribas

Q.12: For the Rajiv Gandhi Khel Ratna award 2015 by Ministry of Youth Affairs has been recommended to who?

Ans: Sania Mirza

Q.13: To build 'Communication Super-expressway' has announced by which state governments?

Ans: Maharashtra

Q.14: Lynn Anderson passed away. He was

Ans: A US Singer

Q.15: By the Union Textiles Ministry which of the following days will be celebrated as National Handloom Day as announced?

Ans: 7th August

Q.16: By European Organisation for Nuclear Research which country was formally conferred Associate Membership status?

Ans: Pakistan

Q.17: Which of the following companies' India has foiled bid to patent use of pine bark, turmeric and tea for treating hair loss?

Ans: Pangaea Labs

Q.18: In World Archery Championship held in Copenhagen, Denmark which of the following countries archery team has won silver medal?

Ans: India

Q.19: Subsidy scheme in a bid to promote spice cultivation in India by offering subsidies and sensitize to farmers has launched by Which Indian Institution?

Ans: Spice Board Of India

Q.20: Which Indian company announced that it has signed a ₹500-crore contract with Dubai-based Arabian Construction Company?

Ans: Supertech

Q.21: At Bengaluru recently, which company had organized 'Save Our Tigers' Campaign?

Ans: Aircel

Q.22: At the inaugural ceremony of new Suez Canal in Egypt India will be represented by whom?

Ans: Nitin Gadkari

Q.23: Which bank is planning to launch 'green bonds' this year in India?

Ans: HSBC

Q.24: A 34 MW solar power project in Bhatinda district of Punjab has commissioned by which company?

Ans: Welspun Renewables

Q.25: A famous personality Jagannath Singh recently passed away in Bhopal. He was a:

Ans: Former minister

Q.26: An agreement on the outcome document New Sustainable Development Agenda have reached by how many UN Member Countries?

Ans: 193

Q.27: A historic and landmark peace accord with Union Government has signed by which group?

Ans: NSCN-IM

Q.28: In a new secret planetary system (HD219134) discovered by the Astronomers, how many super-earths are present?

Ans: 3

Q.29: To form a joint venture (JV) company which Company has signed an agreement with Jharkhand Bijli Vitran Nigam Limited (JBVNL)?

Ans: NTPC

Q.30: As an Olympic sport by the International Olympic Committee (IOC) which of the following game has been officially recognised recently?

Ans: Frisbee

Q.31: Which state has started its first IIT campus recently?

Ans: Kerala

Q.32: Which company has bagged Tourism Ministry's 'Incredible India' advertising campaign?

Ans: McCann

Q.33: Which Indian Company has acquired YTS Solutions?

Ans: Airtel

Q.34: In women's vault event at the 6th Senior ART Gymnastics Asian Championships who has won bronze medal?

Ans: Dipa Karmakar

Q.35: 2022 Winter Olympic Games will host by which city?

Ans: Beijing

Q.36: By the Indian Government recently which fund has been established?

Ans: NAFCC

Q.37: The special achievement award in GIS Award has won by which Indian Board?

Ans: NDDB

Q.38: Under the Best Electoral Practices Award-2014 for Election Commission's Zonal award who has been chosen?

Ans: Rajan Vishal

Q.39: For year 2014 for the Bharat Bharti literary award Who has been chosen?

Ans: Kashinath Singh

Q.40: At which of the following places in India recently Asia's biggest telescope Multi-Application Solar Telescope (MAST) was inaugurated?

Ans: Udaipur

Q.41: By the Union Ministry of Rural Development to monitor progress and implementation of the Sansad Adarsh Gram Yojana (SAGY) which web portals has been launched?

Ans: SAMANVAY

Q.42: Thari Pension, Thare Pass project has launched by which States/UT's?

Ans: Haryana

Q.43: For year 2015 who has won the Ramanujan Prize?

Ans: Chandra Prakash

Q.44: Recently Parliament of India has passed the Delhi High Court Amendment Bill, 2015. Which of the following Acts will be amended by it?

