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Competitive Exams: Public Administration MCQs (Practice_Test 22 of 104)

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1. Consider the following statements with respect to the legislative powers of the Governor:
 - a. He summons, prorogues and dissolves the assembly
 - b. He adjourns the sittings of the state assembly
 - c. He addresses the first session of the legislative assembly after elections
 - d. He causes to lay the budget in the assembly

Which of these are correct?

- a. 1 and 2
 - b. 2 and 3
 - c. 2 and 4
 - d. 1 and 3
2. Which one of the following committees recommended the separation of regulatory and development functions at the district level?
 - a. Dantwallah Committee
 - b. Hanumantha Rao Committee
 - c. Kothari Committee
 - d. G. VK. Rao Committee
 3. The main responsibility of Directorate in state administration is to
 - a. Review policies
 - b. Implement policies
 - c. Make policies
 - d. Evaluate policies
 4. Which one of the following is not the duty of District Magistrate?
 - a. Maintenance of law and order

- b. Collection of land revenue
 - c. Implementation of poverty alleviation programmes
 - d. Conduct of local bodies elections
5. Consider the following statements with respect to the 73rd Constitutional Amendment: It provided
- a. For 27% reservations to the Other Backward Classes
 - b. That the chairperson of the Panchayat at intermediate/district level shall be elected by, and from amongst the elected members thereof
 - c. For reservation for SCs/STs
 - d. For uniform five-year term for local bodies

Which of these is/are correct?

- a. Only 1
 - b. 1 and 2
 - c. 2, 3 and 4
 - d. 1, 2, 3 and 4
6. In which part of the Indian Constitution, has the provision for Panchayats been made?
- a. IX
 - b. IV
 - c. III
 - d. IX A
7. In which one of the following states, is provision relating to reservation for Scheduled Castes in Panchayats under 73rd Constitutional Amendment not applicable?
- a. Nagaland
 - b. Mizoram
 - c. Meghalaya
 - d. Arunachal Pradesh
8. The Recall provision to remove the elected office-bearers from the local self government institution has been executed in
- a. Bihar

- b. Kerala
- c. Madhya Pradesh
- d. Haryana

9. Consider the following statements with respect to the Constitutional (Seventyfourth Amendment) Act, 1992: It provided for

- a. Three-tier municipalities.
- b. Ward committees
- c. District Planning Committees
- d. Direct elections of chairperson of a municipality

Which of these is/are correct?

- a. Only 1
- b. 2and3
- c. 1, 2and3
- d. 2, 3 and 4

- o. **Assertion (A):** The 73rd Constitutional Amendment Act is the culmination of the process of democratic decentralization.
 - o. **Reason (R):** The state should take steps to organize village Panchayats and endow them with such powers and authority as may be necessary to enable them to function as units of self-government.
 - a. Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A
 - b. Both A and R are true but R is NOT the correct explanation of A
 - c. A is true but R is false
 - d. A is false but R is true
11. **Assertion (A):** Managerialism and mercerization can help public administration move towards an increased volume of public goods and services.
- o. **Reason (R):** Failure to implement public law principles relating to contracts reduces the accountability of the public administration.
 - a. Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A
 - b. Both A and R are true but R is NOT the correct explanation of A
 - c. A is true but R is false

d. A is false but R is true

12. ◦ **Assertion (A):** The New Public Administration movement has failed to take root.

◦ **Reason (R):** It was a mere gust of emotions with no clearly defined operational underpinnings.

a. Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A

b. Both A and R are true but R is NOT the correct explanation of A

c. A is true but R is false

d. A is false but R is true

13. ◦ **Assertion (A):** Acquisition rather than responsiveness is the major thrust in market debate.

◦ **Reason (R):** Market concerns and public interest ethics, in their ultimate are supplementary.

a. Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A

b. Both A and R are true but R is NOT the correct explanation of A

c. A is true but R is false

d. A is false but R is true

14. ◦ **Assertion (A):** In government offices, O & M units function as line agencies.

◦ **Reason (R):** O & M units are expected to play advisory role.

a. Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A

b. Both A and R are true but R is NOT the correct explanation of A

c. A is true but R is false

d. A is false but R is true

15. ◦ **Assertion (A):** It is the functions of the judiciary to ensure that the civil service functions within the limits of law.

◦ **Reason (R):** The judicial control over civil service is expensive, dilatory and complicated.

a. Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A

b. Both A and R are true but R is NOT the correct explanation of A

c. A is true but R is false

d. A is false but R is true

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