

Current Affairs December Q&A 2015

- Eldar Ryazanov, who has been recently passed away was related to which of the following fields ?**
A.Music Director
B.Film Director
C.Politician
D.Russian Actor
- Who was awarded with four world record certificates scoring five goals in nine minutes ?**
A.Cristiano Ronaldo
B.Lionel Messi
C.Marco Reus
D.Robert Lewandowski
- Asian Business Leadership Forum 2015 conferred which of the following with lifetime achievement award ?**
A.Dr R. Seetharaman
B.Hinduja Brothers
C.H.E. Shaukat Aziz
D.Dr Naresh Trehan
- Delhi Assembly has passed how many education bills, that will regulate the refund of excess fees at private institutions ?**
A.1
B.3
C.5
D.2
- Who was be honoured with Sangeet Samman at the ITC Sangeet Sammelan 2015 ?**
A.Akkaarai Subbalakshmi
B.Ambi Subramaniam
C.L Subramaniam
D.L. Vaidyanathan
- Which bank launches country's first 'display variant' debit card ?**
A.ICICI Bank
B.Yes Bank
C.Axis Bank
D.HDFC Bank
- To magnify bilateral cooperation in the field of Solar Energy, India has signed MoU with which of the following country ?**
A.Maldives
B.Iran
C.Bahrain
D.Germany
- Who has been elected as the Bihar assembly Speaker ?**
A.Dinesh Oraon
B.Sitasharan Sharma
C.Mata Prasad Pandey
D.Vijay Kumar Chaudhary

9. **Which Ex Chief Of Army Staff among the following recently passed away?**
 - A.General Om Prakash Malhotra
 - B. Lt Gen Dalbir Singh
 - C. General Bikram Singh
 - D. Admiral Sureesh Mehta

10. **As per credit rating agency Brickwork, which Indian state has been emerged as the biggest economy within India ?**
 - A.Tamil Nadu
 - B.New Delhi
 - C.Karnataka
 - D.Maharashtra

11. **International Day of Persons with Disabilities observes on which date ?**
 - A.December 5
 - B.December 1
 - C.November 30
 - D.December 3

12. **Which Indian state has become the first state with the launch of Rotavirus vaccination project ?**
 - A.Madhya pradesh
 - B.Himachal Pradesh
 - C.Uttar Pradesh
 - D.Andhra Pradesh

13. **WHO declares which country free from Ebola recently ?**
 - A.Canada
 - B.Guinea
 - C.Korea
 - D.Nigeria

14. **China's president Xi Jinping has announced how much funding support to Africa for development purposes ?**
 - A.\$75mn
 - B.\$50mn
 - C.\$60mn
 - D.\$65mn

15. **Which High Court has made married daughters of deceased government employees eligible for the appointment on compassionate grounds ?**
 - A.Uttarakhand HC
 - B.Kerala HC
 - C.Bombay HC
 - D.Allahabad HC

16. **Ministry of Earth Sciences has appointed which of the following as its Secretary ?**
 - A.Debasish Ghose
 - B.H. R. Krishnamurthy
 - C.Raj Reddy
 - D.M Nair Rajeevan

17. **Recently which state has launched 'She Autos' scheme and distributed 49 CNG-fuelled autos to women drivers ?**
 - A.Madhya Pradesh
 - B.Andhra Pradesh
 - C.Uttar Pradesh
 - D.Arunachal Pradesh

18. **Which country has passed Anti-Terrorism law to strip dual nationals of their citizenship if they are convicted of terrorism offences ?**
 - A. Japan
 - B. Australia
 - C. Russia
 - D. Austria

19. **Railway minister Suresh Prabhu flagged off double decker express train between which of the following rail routes ?**
 - A. Jaipur-Goa
 - B. Goa-Mumbai
 - C. Gujarat-Goa
 - D. Goa-Delhi

20. **As part of the 125th birth anniversary year of which Indian freedom fighter, PM Modi has released commemorative coins of Rs 125 and Rs 10 denomination ?**
 - A. Vallabhai Patel
 - B. Mangal Pandey
 - C. B. R. Ambedkar
 - D. Rajendra Prasad