Ans: Delhi High Court Act, 1966

Q.45: To set up its new arm which Indian PSU's has been approved?

Ans: BSNL

Q.46: On expanding cooperation in energy sector with India, which country has inked Memorandum of understanding (MoU?

Ans: Mozambique

Q.47: Public Grievance Redressal Bill, 2015 by a voice vote has passed by which state?

Ans: Bihar

Q.48: To impart training to Micro, Small & Medium Enterprises (MSMEs) with Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industry (FICCI) which Institution has inked a MoU?

Ans: International Labour Organisation (ILO)

Q.49: An agreement with Organo Corp of Japan which company has signed?

Ans: Murugappa Group

Q.50: To invest in m-commerce giant Paytm which company is planning?

Ans: Alibaba

Q.51: A MoU have signed with SERB by which university?

Ans: Carnegie Mellon University (CMU)

Q.52: A website Findmystyle.in has launched its first product by which company?

Ans: Snapdeal

Q.53: Zurich based Kuoni Group's travel businesses has acquired by which company?

Ans: Thomas Cook (India) Ltd

Q.54: By the central government its Tourist e-visa facility has extended for how many countries?

Ans: 36

Q.55: The area along Thane Creek as Flamingo Sanctuary has declared by which state government?

Ans: Maharashtra

Q.56: For technology of full-scale system to make Lakshya from Defence Research and Development Organisation (DRDO), which Indian MNC will be the first to receive license?

Ans: L&T

Q.57: A resolution for abolishing death penalty and to provide imprisonment up to death in case of heinous crimes has unanimously passed by which State Legislative Assembly?

Ans: Tripura

Q.58: A poly-herbal medicine by the trade name of Lukoskin for the treatment of Leucoderma has developed by which institute?

Ans: DRDO

Q.59: As the United States (US) Ambassador to Maldives and Sri Lanka who has been appointed recently?

Ans: Atul Keshap

Q.60: The government has decided to impose how much percentage of Import duty on wheat to discourage wheat import?

Ans: 10

Q.61: To 196 forest villages of the state which state has granted revenue village status?

Ans: Gujarat

Q.62: A 500 MW thermal unit of Vindhyachal Super Thermal Power Station (STPS) has commissioned by which company?

Ans: BHEL

Q.63: Deutsche MF business in India recently has acquired by which of the following companies?

Ans: Pramerica MF

Q.64: An annual festival of Tendong Lho Rum Faat of the ethnic Lepcha tribe has celebrated by which state?

Ans: Sikkim

Q.65: A Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with the Tiawan-based Foxconn to set up its manufacturing facility in the state has signed recently by which state?

Ans: Maharashtra

Q.66: As the new chairperson of Accenture for its India operations who has been appointed?

Ans: Rekha Menon

Q.67: Which country has decided to boycott the 61st Commonwealth Parliamentary Conference (CPC) which is scheduled to be held in Islamabad?

Ans: India

Q.68: As the new governor of Bihar who among the following persons has been appointed?

Ans: Ram Nath Kovind

Q.69: In which sport Gurbaj Singh represents India was recently suspended for indiscipline?

Ans: Hockey

Q.70: Into how many provinces Nepal's political parties have entered into a deal to divide the country?

Ans: 6

Q.71: By crossing how many products in sales Flipkart recently reached a landmark?

Ans: 150 million

Q.72: Out of which of the following companies for 37.2 billion USD Warren Buffet's Berkshire Hathaway made its biggest takeover by buying?

Ans: Precision Castparts

Q.73: To initiate Intra circle roaming in India which top telecom companies in India is in talks with other operators?

Ans: BSNL

Q.74: Operations on its biggest iron ore mines in Codli (Goa) will resume by which company?

Ans: Vedanta

Q.75: To reject candidates with offensive tattoos which forces recently came up with this policy?

Ans: Indian Army

Q.76: Who has been named as the new CEO of the technology giant Google?

Ans: Sundar Pichai

Q.77: For weaker sections of society which of the following Banks has launched its Rural Housing Loan Scheme?

