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January 2019 Legal Current Affairs for Law Entrance Exam

JAN LEGAL CA QUIZ 24

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

1. Stefan Lofven has recently won second term as Prime Minister of which of the following countries?

- A. France
- B. Sweden
- C. Iraq
- D. Brazil

2. Who among the following has recently been appointed as the new Director General of the Bureau of Civil Aviation Security (BCAS)?

- A. Rakesh Asthana
- B. O P Sharma
- C. Manoj Kumar Singh
- D. Alok Tiwari

3. Who among the following has recently been named in 13-member selection committee of Hockey India?

- A. Sunil Chhetri
- B. Rupinder Pal Singh
- C. Sandeep Singh
- D. Sardar Singh

4. On 19th January 2019, which of the following states has recently signed 130 MoUs with investment commitments worth Rs 56,000 crore?

- A. Rajasthan
- B. Maharashtra
- C. Gujarat
- D. Kerala

5. On 17th January 2019, which of the following countries has recently activated a plan for a no-deal Brexit after the British Parliament rejected PM Theresa May's deal?

- A. Germany
- B. Canada
- C. France
- D. United States

6. Which of the following states' cabinet has recently approved the proposal to rename Mughalsarai tehsil as Pandit Deen Dayal Upadhyaya tehsil after the late RSS leader?

- A. Bihar
- B. Uttar Pradesh
- C. Jharkhand
- D. Tamil Nadu

7. Which of the following cities is going to become India's first city to have a cow crematorium?

- A. Gorakhpur
- B. Agra
- C. Bhopal
- D. Indore

8. Name the justice who was recently appointed as the acting Chief Justice of the Karnataka High Court on 17th January 2019?

- A. Justice Thottathil B. Radhakrishnan
- B. Justice Sanjay Karol
- C. Justice Vijay Kumar Bist
- D. Justice Lingappa Narayana Swamy

9. Which of the following states has recently announced "Shaurya Awards" for Students?

- A. Andhra Pradesh
- B. Tamil Nadu
- C. Kerala
- D. Haryana

10. Who among the following has recently been appointed as the Chief Justice of Pakistan?

A. Saqib Nisar

B. Asif Khosa

C. Munib Akhtar

D. Madan Bhimarao Lokur



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The Question Bank

Correct answers:

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

Explanations:

1.

Hints to Remember

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<https://www.aljazeera.com/news/2019/01/sweden-prime-minister-stefan-lofven-wins-term-190118091006980.html>

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https://www.business-standard.com/article/news-ians/government-appoints-rakesh-asthana-as-dg-bcas-119011800806_1.html

3.

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What: was named in 13-member selection committee of Hockey India

When: published on 15th January 2019

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For the complete information kindly visit given link:

<https://scroll.in/field/909601/former-captain-sardar-singh-named-in-13-member-selection-committee-of-hockey-india>

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Who: Gujarat govt.

What: signs 130 MoUs with investment commitments worth Rs 56,000 crore

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For the complete information kindly visit given link:

<https://www.businesstoday.in/top-story/gujarat-govt-signs-130-mous-with-investment-commitments-worth-rs-56000-crore/story/311533.html>

5.

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For the complete information kindly visit given link:

<https://www.thelocal.fr/20190117/france-activates-plan-for-no-deal-brexite>

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Hints to Remember

Who: UP Cabinet

What: approves proposal to rename Mughalsarai tehsil after Deen Dayal Upadhyay

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<https://scroll.in/latest/909971/up-cabinet-approves-proposal-to-rename-mughalsarai-tehsil-after-deen-dayal-upadhyay>

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Hints to Remember

Who: Bhopal

What: is to become India's first city to have a cow crematorium

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For the complete information kindly visit given link:

<https://www.ndtv.com/bhopal-news/bhopal-to-become-indias-first-city-to-have-a-cow-crematorium-1979101>

8.

Hints to Remember

Who: Justice Lingappa Narayana Swamy

What: appointed as the acting Chief Justice of the Karnataka High Court

When: published on 17th January 2019

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For the complete information kindly visit given link:

<https://barandbench.com/justice-lingappa-narayana-swamy-acting-chief-justice-karnataka-high-court/>

9.

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What: has announced “Shaurya Awards” for Students

When: published on 18th January 2019

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<https://www.indiatoday.in/education-today/news/story/-shaurya-award-to-be-awarded-haryana-students-in-the-name-of-police-martyrs-1433749-2019-01-18>

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Hints to Remember

Who: Asif Khosa

What: was appointed as the Chief Justice of Pakistan

When: published on 2nd January 2019

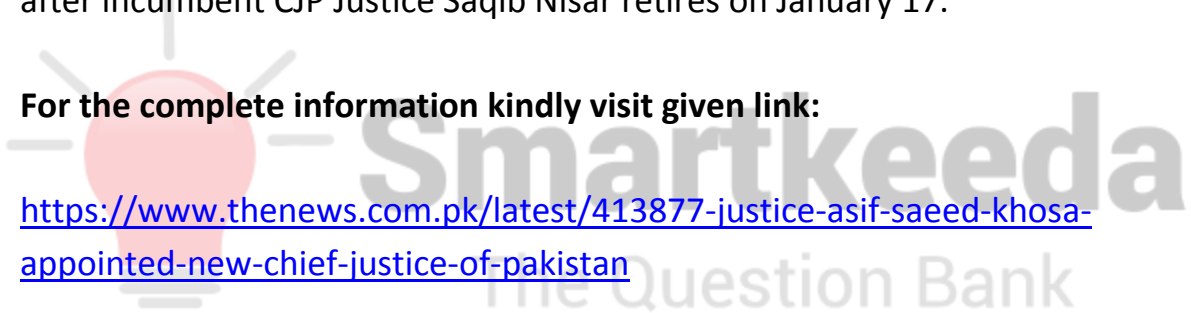
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<https://www.thenews.com.pk/latest/413877-justice-asif-saeed-khosa-appointed-new-chief-justice-of-pakistan>



Top 10 news of the day : 26th January 2019

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