21. **6th Meeting of the Group on Automatic Exchange of Information (AEOI) on Transparency and Exchange of Information for Tax Purposes (Global Forum) was held at which place ?**
 - A. Kerala
 - B. Mumbai
 - C. New Delhi
 - D. Jaipur

22. **Who has won the 200 meter butterfly and clinched the title of US Winter National Championships ?**
 - A. Tyler Clary
 - B. Chase Kalisz
 - C. Michael Phelps
 - D. Dakota Hodgson

23. **Girnar Software Pvt. Ltd has appointed which of the following as its chief financial officer (CFO) ?**
 - A. Anurag Jain
 - B. Umesh Hora
 - C. Ankit Soni
 - D. Shailesh Lakhani

24. **The title of Hero World Challenge has been conferred upon which of the following professional golfer ?**
 - A. Anirban Lahiri
 - B. Ricky Fowler
 - C. Patrick Reed
 - D. Bubba Watson

25. **Which city Police has been conferred with "Express IT excellence award" in acknowledgment with IT initiatives launched by them ?**
 - A. Chattisgarh Police
 - B. Karnataka Police
 - C. Hyderabad Police
 - D. Lucknow Police

26. **General Motors India has appointed which of the following as its head ?**
A.Patricia Russo
B.Arvind Saxena
C.Kaheer Kazem
D.James Mulva
27. **Newly launched Indian Long Term Ecological Observatories (I-LTEO) programme will monitor how many biomes (natural landscapes) across the country ?**
A.6
B.8
C.2
D.10
28. **ShanIPV, an injectable inactivated vaccine launched by Sanofi Pasteur will cure which of the following disease ?**
A.Polio
B.Diarrhea
C.Malaria
D.Dengue
29. **Which of the following has become first Indian state to allow the members of state legislature to raise online questions ?**
A.Rajasthan
B.Gujarat
C.New Delhi
D.Maharashtra
30. **Which of the following two teams will replace Chennai and Rajasthan in forthcoming edition of the Indian Premier League (IPL) ?**
A.Pune and Lucknow
B.Jaipur and Rajkot
C.Rajkot and Pune
D.Panaji and Rajkot
31. **Ministry of Health and Family Welfare has constituted seven-member committee "Drugs Consultative Committee (DCC)" to examine online drug sale issue. Who heads MOHFW ?**
A.Ravi Shankar Prasad
B.Bandaru Dattatreya
C.Jagat Prakash Nadda
D.Thawar Chand Gehlot
32. **International Day of Commemoration and Dignity of the Victims of the Crime of Genocide observes on which date ?**
A.December 8
B.December 9
C.December 6
D.December 10
33. **MoU has been signed among Ministry of Textiles & Ministry of MSME for establishing a Technology Centre at which place ?**
A.Jaipur
B.Pune
C.Kanpur
D.Lucknow

34. **US House passed Visa Waiver Program Improvement Act of 2015 that would bar people from "4 Nations". Which of the following is not included in 4 Nations ?**
 A. Iraq
 B. Syria
 C. Israel
 D. Sudan
35. **5th Heart of Asia conference with theme "Heart of Asia-Istanbul Process" hosted by which country ?**
 A. Israel
 B. Afganistan
 C. Turkey
 D. Pakistan
36. **On the sidelines of Atomic Energy Amendment Bill 2015, Government has proposed joint ventures between Public Sector Undertakings (PSUs) with which of the following corporation of India ?**
 A. National Mineral Development Corporation
 B. Projects & Development India
 C. Electronics Corporation of India
 D. Nuclear Power Corporation of India
37. **International Monetary Fund (IMF) has block its financial aid program to which country ?**
 A. Zimbabwe
 B. Russia
 C. Ukraine
 D. Indonesia
38. **Which country has inaugurated its new stock exchange "Yangon Stock Exchange" with plans for six companies as an initial start ?**
 A. Maldives
 B. Myanmar
 C. Malawi
 D. Malaysia
39. **As per "India Health Report: Nutrition 2015" released by Union Health Minister which Indian state has maximum malnourished children in the country ?**
 A. Arunachal Pradesh
 B. Madhya Pradesh
 C. Andhra Pradesh
 D. Uttar Pradesh
40. **India and UK launched joint initiative "2016: UK-INDIA Year of Education, Research and Innovation" which includes GIAN programme. What does GIAN stands for ?**
 A. Global Innovation of Academic Networks
 B. Global Impact of Academic Networks
 C. Global Initiative of Academic Networks
 D. Global Interaction of Academic Networks
41. **Marylebone Cricket Club (MCC) has conferred which Sri Lankan cricketer with its Honorary Life Membership ?**
 A. Chanaka Welegedara
 B. Dilhara Lokuhettige
 C. Mahela Jayawardene
 D. Suranga Lakmal

