TEST YOURSELF

1. Where is India’s first all women SWAT team launched?
   a) Mumbai
   b) Delhi
   c) Bangalore
   d) Hyderabad

2. Which city topped the list in EIU’s Global Liveability Index?
   a) Melbourne
   b) Sydney
   c) Vienna
   d) Osaka

3. What is Innocenti Declaration about?
   a) promotion of homoeopathy medicine
   b) prevent sexual violence against women at workplaces
   c) protection, promotion and support of breastfeeding
   d) conference to commemorate first World Aids Day

4. Scrub Typhus is caused by
   a) Virus
   b) Bacteria
   c) Both
   d) None

5. International Buddhist Conclave is organised by
   a) Ministry of Culture
   b) Ministry of Tourism
   c) Ministry of Minority Affairs
   d) Ministry of External Affairs

6. 11th Hindi World Conference was held in
   a) Mauritius
   b) Malaysia
   c) Bhutan
   d) Nepal

7. Consider the following statement regarding Zika Virus:
   1. It is a vector borne disease transmitted primarily by Aedes aegypti mosquitoes.
   2. Researchers have identified Zika proteins responsible for microcephaly in infants.
   Which of the above statement(s) is/are Incorrect?
   a) 1 only
   b) 2 only
   c) Both 1 and 2
   d) Neither 1 nor 2

8. Which of the following pairs are not correctly matched?
   a) Gaofen-11: Satellite Launched by NASA to probe Sun
   b) The Transiting Exoplanet Survey Satellite (TESS): Planet Hunting Probe
   c) CRISPR-Cas9: Genome editing
   d) RISECREEK: Microprocessor developed by IIT

9. Consider the following statements regarding Smart Anti Airfield Weapon (SAAW):
   1. It is India’s first fully indigenous anti-airfield weapon project.
   2. It was indigenously developed by state-run Defence Research and Development Organisation (DRDO) in collaboration with IAF and the Research Centre Imarat (RCI).
   Which of the above statement(s) is/are correct?
10. Consider the following pairs:
   1. Aeolus: First wind-sensing satellite launched by EU
   2. Bennu: Near-Earth carbonaceous asteroid
   3. OSIRIS-Rex: Satellite to study the atmosphere of Mars
   4. HELINA: Anti-tank guided missile

Which of the above pairs are Correctly matched?
   a) 1, 2 and 3
   b) 1, 2 and 4
   c) 2, 3 and 4
   d) 1, 2, 3 and 4

11. Which of the following pairs are not correctly matched?
   a) International Tiger Day: 29 July
   b) World Biofuel Day: 9 August
   c) World Earth Day: 22 April
   d) World Environment Day: 5 June

12. The Laboratory for the Conservation of Endangered Species (LaCONES) is situated in
   a) Hyderabad
   b) New Delhi
   c) Gurugram
   d) None of the above

13. Consider the following statements regarding India’s Ballistic Missile Defence System:
   1. The Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO) is developing a two-tier Ballistic Missile Defence (BMD) system that provides a multi-layered shield against ballistic missile attacks.
   2. The two-tier system consists of a Prithvi Air Defence (PAD) missile which can intercept the incoming missile in endosphere and Advanced Air Defence (AAD) for exo-sphere interception.

Which of the above statement(s) is/are correct?
   a) 1 only
   b) 2 only
   c) Both 1 and 2
   d) Neither 1 nor 2

14. In which of the following states Defence Industrial Corridor Projects have been launched?
   a) Tamil Nadu
   b) Uttar Pradesh
   c) Both A and B
   d) Neither A nor B

15. Which of the following countries does not share boundary with Caspian Sea?
   a) Kazakhstan
   b) Tajikistan
   c) Turkmenistan
   d) Azerbaijan

**ANSWERS**

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