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# January 2019 Legal Current Affairs for Law Entrance Exam

## JAN LEGAL CA QUIZ 6

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

**1. Tropical storm 'Pabuk' has recently made landfall in which of the following countries?**

- A. South Africa                      B. Thailand                      C. Sri Lanka  
D. Vietnam                      E. None of these

**2. Who among the following has recently launched 'Swachh Survekshan 2019'?**

- A. Navjot Singh Sidhu      B. Satya Pal Singh      C. Piyush Goyal  
D. Hardeep Singh Puri      E. None of these

**3. Who among the following is the first tycoon to be named "Fugitive Economic Offender"?**

- A. Vijay Mallya                      B. Nirav Modi                      C. Lalit Modi  
D. Mehul Choksi                      E. None of these

**4. 80th National Table Tennis Championship has recently begun in \_\_\_\_\_ .**

- A. Kolkata                      B. Chennai                      C. Cuttack  
D. Mumbai                      E. None of these

**5. NGT has recently imposed Rs 100 crore fine on which of the following states govt. for failing to curb illegal mining?**

- A. Bihar                      B. Jharkhand                      C. Chhattisgarh  
D. Meghalaya                      E. None of these

**6. Indian Panorama Film Festival has recently begun in \_\_\_\_\_.**

- A. Mumbai                      B. New Delhi                      C. Gorakhpur  
D. Agra                      E. None of these

**7. Which of the following states governments has recently bagged CBIP award for Polavaram project?**

- A. Madhya Pradesh                      B. Andhra Pradesh                      C. Uttar Pradesh  
D. Arunachal Pradesh                      E. None of these

**8. Who among the following honoured with Ramnath Goenka Award, recently?**

- A. M Gunasekaran                      B. Sandhya Ravishankar                      C. Vijay Kumar  
D. All A, B and C                      E. None of these

**9. The Khyber Pakhtunkhwa (KP) provincial government of \_\_\_\_\_ has declared the ancient Hindu religious site of Panj Tirath as National heritage.**

- A. Afghanistan                      B. Bangladesh                      C. Pakistan  
D. Nepal                      E. None of these

**10. Secunderabad Railway Station became the 1st railway station of South Central Railway (SCR) to hoist a gigantic Tricolour on a 100 feet tall pole in the circulating area of it's main entrance. The station is located in which city?**

A. Chennai

B. Hyderabad

C. Cuttack

D. Vijayawada

E. None of these



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The Question Bank

## Correct answers

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

## Explanations:

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<https://www.theguardian.com/world/2019/jan/04/thailand-braces-amid-fears-tropical-storm-pabuk-could-be-worst-in-a-generation>

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<https://www.ndtv.com/india-news/vijay-mallya-may-be-first-tycoon-to-be-named-fugitive-economic-offender-under-new-anti-corruption-la-1972995>

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**For the complete information kindly visit given link:**

<http://www.newsonair.com/Main-News-Details.aspx?id=357551>

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<https://timesofindia.indiatimes.com/india/ngt-imposes-rs-100-crore-fine-on-meghalaya-govt-for-failing-to-curb-illegal-mining/articleshow/67388122.cms>

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9.

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**Who:** Pakistan

**What:** declares Panj Tirath Hindu religious site as national heritage

**When:** published on 3rd January 2019

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<https://www.hindustantimes.com/world-news/pakistan-declares-panj-tirath-hindu-religious-site-as-national-heritage/story-iSYyWFoC0AnUuMc3XiQoQK.html>

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## **Top 10 news of the day : 6<sup>th</sup> January, 2019**

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