42. **Which veteran Bollywood actor has been honoured with lifetime achievement award at the Dubai International Film Festival (DIFF) ?**
A.Om Puri
B.Dilip Kumar
C.Anupam kher
D.Naseeruddin Shah
43. **India has inked a protocol for amending the existing convention for double taxation avoidance that provides for effective exchange of information in tax matters with which country ?**
A.Spain
B.Turkey
C.Japan
D.China
44. **World Elite UCI (International Cycling Union) has ranked Indian cyclist Deborah Herold at which positing in world ranking ?**
A.8th
B.4th
C.10th
D.13th
45. **UNESCO Creative Cities Network has added which Indian city as its new member in Music category ?**
A.Patiala
B.Varanasi
C.Lucknow
D.Japiur
46. **Which of the following is appointed as the Ambassador of India to the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia ?**
A.Mohammad Yunus
B.Syed Akbaruddin
C.Nagendra Nath Jha
D.Ahmad Javed
47. **World tourism council has appointed which of the following as its Chairman of World Travel & Tourism Council ?**
A.Geoffrey Lipman
B.Kapil Chopra
C.Michael Frenzel
D.David Scowsill
48. **Which e-commerce company agreed to buy 112-year old newspaper South China Morning Post of Hong Kong ?**
A.Snapdeal
B.Flipkart
C.Alibaba
D.Amazon
49. **Recently Phillipines rescued about 750,000 people from heavy rain and winds caused due to the arrival of which typhoon ?**
A.Parma
B.Utor
C.Melor
D.Haiyan

50. **Which of the following is emerged as the winner of 2015 BWF Super Series Finals in women's singles category ?**
 A.Luo Ying
 B.Nozomi Okuhara
 C.Gabrielle Adcock
 D.Luo Yu
51. **UN Women Multi Country Office for India, Bhutan, Maldives and Sri Lanka have signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with which of the following ?**
 A.NPCI
 B.FICCI
 C.CII
 D.ASSOCHAM
52. **Development Credit Bank (DCB) has announced a cut in its base rate by 15 basis points from 10.85% to 10.7%. DCB headquarters are situated at which place ?**
 A.Karnataka
 B.New Delhi
 C.Maharashtra
 D.Rajasthan
53. **World Bank Group and FIRST Initiative announced the launch of a new tool to help governments to implement public CGS. What CGS stands for ?**
 A.Credibility Guarantee Schedule
 B.Credit Guarantee Schemes
 C.Common Guarantee Schedule
 D.Credibility Guarantee Schemes
54. **Who is named as the Sports Illustrated's 2015 Sportsperson of the Year ?**
 A.Sania Mirza
 B.Lyndrea Price
 C.Serena Williams
 D.Venus Williams
55. **Operation Smile-II, the successor of the earlier campaign to rescue/rehabilitate the missing children will begins its operation on which date ?**
 A.1st February, 2016
 B.25th December, 2015
 C.1st January, 2016
 D.26th January, 2016
56. **14th Meeting of the Heads of Governments (Prime Ministers) of the Shanghai Cooperation Organization Member States on Regional Economic Cooperation was held in which Chinese city ?**
 A.Dongguan
 B.Guangzhou
 C.Zhengzhou
 D.Hangzhou
57. **American rating agency Fitch allocated which of its rank to Indian economy ?**
 A.AAA
 B.BB
 C.BBB
 D.CCC
58. **European Tour Golfer of the Year award was conferred on which professional golfer ?**
 A.Rickie Fowler