Ans: ICICI

Q.78: Formation of a new holding or parent company called Alphabet Inc has announced by which company?

Ans: Google

Q.79: To be a member of Beijing based World Tourism Cities Federation (WTCF) Council which city has become first Indian city?

Ans: Kochi

Q.80: Bhalchandra Pendharkar recently passed away. He was related to

Ans: A Marathi Actor & Producer

Q.81: In Kerala state film award 2015 who has won the best actor award?

Ans: Nivin Pauly

Q.82: New train services in the Northeast Indian states has launched by who among the following persons?

Ans: Suresh Prabhu

Q.83: At the first indigenous Titanium Sponge Plant ISRO has fully commissioned and started commercial production in which following States?

Ans: Kerala

Q.84: Who among the following persons has given nod to set up All India Institute of Ayurveda (AIIA)?

Ans: Shripad Yesso Naik

Q.85: How many species of fauna & flora have been discovered in the country in 2013-2014 as announced by the government recently?

Ans: 424 fauna, 347 flora

Q.86: Recently, which of the following countries has announced to cut country's greenhouse gas (GHGs) emissions by 26-28 per cent of 2005 levels by 2030 as part of negotiations on a global climate deal?

Ans: Australia

Q.87: Who among the following have been appointed as the Managing Director and CEO of L&T Infotech, IT arm of L&T?

Ans: Sanjay Jalona

Q.88: Which of the following Institutions signed the Financing Agreement with India for the assistance of National Cyclone Risk Mitigation Project- I & II?

Ans: World Bank

Q.89: Which of the following states government has decided to constitute its own Saraswati Heritage Development Board?

Ans: Haryana

Q.90: Which of the following Companies has acquired Therakos from Gores Group?

Ans: Mallinckrodt

Q.91: In which of the following did a leading industrialist Om Prakash Munjal who has passed away recently serve as a co-Chairman?

Ans: Hero Cycles Ltd

Q.92: A cabinet sub-committee to prepare an action plan to tackle the impending drought crisis has constituted by which state government?

Ans: Maharashtra

Q.93: A Memorandum of Understandings (MoUs) has signed with Union Power and New & Renewable Energy Ministry for energy conservation, transmission and solarisation by which ministry?

Ans: Railway Ministry

Q.94: As the Governor of Himachal Pradesh who has been sworn in?

Ans: Acharya Dev Vrat

Q.95: An agreement of worth 1,200 crore rupees has inked with Chinese firm Huawei by which company recently?

Ans: Uninor

Q.96: On 68th Independence Day 2015, The Prime Minister Narendra Modi was Which of the following Initiatives launched?

Ans: Start-up India, Stand up India

Q.97: In which of the following states Pattiseema lift irrigation project was recently inaugurated?

Ans: Andhra Prdaesh

Q.98: At which of the following places will India-US Combined Military Training Exercise YUDH ABHYAS 2015 be held?

Ans: Lewis McChord, USA

Q.99: How many Indian young scholars have received the 'Maharshi Badrayan Vyas Samman'?

Ans: 8

Q.100: The Arjuna Award 2015, How many sports persons have been nominated?

Ans: 17

Q.101: Which of the following banks has launched the first Contactless Debit, Credit and Multi-Currency Forex Card?

Ans: Axis Bank

Q.102: Which of the following state has approved a new policy for "Housing for All" in urban areas of state?

Ans: Odisha

Q.103: Who among the following has been recommended for the prestigious life time

achievement Dronacharya award 2015?

Ans: Swatantra Raj Singh

Q.104: Recently, which of the following govt. scheme has been acknowledged as the world's largest cash transfer program by the Guinness Book of World Records?

Ans: PAHAL

Q.105: Which of the following state has passed Witch Hunting (Prohibition, Prevention and Protection) Bill, 2015 ?

Ans: Assam

Q.106: Recently as governor of Bihar who has sworn-in?

