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1. The 'Fortaleza Declaration', recently in the news, is related to the affairs of

- (a) ASEAN (b) BRICS (c) OECD (d) WTO

ANSWER B

2. Which one of the following issues the 'Global Economic Prospects's report periodically ?

- (a) The Asian Development Bank (b) The European Bank for Reconstruction and Development
(c) The US Federal Reserve Bank (d) The World Bank

ANSWER d

3. The terms 'Agreement on Agriculture', Agreement on the Application of Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measure' and 'Peace Clause' appear in the news frequently in the context of the affairs of the

- (a) Food and Agriculture Organization (b) United Nations Framework Conference on Climate Change
(c) World Trade Organization (d) United Nations Environment Programme

ANSWER c

4. Amnesty International is

- (a) an agency of the United Nations to help refugees of civil wars
(b) a global Human Rights Movement
(c) a non-governmental voluntary organization to help very poor people
(d) an inter-governmental agency to cater to medical emergencies in war-ravaged regions

ANSWER B

5. BioCarbon Fund Initiative for Sustainable Forest Landscapes' is managed by the

- (a) Asian Development Bank (b) International Monetary Fund
(c) United Nations Environment Programme (d) World Bank

ANSWER D

6. India is member of which among the following ?

1. Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation
2. Association of South-East Asian Nations
3. East Asia Summit

Select the correct answer using the code given below.

- (a) 1 and 2 only (b) 3 only (c) 1, 2 and 3 (d) India

ANSWER B

7. In the Mekong-Ganga Cooperation, an initiative of six countries, which of the following is/are not a participant/ participants?

1. Bangladesh
2. Cambodia
3. China
4. Myanmar
5. Thailand

Select the correct answer using the code given below.

- (a) 1 only (b) 2, 3 and 4 (c) 1 and 3 (d) 1, 2 and 5

ANSWER C

8. With reference to the 'Indian Ocean Rim Association for Regional Cooperation (IORARC)', consider the following statements:

1. It was established very recently in response to incidents of piracy and accidents of oil spills.
2. It is an alliance meant for maritime security only.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

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

ANSWER D

9. 'Beijing Declaration and Platform for Action', often seen in the news, is

- (a) a strategy to tackle the regional terrorism, an outcome of a meeting of the Shanghai Cooperation Organization
(b) a plan of action for sustainable economic growth in the Asia-Pacific Region, an outcome of the deliberations of the Asia-Pacific Economic Forum
(c) an agenda for women's empowerment, an outcome of a World Conference convened by the United Nations
(d) a strategy to combat wildlife trafficking, a declaration of the East Asia Summit

ANSWER C