B.Bubba Watson
C.Rory McIlroy
D.Jordan Spieth

59. **World Trade Organisation (WTO) has formally approved Afghanistan's membership. With this addition, now WTO has how many member countries ?**
A.165
B.163
C.164
D.162
60. **As per Forbes best countries for business list, India has been ranked at which position ?**
A.91st
B.96th
C.92th
D.97th
61. **Indian Railway Catering and Tourism Corporation (IRCTC) has tied up with which of the following payment gateway for food ordered through its e-catering facility ?**
A.Citrus
B.PayPal
C.Mobikwik
D.Paytm
62. **Rajasthan Cricket Association (RCA) has appointed which of the following as its President ?**
A.Sharad Pawar
B.Lalit Modi
C.Gautom Roy
D.Ranjib Biswal
63. **The 2nd World Internet Conference 2015 was hosted by which country ?**
A.Japan
B.Spain
C.Turkey
D.China
64. **Which of the following has been appointed as the Chief Information Commissioner (CIC) ?**
A.K.P.Shreyaskar
B.KV Chowdary
C.R K Mathur
D.Vijai Sharma
65. **International Labour Organization (ILO) has released a report of new global estimates on migrant workers. ILO headquarter is situated at which place ?**
A.Brisbane
B.Geneva
C.Washington
D.London
66. **Confederation of Indian Industry (CII) has conferred Industrial Innovation Awards 2015 upon how many companies ?**
A.18
B.35
C.23

D.20

67. **The Defence Acquisition Council (DAC) chaired by Defence Minister Manohar Parrikar cleared the purchase of five S-400 Triumf long-range air defence systems from Russia for how much worth ?**
A.Rs. 10,000 cr
B.Rs. 30,000 cr
C.Rs. 40,000 cr
D.Rs. 20,000 cr
68. **Single Window Clearance Bill, 2015 has been passed by which Indian state ?**
A.West Bengal
B.Uttarakhand
C.Gujarat
D.Jharkhand
69. **APJ Abdul Kalam fellowship worth \$156000 has been announced by which university Indian students those who wish to pursue PhD in specified fields of science and engineering at its institution ?**
A.University of West Florida
B.University of North Florida
C.University of Central Florida
D.University of South Florida
70. **Apple Inc. has appointed which of the following as its Chief Operating Officer (COO) ?**
A.Delano Lewis
B.Andrea Jung
C.Mickey Drexler
D.Jeff Williams
71. **Government has appointed which of the following as the India's next Ambassador to Thailand ?**
A.Nengcha Lhouvum
B.Sanjiv Kohli
C.Bhagwant Singh Bishnoi
D.Sushil Kumar Singhal
72. **Union Defence Minister Manohar Parrikar has cleared the purchase of defence equipment, including the crucial six regiments of Pinaka rocket system for how much worth ?**
A.Rs. 10,000 cr
B.Rs. 25,500 cr
C.Rs. 40,000 cr
D.Rs. 25,000 cr
73. **Pension Fund Regulatory and Development Authority (PFRDA) has started using which identity proof for online registration under the National Pension System (NPS) scheme ?**
A.Aadhar Card
B.Pan Card
C.Driving License
D.Passport
74. **Who among the following appointed as CEO of NITI Aayog ?**
A. Arvind Panagariya
B.Ramesh Chand
C.V.K.Saraswat

D. Amitabh Kant

75. **Government has appointed which of the following as the next Ambassador of India to the Republic of Indonesia ?**
A.Sanjiv Kohli
B.Bhagwant Singh Bishnoi
C.Nengcha Lhouvum Mukhopadhaya
D.Sushil Kumar Singhal4
76. **To provide energy security, Union Cabinet has consented a policy framework for development of UCG. What UCG stands for ?**
A.Underneath Coal Gasification
B.Underground Carbon Gasification
C.Underneath Carbon Gasification
D.Underground Coal Gasification
77. **Union Food Processing Minister Harsimrat Kaur Badal announced the establishment of how many mega food parks for Rs 2,000 crore ?**
A.38
B.42
C.36
D.24
78. **Rajya Sabha unanimously passed the SC and ST (Prevention of Atrocities) Amendment Bill, 2015. It will amend which act ?**
A.SC & ST (Prevention of Atrocities) Act, 2002
B.SC & ST (Prevention of Atrocities) Act, 1995
C.SC & ST (Prevention of Atrocities) Act, 1989
D.SC & ST (Prevention of Atrocities) Act, 2013
79. **As per the 6th All India Survey on Higher Education (AISHE) what is the Gross Enrolment Ratio (GER) in 2014-2015 ?**
A.20.8%
B.23.6%
C.30%
D.19.4%
80. **Which cricketer has topped the the ICC Player Rankings for Test Batsmen ?**
A.AB de Villiers
B.Steve Smith
C.Cheteshwar Pujara
D.Kane Williamson
81. **WTO's 10th Ministerial Conference was held in which country ?**
A.Japan
B.Kenya
C.China
D.Turkey
82. **Which areospace company has successfully launched and landed Falcon 9 rocket ?**
A.TIMCO
B.Skytech
C.LIDAX
D.SpaceX
83. **Which party has won the general election of Spain with 123 seats in the lower house of the 350-member Parliament and securing 28.7% vote share ?**
A.Anti-austerity Podemos Party

