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# January 2019 Legal Current Affairs for Law Entrance Exam

## JAN LEGAL CA QUIZ 13

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

**1. Fourth Edition of Raisina Dialogue was recently held in which of the following cities?**

- A. Mumbai                      B. Chennai                      C. New Delhi  
D. Kochi                      E. None of these

**2. Who among the following was recently appointed as Delhi Pradesh Congress Committee Chief?**

- A. Kapil Sibal                      B. Pratibha Patil                      C. Sheila Dikshit  
D. Pranab Mukherjee                      E. None of these

**3. The 1st India-Central Asia Dialogue was held in \_\_\_\_\_, Uzbekistan.**

- A. Bukhara                      B. Tashkent                      C. Khiva  
D. Samarkand                      E. None of these

**4. Pradeep Kumar Gyawali met his Indian counterpart Sushma Swaraj in New Delhi, recently. He is External Affairs Minister of which of the following countries?**

- A. Bangladesh                      B. Nepal                      C. Vietnam  
D. Sri Lanka                      E. None of these

**5. As per the recent news, which of the following countries is to withdraw from UN anti-corruption commission?**

- A. Mexico                      B. Honduras                      C. Nicaragua  
D. Guatemala                      E. None of these

**6. Prime minister Narendra Modi is going to inaugurate the 15th Pravasi Bharatiya Divas on 21st January 2019 at \_\_\_\_\_ in Uttar Pradesh.**

- A. Agra                      B. Gorakhpur                      C. Varanasi  
D. Moradabad                      E. None of these

**7. Which of the following states has recently become third state to bar CBI from investigating cases in state?**

- A. Madhya Pradesh                      B. Bihar                      C. Uttar Pradesh  
D. Chhattisgarh                      E. None of these

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- A. 2024                      B. 2023                      C. 2022  
D. 2025                      E. None of these

**9. Su Tseng-chang was recently appointed as Prime Minister of which of the following countries?**

- A. Thailand                      B. Taiwan                      C. Japan  
D. Hong Kong                      E. None of these

**10. Who one of the following has recently received 'Exhibitor of the Year Award'?**

A. ISRO pavilion

B. DRDO pavilion

C. HAL pavilion

D. BHEL pavilion

E. None of these



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### Correct answers:

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

### Explanations:

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<https://economictimes.indiatimes.com/news/politics-and-nation/sheila-dikshit-likely-to-be-new-delhi-congress-chief/articleshow/67472343.cms>

3.

### Hints to Remember

**Who:** First India-Central Asia Dialogue

**What:** was held in Samarkand, Uzbekistan

**When:** published on 9th January 2019

The first India-Central Asia Dialogue will be held in Samarkand, Uzbekistan on January 12 and 13, and will be co-chaired by External Affairs Minister

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