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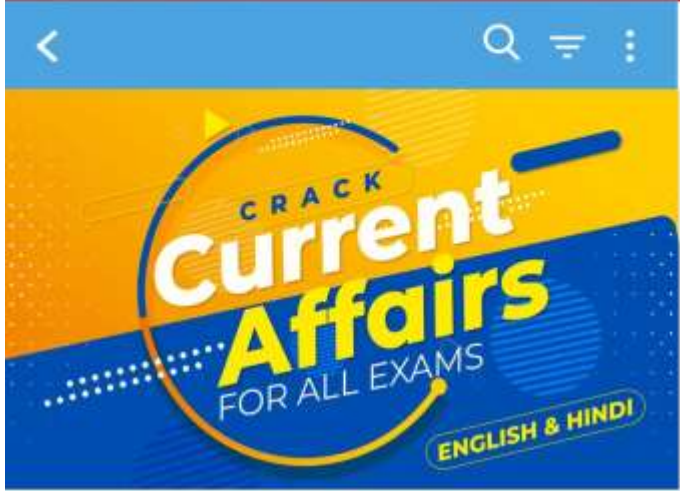
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Current Affairs Q&A PDF – 16 May 2024

NATIONAL AFFAIRS

1. Which shipbuilding company has celebrated its 250th Foundation Day on May 14, 2024?

- 1) Garden Reach Shipbuilders & Engineers Limited
- 2) Mazagon Dock Shipbuilders Limited
- 3) Naval Dockyard
- 4) Cochin Shipyard Limited
- 5) Hindustan Shipyard Limited

Answer- 2) Mazagon Dock Shipbuilders Limited

Explanation:

On May 14, 2024, Mazagon Dock Shipbuilders Limited (MDL) celebrated its 250th Foundation Day with a series of events in Mumbai, Maharashtra. The celebration, presided over by Secretary **Giridhar Aramane** from the Ministry of Defence (MoD).

MoD Secretary Giridhar Aramane launches and inaugurates the following:

- **Fuel Cell Electric Ferry:** Commissioning of 'SUCHI', a 24-passenger fuel cell electric ferry with zero emissions and low acoustic signatures.
- **Technical Seminar & Commemorative Coin:** Inauguration of a technical seminar on emerging shipbuilding technologies and release of **Rs 250 commemorative coin** by the Giridhar to honor MDL's 250-year legacy.
- **Midget Submarine:** Launch of platform design and hull of the indigenous midget submarine 'Arowana' as a proof of concept for future full-scale conventional submarines.

Option Revision:

1. Covered on 13th March 2024:Garden Reach Shipbuilders & Engineers

Garden Reach Shipbuilders & Engineers (GRSE) launched 'Agray' and 'Akshay', the 5th and 6th ships of 8 Anti-Submarine Warfare (ASW) Shallow Water Craft (SWC) Project for the Indian Navy (IN) in Kolkata, West Bengal.

3. Covered on 16th April 2024:Naval Dockyard

The CNS Trophy for Best Green Practices 2023 was awarded to Naval Dockyard, Mumbai, Maharashtra, at a Naval Investiture Ceremony at INS Hansa (the Indian Navy's air station), Goa.

4. Covered on 19th January 2024:Cochin Shipyard Limited

The New Dry Dock(NDD) is built for Rs 1800 crore at the existing premises of Cochin Shipyard Limited and it is the largest marine infrastructure in South Asia.

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2. Which country, along with India's National Security Guard (NSG), has recently (in may '24) participated in the 7th edition of the counter-terrorism exercise 'Tarkash' held in Kolkata, West Bengal ?

- 1) Guyana
- 2) Egypt
- 3) Russia
- 4) United States of America
- 5) France

Answer- **4) United States of America**

Explanation:

The 7th edition of the India-U.S. joint counter-terrorism exercise 'Tarkash' was held between the **National Security Guard (NSG)** and United States (US) **Special Operations Forces (SOF)** from April 22 to May 15, 2024 in Kolkata, West Bengal(WB).

