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April 2019 Legal Current Affairs for Law Entrance Exam

APRIL LEGAL CA QUIZ 8

Directions: Study the following questions carefully and answer the questions given below.

1. Reliance Jio has recently acquired _____ chatbot start-up company in Rs. 230 cr.

- A. TikTok
- B. Haptik
- C. Zolik
- D. Upband

2. Which of the following days is observed as the International Day of Mine Awareness and Assistance in Mine Action?

- A. April 3
- B. April 4
- C. April 5
- D. April 6

3. Which of the following countries has recently deployed a new missile destroyer, frigate in its anti-piracy fleet?

- A. Sri Lanka
- B. Pakistan
- C. China
- D. Bangladesh

4. In which of the following states, the Indian Army has recently discovered the wreckage of a World War II aircraft?

- A. Arunachal Pradesh
- B. Sikkim
- C. Manipur
- D. Assam

5. As per National Green Tribunal, which of the following states only treats 49 per cent of wastewater before dumping it in the Ganga?

- A. Uttar Pradesh
- B. West Bengal

C. Bihar

D. Jharkhand

6. Scientists from which of the following countries have recently discovered a possible death switch mechanism in plants?

A. United States

B. Sweden

C. Switzerland

D. China

7. Which of the following days is observed as the International Day of Sport for Development and Peace?

A. April 6

B. April 5

C. April 8

D. April 4

8. Which of the following cities is going host the Nepal-India Franchise Investment Expo and Conclave 2019?

A. New Delhi

B. Ranchi

C. Kathmandu

D. Dhaka

9. Which of the following days is observed as the World Health Day?

A. 6 April

B. 7 April

C. 8 April

D. 9 April

10. The 7th Foreign Office consultations between India and Italy were recently held in which of the following cities?

A. New Delhi

B. Sikkim

C. Rome

D. Florence

Correct answers:

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
B	B	A	A	B	D	A	C	B	A

Explanations:**1.****Hints to Remember****Who:** Reliance Jio**What:** buys chatbot firm Haptik in Rs 700 crore deal**When:** published on 4th April 2019

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For the complete information kindly visit given link:

<https://timesofindia.indiatimes.com/business/india-business/reliance-jio-buys-chatbot-firm-haptik-in-rs-700cr-deal/articleshow/68713713.cms>

2.**Hints to Remember****Who:** International Day of Mine Awareness and Assistance in Mine Action**What:** was observed across the world

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International Day for Mine Awareness and Assistance in Mine Action 2019 theme is "United Nations Promotes SDGs – Safe Ground – Safe Home". The architecture of the reforms of peace and security comprises the entire humanitarian, peace building and sustainable development. For 20 years United Nations Mine Action Service (UNMAS) has been working and solving the problems of the affected people and the threat of explosive hazards faced by civilians, peacekeepers and humanitarians. Basically, they protect civilians, support refugees, enable recovery activities, advocate human rights law etc.

For the complete information kindly visit given link:

<https://www.un.org/en/events/mineawarenessday/>

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The naval fleet includes the guided missile destroyer Xi'an, the missile frigate Anyang and the Gaoyanghu, a comprehensive supply ship, state-run Global Times reported.

For the complete information kindly visit given link:

<https://economictimes.indiatimes.com/news/defence/china-deploys-new-missile-destroyer-frigate-in-its-anti-piracy-fleet/articleshow/68724333.cms?from=mdr>

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For the complete information kindly visit given link:

<http://pib.nic.in/newsite/PrintRelease.aspx?relid=189635>

5.

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Who: West Bengal

What: treats only 49% waste water before dumping it in Ganga

When: published on 3rd April 2019

West Bengal treats only 49 per cent of the waste water before dumping it in the Ganga, the National Green Tribunal has said while directing the state government to submit quarterly report on the issue of solid waste management.

The green panel noted that about 90 per cent of municipal solid waste generated in Bengal is being dumped in the open every day in violation of statutory pollution laws.

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<https://economictimes.indiatimes.com/news/environment/pollution/west-bengal-treats-only-49-waste-water-before-dumping-it-in-ganga-ngt/articleshow/68708894.cms>

6.

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Who: Chinese scientists

What: have discovered a possible death switch mechanism in plants

When: published on 5th April 2019

Chinese scientists have discovered a possible "death switch" mechanism in plant's immune system that triggers infected cells to self-destruct, thus limiting the spread of the disease and keeping other parts of the plant healthy. This is as per the findings published in the journal 'Science'.

Scientists said the discovery provides clues to cell death control and immunity for plants, and they hope further research can lead to a new generation of disease-resistant crops that use significantly less pesticide and are more environmentally friendly.

The research was done by scientists from Tsinghua University and the Chinese Academy of Sciences' Institute of Genetics and Development Biology.

For the complete information kindly visit given link:

<http://www.newsonair.com/News?title=Discovery-of-%26%2339%3Bdeath-switch%26%2339%3B-mechanism-in-plants-may-yield-stronger-crops%3A-Scientists&id=361838>

7.

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Who: the International Day of Sport for Development and Peace

What: was observed across the world

When: published on 6th April 2019

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For the complete information kindly visit given link:

<https://www.timeanddate.com/holidays/un/sport-day>

8.

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What: is going host the Nepal-India Franchise Investment Expo and Conclave 2019

When: published on 4th April 2019

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For the complete information kindly visit given link:

<http://www.ddnews.gov.in/international/nepal-india-franchise-investment-expo-conclave-be-held-kathmandu>

9.

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Who: the World Health Day

What: was observed across the world

When: published on 7th April 2019

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<https://www.who.int/campaigns/world-health-day/world-health-day-2019>

10.

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Top 10 news of the day : 8th April 2019

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