Ans: Ram Nath Kovind

Q.107: For full cooperation to tackle the menace of fake Indian currency notes (FICN) smuggling which country have inked a memorandum of understanding (MoU?

Ans: Bangladesh

Q.108: In women's single category who has won the prestigious World Badminton Championship 2015?

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Ans: Greenko

Q.110: To establish a pan-India National fingerprint database to aid in the speedy identification of criminals and investigation of crimes across the country has decided by which ministry?

Ans: Home Ministry

Q.111: Which state cabinet approved 'Fisheries Policy, 2015'?

Ans: Odisha

Q.112: Majority stake in UK-based Avocet Sports has acquired by which Indian

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Ans: Hero Cycle

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Q.119: Who among the following is set to become Britain's longest-reigning Monarch in the history?

Ans: Queen Elizabeth II

Q.120: Which of the following countries has imposed definitive anti-dumping duty on 'flax' or 'linen' fabric imports from China and Hong Kong?

Ans: India

Q.121: Which of the following Companies has signed a MoU with Kerala Govt. for building Vizhinjam seaport project?

Ans: Adani Group

Q.122: Which of the following states has topped in organ donation in the country?

Ans: Tamil Nadu

Q.123: Which of the following Countries has successfully tested the power system (engines) of its stated to be the largest space launch vehicle?

Ans: China

Q.124: Which of the following state governments has set up a special entity State level Facilitation Cell (SLFC)?

Ans: Odisha

Q.125: Who among the following persons has been appointed as New MD and CEO of Bank Of Baroda?

Ans: PS jayakumar

Q.126: Recently, who among the following persons has been roped by the Maharashtra government as the new ambassador for the Tiger Conservation Project?

Ans: Sachin Tendulkar

Q.127: Which of the following Trusts will develop 264 villages in Vijayawada of Andhra Pradesh under Sansad Adarsh Gram Yojana(SAGY) initiative?

Ans: Tata Trust

Q.128: Which of the following Institutions has instituted new system Suspicious Transaction Reports (STRs) for reporting suspicious trades?

Ans: BSE

Q.129: Which of the following governments has completed the demarcation of ecosensitive zone (ESZ) around the Okhla Bird Sanctuary in the national capital region (NCR) of Delhi?

Ans: Indian Union Government

Q.130: How much amount of special package has been announced for poll bound Bihar as part of Prime Minister's Bihar Package?

Ans: 1.25 lakh crore rupees

Q.131: Which of the following parties has won the Sri Lankan General Election 2015?

Ans: UNFGG

Q.132: Which of the following Chinese personal computer and smartphone giants has roped in electronics contract manufacturer Flextronics to start manufacturing facility?

Ans: Lenovo

Q.133: Who among the following persons has been recommended for prestigious Dhyan Chand award 2015?

Ans: Romeo James

Q.134: Recently, who among the following persons has been elected as President of International Association of Athletics Federations (IAAF)?

Ans: Sebastian Coe

Q.135: Which of the following states has received 30 percent income tax rebate for establishment of new manufacturing plants and machinery by Central Government recently?

Ans: Bihar

Q.136: Which of the following cities has been proposed to develop Twin National Heritage Cities as world-class yoga and spirituality centres?

Ans: Haridwar-Rishikesh

Q.137: Which of the following countries has won maiden Under-16 South Asian Football Federation (SAFF) championship title 2015?

Ans: Bangladesh

Q.138: Paravoor Bharathan passed away. He was an

Ans: Actor

Q.139: Which of the following countries has launched the largest airborne drills dubbed as Swift Response 15?

Ans: US

Q.140: Who among the following persons has won James Tait Black award 2015, UK's oldest literary prize?

Ans: Zia Haider Rahman

Q.141: Which committees has recommended that Minimum Alternate Tax (MAT) should not be imposed on FIIs?

Ans: A P Shah Committee

Q.142: Which committees has been constituted by RBI on UCBs?

Ans: R Gandhi Committee

Q.143: Which country has been digitized a collection of about 350 local Tamil literary works of around 50 years by a Heritage Group?

