

Daily Current Affairs Prelims Quiz 01-11-2025 (Online Prelims Test)

- 1) Consider the following statements
 - 1. Ministry of Environment and Forest and Climate Change (MoEFCC) has increased the mandatory green cover norms for industrial projects from 10% to 33%.
 - 2. These norms will be applicable to industrial estates including Special Economic Zones (SEZ).

Select the correct statements using the code below:

- a. 1 only
- b. 2 only
- c. Both 1 and 2
- d. Neither 1 nor 2

Answer: b

Explanation



- Statement 1 is incorrect and 2 is correct Ministry of Environment and Forest and Climate Change (MoEFCC) has *reduced* the mandatory green cover norms for industrial projects from <u>33%</u> to 10%.
- Revised Greencover Norms -
- A <u>minimum of 10% of an industrial estate's area</u> must be designated as common green area with dense plantation of 2,500 trees per hectare, to be developed by the estate owner.
- <u>Applicable for</u> industrial estates, parks, complexes, Export Processing Zones, **Special Economic Zones**, biotech parks and leather complexes.
- This can be at one location or spread across multiple sites within the premises, provided it is clearly demarcated.
- Introduced differentiated norms based on industries pollution potential.

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- 2) Consider the following about National e-Vidhan Application (NeVA)
 - 1. It is an initiative to digitize and streamline legislative processes across all states and UT's in India.
 - 2. Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs is nodal ministry for this initiative.
 - 3. Constitution of Committee of Secretaries is one of the commitments taken in 3rd National Conference on NeVA resolution.

Which of the above statements is/are incorrect:

- a. Only one
- b. Only two
- c. All three
- d. None

Answer: d

Explanation

- **Statements 1 and 2 are correct** NeVA initiative ensure that the functioning of all State Legislatures paperless and integrating all Legislative Houses on a single digital platform.
- It embodies the vision of 'One Nation One Application'. It is one of the 44 Mission Mode Projects (MMPs) under the Digital India Program.
- Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs (MoPA) is acting as Nodal Ministry.
- Statement 3 is correct some of the 3rd national conference on NeVA Resolution's key commitments are -
 - Constitution of Committee of Secretaries
 - Expedited Full Implementation of NeVA
 - Adoption of AI and Emerging Technologies
 - Exploring a National Legislative Digital Index
- 3) Consider the following statements
 - 1. Fit India Freedom Run is launched in 2020 by the Ministry of Health Family Welfare.
 - 2. The event held in commemoration to Independence Day and Gandhi Jayanti.

Select the correct statements using the code below:

- a. 1 only
- b. 2 only
- c. Both 1 and 2
- d. Neither 1 nor 2



Answer: b

Explanation

- Statement 1 is incorrect *Fit India Freedom Run* is launched in **2020** by the <u>Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports</u>.
- **Statement 2 is correct** The Fit India Freedom Run commemorates Independence Day and Gandhi Jayanti, encouraging citizens to adopt an active lifestyle.
- The event fostered unity, community spirit and awareness about the importance of physical fitness and cleanliness in everyday life.
- 4) When was the **UN Charter** entered into force?
 - a. 25th October 1946
 - b. 25th October 1945
 - c. 24th October 1945
 - d. 24th October 1946

Answer: c

Explanation

- United Nations Day is observed on **24th October** in commemoration to the <u>anniversary of the entry into force in **1945** of the UN Charter</u>.
- Ratification of this founding document by the majority of its signatories, including 5 permanent members of the Security Council, the *United Nations officially came into being*.

5) What is **IKSHAK** recently seen in news?

- a. Malware
- b. Indigenous Vessel
- c. Military exercise
- d. UAV

Answer: b

Explanation

- **IKSHAK** is an *Indian Navy's* **indigenously** built 3rd **Survey Vessel** (Large).
- Ikshak, means 'The Guide', aptly symbolises her mission to chart the unknown, ensure safe passage for mariners, and strengthen India's maritime power.
- It is built by *Garden Reach Shipbuilders & Engineers (GRSE) Ltd, Kolkata*, under the supervision of the Directorate of Ship Production and the Warship Overseeing Team (Kolkata).
- It has primary role of Hydrographic survey operations.
- It is designed with Dual-role capability, serving as a Humanitarian Assistance and Disaster Relief (HADR) platform, and as a Hospital Ship during emergencies.

