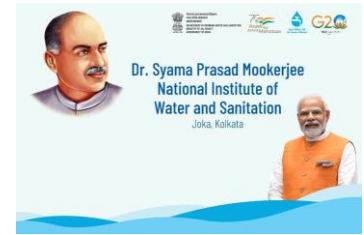


1. 'Dr. Syama Prasad Mookerjee – National Institute of Water and Sanitation (DSPM – NIWAS)' has been inaugurated in which state?

- A. Uttar Pradesh
- B. West Bengal ☒
- C. Telangana
- D. Karnataka



- ✓ Prime Minister Narendra Modi virtually laid foundation stone and projects worth more than ₹7,800 crore in West Bengal. He also virtually inaugurated Dr. Syama Prasad Mookerjee – National Institute of Water and Sanitation (DSPM – NIWAS). It will serve as an apex body in the country on water, sanitation and hygiene (WASH) in the country, serving as a hub of information and knowledge for Central, State and local governments.

2. Election Commission of India has developed a prototype of a remote electronic voting machine (RVM) for which category of people?

- A. Non Resident Indians
- B. Domestic Migrant Workers ☒
- C. Elderly citizens above 80 years
- D. Persons with Disabilities



- ✓ The Election Commission of India has developed a prototype of a remote electronic voting machine (RVM) for domestic migrant workers. It has invited political parties for a demonstration. If implemented, migrant voters do not need to travel to their home district to exercise their franchise and this will be a major move to increase voter participation.

3. Which state commenced India's first Nilgiri Tahr project?

- A. Tamil Nadu ☒
- B. Kerala
- C. Odisha
- D. Karnataka



- ✓ Tamil Nadu government has issued orders to conserve the Nilgiri tahr, the state animal, at a cost of Rs 25.14 crore. This is regarded as the first Nilgiri Tahr conservation project in the country. The project would be implemented during a 5-year period from 2022–2027, and follow a strategy including synchronised surveys to estimate numbers of the tahrs. The tahr is an endangered species and is protected under Schedule–I of the Wildlife (Protection) Act of India, 1972.

4. Which Indian Armed Force successfully test-fired the extended-range version of BrahMos Air-Launched missile?

- A. Indian Army
- B. Indian Navy
- C. Indian Air Force ☒
- D. Indian Coast Guard



- ✓ **Indian Air Force (IAF) successfully test-fired the extended-range version of BrahMos Air-Launched missile. It was test fired against a ship target from a frontline SU-30MKI aircraft. The maiden test of the extended range of the Brahmos Air Launched missile was conducted on May 12. BrahMos missiles are designed, developed and produced by BrahMos Aerospace, a joint venture company set up by India's DRDO and Russia's Mashinostroyeniya.**

5. The Indian Army has handed over first-ever 3D printed houses for soldiers at which city?

- A. Leh
- B. Ahmedabad ☒
- C. Jaisalmer
- D. Tawang



- ✓ **The Indian Army has offered the first 3D printed houses for soldiers at Ahmedabad Cantt. They are constructed by the Military Engineering Services (MES) in collaboration with MiCoB Pvt Ltd. The dwelling unit, with a ground floor plus one configuration are not only cheap but can be constructed in less time. Construction work of the dwelling unit with garage space and first floor was completed in 12 weeks.**

6. The SAARC Charter was adopted in which city on December 8, 1985?

- A. New Delhi
- B. Dhaka ☒
- C. Kathmandu
- D. Colombo



S A A R C
SOUTH ASIAN ASSOCIATION
FOR REGIONAL COOPERATION

- ✓ **The South Asian Association for Regional Cooperation (SAARC) Charter Day is observed every year on 8th December. On this day in 1985, SAARC Charter was adopted in Dhaka, during the first summit of the group. This year also marks the 38th Anniversary of the regional group. SAARC has organised 18 summits since 1985.**

7. Which language Day is observed on 18 December?

- A. French
- B. Greek
- C. Arabic ☒
- D. Urdu

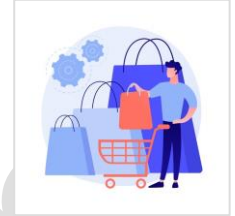
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- ✓ **World Arabic Language Day is observed on 18 December to honour the language, which is spoken by over 400 million people globally. It has been celebrated since 2012 to mark the adoption of**

Arabic as the sixth official language of the United Nations by the UN General Assembly. This year, the theme of the World Arabic Language Day is "The Contribution of the Arabic Language to Human Civilization and Culture".

8. When is the 'National Consumer Rights Day' observed across India?

- A. December.20
- B. December.22
- C. December.24 ☒
- D. December.25



- ✓ December 24 is celebrated annually across India as National Consumer Rights Day. It is also called National Consumer Day. The Day commemorates December 24, 1986, the date when the Consumer Protection Act received assent of the President of India. The purpose of the day is to make consumers aware of their rights and responsibilities. World Consumer Rights Day is celebrated annually on March 15.

9. When is the International Migrants Day observed?

- A. December.18 ☒
- B. December.21
- C. December.24
- D. December.27



- ✓ The International Migrant Day is observed every year on December 18, to tackle the problem and challenges of global migration. The United Nations General Assembly in the year 1999 created the International Convention on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of their Families. The theme for the year 2022 is "Integrating migrants into primary health care".

10. NTPC commissioned 150 MW & 90 MW Devikot Solar PV Projects in which state?

- A. Tamil Nadu
- B. Gujarat
- C. Maharashtra
- D. Rajasthan ☒



- ✓ NTPC has commissioned capacities of 150 MW & 90 MW Devikot Solar PV Projects at Jaisalmer in Rajasthan. They are declared on Commercial Operation. With this, standalone installed and commercial capacity of NTPC has become 58041 MW, while group installed and commercial capacity of NTPC has reached 70656 MW.