- B. Socialists
C. People's Party
D. Liberal Ciudadanos Party
84. **As per National Waterways Bill, 2015, how many additional inland waterways will be added to the list of national waterways ?**
A. 108
B. 115
C. 111
D. 106
85. **Which of the following has been named as the fellow in the US National Academy of Inventors for his work in inventing path-breaking healthcare technologies ?**
A. Swarna Jayanti
B. JR Bellare
C. Mauli Agrawal
D. Ashok Mishra
86. **Who has won Women's Singles in International Premier Tennis League 2015 ?**
A. Karolina Pliskova
B. Svetlana Kuznetsova
C. Sania Mirza
D. Belinda Bencic
87. **Jet Airways has appointed which of the following as its Chief Financial Officer (CFO) ?**
A. Anita Goyal
B. Amit Agarwal
C. Pawan Agarwal
D. Aman Mehta
88. **The Lok Sabha passed the Payment of Bonus (Amendment) Bill, 2015 which envisages doubling of wage ceiling for calculating bonus of factory workers. It will amend which act ?**
A. Payment of Bonus Act 1995
B. Payment of Bonus Act 1956
C. Payment of Bonus Act 1965
D. Payment of Bonus Act 2012
89. **China has started construction of its third largest hydropower station on the upper reaches of which river ?**
A. Tumen River
B. Yangtze River
C. Xiang River
D. Irtysg River
90. **World Tsunami Awareness Day observes on which date ?**
A. November 5
B. November 24
C. November 8
D. December 24
91. **Chilukoti Kashi Viswanath, who has been recently passed away was related to which of the following fields ?**
A. Musician
B. Businessman
C. Dialog Writer
D. Politician

92. **Which of the following countries allowed India to construct its Naval Base in Assumption Island?**
 A. Tanzania
 B. Indonesia
 C. Seychelles
 D. Maldives
93. **Which of the following organisations has released the report – Migration and Remittances Factbook 2016?**
 A. IMF
 B. World Bank
 C. OECD
 D. Asian Development Bank
94. **Rosneft oil company is from which of the following countries?**
 A. Australia
 B. Russia
 C. Canada
 D. USA
95. **What is the aim of “Stand up India” plan which was recently announced by PM Narendra Modi?**
 A. To Improve the Rural Sector
 B. To Increase the Indian Economy
 C. To Improve the Education System
 D. To Boost Entrepreneurship
96. **World Bank has recently approved the loan of \$35 million to which of the following countries for Indus River Basin?**
 A. Afghanistan
 B. Pakistan
 C. India
 D. Sri Lanka
97. **Who has been appointed as the Brand Ambassador of Amway India’s Nutrilite?**
 A. Irrfan Khan
 B. Akshaye Khanna
 C. Sharman Joshi
 D. Faran Akhtar
98. **PM Narendra Modi has recently inaugurated the newly built Parliament house at which of the following countries?**
 A. Sri Lanka
 B. Afghanistan
 C. Nepal
 D. Bangladesh
99. **Union Government has recently launched the “Kilkari” mobile application which was related to _____.**
 A. Electricity
 B. Finance
 C. Education
 D. Health
100. **Name the Aircraft carrier which won the coveted Cock Trophy during the Western Fleet Whaler Pulling Regatta?**
 A. INS Shakti
 B. INS Vikrant

C.INS Vikramaditya
D.INS Viraat

Answer Keys

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