

**Quiz Date: 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2020**

Q1. World Bank & GoI signs MoU for loan of \$88 million of Assam Inland Water Transport Project. Who is the present Chief Minister of Assam?

- (a) Sarbananda Sonowal
- (b) Kamal Nath
- (c) Naveen Patnaik
- (d) Neiphiu Rio
- (e) Ashok Gehlot

Q2. Henley Passport Index 2020 has been released. The ranking report is based on data from the International Air Transport Association (IATA). Where is the headquarters of International Air Transport Association?

- (a) Zurich, Switzerland
- (b) Lausanne, Switzerland
- (c) Rome, Italy
- (d) Montreal, Canada
- (e) Brussels, Belgium

Q3. Postal Ballot facility has been made available for the Super Senior Citizens (over 80 years of age) and PwDs in the Delhi Assembly Election. Who among the following is the present Chief Election Commissioner of India?

- (a) Nasim Zaidi
- (b) Om Prakash Rawat
- (c) Sunil Arora
- (d) Achal Kumar Jyoti
- (e) Harishankar Brahma

Q4. "The Global Risks Report 2020" has been released by World Economic Forum. Where is the headquarters of World Economic Forum?

- (a) The Hague, The Netherland
- (b) Rome, Italy
- (c) Brussels, Belgium
- (d) Dubai, UAE
- (e) Geneva, Switzerland

Q5. A mega campaign "Saksham" has been launched by Union Minister of Petroleum and Natural Gas. Who among the following is the present Union Minister of Petroleum and Natural Gas?

- (a) Giriraj Singh
- (b) Pralhad Joshi
- (c) Mukhtar Abbas Naqvi
- (d) Dharmendra Pradhan
- (e) Mahendra Nath Pandey

Q6. The "Indian Heritage in Digital Space" has been inaugurated by Union Culture and Tourism Minister. Name the present Union Culture and Tourism Minister.

- (a) Jitendra Singh
- (b) Mansukh L. Mandaviya
- (c) Raj Kumar Singh
- (d) Hardeep Singh Puri
- (e) Prahlad Singh Patel

Q7. Robert Abela has won the elections to become the Prime Minister of Malta. What is the capital of Malta?

- (a) Valletta
- (b) Birgu
- (c) Senglea
- (d) Mdina
- (e) Sliema

Q8. The Prime Minister of Russia, Dmitry Medvedev has resigned to lead the Russia's Security Council. Who is the present President of Russia?

- (a) Mikhail Kasyanov
- (b) Vladimir Putin
- (c) Ivan Silayev
- (d) Boris Yeltsin
- (e) Alexander Rutskoy

Q9. Bipul Behari Saha has been elected as the bureau member of International Union of Pure and Applied Chemistry (IUPAC) for the tenure of 2020-23. Where is the headquarters of International Union of Pure and Applied Chemistry (IUPAC)?

- (a) Vienna, Austria
- (b) New York, US
- (c) Geneva, Switzerland
- (d) Zurich, Switzerland
- (e) Washington DC, US

Q10. "The Global Risks Report 2020" has been released by World Economic Forum. Who is the founder of World Economic Forum?

- (a) Laurence D. Fink
- (b) Klaus Schwab
- (c) Chrystia Freeland
- (d) Mark Carney
- (e) Marc Benioff



Q11. Goa is hosting the 5th edition of Science Film Festival of India (SCI-FFI 2020). Which of the following Wildlife Sanctuary situated in Goa?

- (a) Gaga Wildlife Sanctuary
- (b) Balaram Ambaji Wildlife Sanctuary
- (c) Netravali Wildlife Sanctuary
- (d) Bir Shikargah Wildlife Sanctuary
- (e) Chail Wildlife Sanctuary

Q12. The Ministry of Commerce and Industry and the Ministry of Food Processing Industries, the UT Administration of Ladakh has organised the 1st-ever Food Processing Summit in the Union Territory Ladakh. Name the present Lt. Governor of Ladakh.

- (a) D K Joshi
- (b) Anil Bajjal
- (c) Radha Krishna Mathur
- (d) Girish Chandra Murmu
- (e) Dineshwar Sharma

Q13. Arunachal Pradesh signed a memorandum of understanding (MoU) with International Union for Conservation of Nature's (IUCN) to red-listing of orchids. On which date Arunachal Pradesh day is observed?

- (a) 22nd February
- (b) 21st February
- (c) 20th February
- (d) 19th February
- (e) 18th February

Q14. Lt Col Yuvraj Malik has been appointed the Director of the National Book Trust (NBT) on deputation from the Indian Army. Where is the headquarters of National Book Trust?

- (a) Bengaluru
- (b) New Delhi
- (c) Mumbai
- (d) Kolkata
- (e) Pune

Q15. Gujarat Chief Minister Vijay Rupani has launched the 7th Economic Census process in the state. Name the present governor of Gujarat.

- (a) Jagdeep Dhankhar

- (b) Arif Mohammed Khan
- (c) Baby Rani Maurya
- (d) Acharya Dev Vrat
- (e) R. N. Ravi

### Solutions

S1. Ans.(a)

Sol. Sarbananda Sonowal is an Indian politician, served as the Chief Minister of Assam since 2016.

S2. Ans.(d)

Sol. IATA's headquarters are in Montreal, Canada and the executive offices are in Geneva, Switzerland.

S3. Ans.(c)

Sol. Sunil Arora (born 13 April 1956) is the current and 23rd Chief Election Commissioner of India.

S4. Ans.(e)

Sol. The World Economic Forum (WEF), based in Geneva, Switzerland.

S5. Ans.(d)

Sol. Dharmendra Debendra Pradhan is currently the Minister of Petroleum & Natural Gas and Minister of Steel in the Second Modi Ministry.

S6. Ans.(e)

Sol. Prahlad Singh Patel (born 28 June 1960) is an Indian politician who is the current Minister of Tourism of India.

S7. Ans.(a)

Sol. Valletta is the capital city of Malta. Located in the South Eastern Region of the main island.

S8. Ans.(b)

Sol. The President of Russia is the political leader of Russia. Vladimir Putin is the president of Russia.

S9. Ans.(d)

Sol. The international headquarters office of the International Union of Pure and Applied Chemistry (IUPAC) is located in Zurich, Switzerland.

S10. Ans.(b)

Sol. Klaus Martin Schwab (born 30 March 1938) is a German engineer and economist best known as the founder and executive chairman of the World Economic Forum.

S11. Ans.(c)

Sol. Netravali Wildlife Sanctuary is located in South Eastern Goa, India.



S12. Ans.(c)

Sol. R. K. Mathur is the present Lieutenant Governors of Ladakh.

S13. Ans.(c)

Sol. Arunachal Pradesh became a full-fledged State on 20th February, 1987. Till 1972, it was known as the North-East Frontier Agency (NEFA).

S14. Ans.(b)

Sol. New Delhi is the headquarters of National Book Trust.

S15. Ans.(d)

Sol. Acharya Devvrat is an Indian politician serving as the Governor of Gujarat since July 2019.