Ans: Singapore

Q.144: Which board has commissioned the first ever Hydro-power plant in the city?

Ans: Delhi Jal Board

Q.145: Which state is going to become the first state in the country to launch 'agro-solar policy'?

Ans: Gujarat

Q.146: Who person has inaugurated Bandhan Bank as a full-fledged scheduled commercial bank?

Ans: Arun Jaitley

Q.147: Which Indian Universities has clinched the Maulana Abul Kalam Azad trophy, a prestigious sports award at the university level?

Ans: Punjabi University

Q.148: For the Under-17 Football World Cup to be held in August-September 2017 in

India which state government has joined hands with FIFA?

Ans: Delhi

Q.149: Which UTs has launched the much awaited Free Laptop Scheme?

Ans: Puducherry

Q.150: Who among the following persons will present the country's top Legion d'Honneur medal to three young Americans and a British man?

Ans: François Hollande

Q.151: A famous personality Venkatesh Naik passes away recently. He was a

Ans: Congress Leader

Q.152: Who among the following persons has won world 100 metre title in the World Athletics Championships 2015?

Ans: Usain Bolt

Q.153: Who has won the Cincinnati Masters title for record seventh time in men's singles title category?

Ans: Roger Federer

Q.154: Which of the following Institution will soon set up an experts committee to prepare a model land leasing law?

Ans: NITI Aayog

Q.155: Who among the following persons will be conferred Dronacharya Awards for his life time contribution in Swimming?

Ans: Nihar Ameen

Q.156: Which of the following Organisations is agreed to work together with MSSRF for the conservation and adaptation initiative of coastal resources in Andhra Pradesh?

Ans: UNFCCC

Q.157: Name the framework which India will implement the for Disaster Risk Reduction?

Ans: Sendai Framework

Q.158: Which of the following countries have reached an agreement with North Korea to defuse a crisis?

Ans: South Korea

Q.159: Which of the following countries has inked a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with India for the construction of Raxaul-Amlekhgunj oil pipeline?

Ans: Nepal

Q.160: Who among the following persons has sworn-in as the new Lokayukta of Maharashtra?

Ans: Madanlal Laxmandas Tahaliyani

Q.161: Who has inaugurated birth centenary celebrations of freedom fighter Rani Gaidinliu?

Ans: PM Narendra Modi

Q.162: Who has recently assumed charge as the next Director-General of the Council for Scientific & Industrial Research (CSIR)?

Ans: Girish Sahni

Q.163: Which country have recently signed several key agreements with Kosovo, including one giving it's own telephone country-code for the first time?

Ans: Serbia

Q.164: Which state Government and the Joint Committee on Inner Line Permit System (JCILPS) have agreed upon introduction of three Bills in the state legislature to protect indigenous people?

Ans: Manipur

Q.165: Which Bank has found a place in Fortune's inaugural 'Change the World List'?

Ans: Grameen Bank

Q.166: Name the unique initiative for health care in India launched by the Government to empower rural citizens?

Ans: Sehat

Q.167: The Union Cabinet has given its nod for amendments to which of the following bills?

Ans: Arbitration and Conciliation Bill, 2015

Q.168: Union Cabinet has given its nod to amend the Central List of Other Backward Classes (OBCs) for inclusion of 3 classes. Which of the following is not among them? **Ans:** Gurjar

Q.169: Recently, which of the following countries has signed two Memorandum of Understandings (MoUs) with India in the field of Tourism, Scientific and Technical.? **Ans:** Egypt

Q.170: ISRO is gearing itself for the launch of which of the following satellites? **Ans:** GSLV-D6

Q.171: Where will India be hosting the Commonwealth Youth, Junior and Senior Weightlifting Championships?

Ans: Pune

Q.172: Recently, India has inked an information exchange agreement on tax matters with which of the following countries in order to curb tax evasion and boost its efforts to fight against black money?

Ans: Seychelles

Q.173: Which of the following Institutions/committees has approved the proposal for payment of differential royalty in respect of 28 discovered fields to the respective States?

Ans: CCEA

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