- This three-week exercise involved intense training and mock drills in urban counter-terrorism scenarios.
- The 6th edition took place in Chennai, Tamil Nadu (TN), in January 2023.

INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS

3. According to the Times Higher Education (THE) Young University Rankings 2024, Singapore's Nanyang Technological University (NTU) has topped the global ranking for the 2nd consecutive year.

Which of the following has ranked highest among Indian universities?

- 1) Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam, Kerala
- 2) Anna University, Chennai, Tamil Nadu
- 3) IIM Ahmedabad, Gujarat
- 4) Jawaharlal Nehru University, Delhi
- 5) Bharathiar University, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu

Answer-**1) Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam, Kerala**

Explanation:

According to the [Times Higher Education \(THE\) Young University Rankings 2024](#), Mahatma Gandhi University (MGU) in Kottayam, Kerala, ranked 81(globally) has emerged as the highest-ranking Indian university.

- Nanyang Technological University(NTU), Singapore has topped the global ranking for the 2nd consecutive year.

- Apart from MGU, Anna University, Chennai, Tamil Nadu(TN) ranked 96th is the only Indian University featured among the top 100 on the 2024 ranking.
- India is represented by 55 institutions in the 2024 ranking, up from 45 in 2023 and 26 in 2020.

BANKING & FINANCE

4. Which regulatory body has recently (in May '24) mandated National Institute of Securities Market (NISM) Series-XIX-C certification for at least one key personnel of an Alternative Investment Fund (AIF) manager's investment team?

- 1) Reserve Bank of India
- 2) Securities and Exchange Board of India
- 3) Insurance Regulatory and Development Authority of India
- 4) Small Industries Development Bank of India
- 5) GIFT International Financial Services Centre

Answer- 2) Securities and Exchange Board of India

Explanation:

On May 13, 2024, the Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) mandated that the investment team of the manager of an Alternative Investment Fund (AIF) must include at least one key personnel with **National Institute of Securities Market (NISM) Series-XIX-C** certification. This requirement, effective from **May 10, 2024**, is a criterion for AIF registration.

- To give this effect, SEBI has amended its **Certification of Associated Persons in the Securities Markets Regulations, 2007**.

SEBI has also relaxed the provisions of Risk Management Framework at KRAs (KYC Registration Agencies) norms, where KYC stands for Know Your Customer (KYC).

- This information by SEBI is provided in exercise of its powers conferred under Section 11(1) of SEBI Act, 1992, and Regulation 17 of the SEBI KRA Regulations, 2011.

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5. Which bank has recently (in May '24) launched PIXEL, India's first virtual credit card powered by Visa Network?

- 1) NSDL Payments Bank Limited
- 2) Axis Bank
- 3) HDFC Bank
- 4) Indian Overseas Bank
- 5) ICICI Bank

Answer- 3) HDFC Bank

Explanation:

On 14th May 2024, **HDFC Bank Limited** launched **PIXEL**, India's first virtual credit card, which allows users to design their cards with personalised benefits and offers.

- The card, currently on **Visa Network**, is available in 2 variants: **PIXEL Play** and **PIXEL Go**.
- This marks HDFC Bank's debut in the end-to-end mobile app-based customisable credit card range.
- The customers can register for the **PIXEL** cards on the **PayZapp**, the mobile application of HDFC Bank.

- Mumbai(Maharashtra) based banking tech company **Zeta** is the technology provider for Pixel

6. Name the organisation that has recently (May 2024) launched India's 1st Satellite In-Orbit Third-Party Liability Insurance policy, which provides critical financial protection to meet the needs of Indian satellite manufacturers and operators.

- 1) State Bank of India Life Insurance Company Limited
- 2) TATA AIG General Insurance Company Limited
- 3) Star Health and Allied Insurance Company Ltd.
- 4) Future Generali India Life Insurance Company Limited
- 5) Acko General Insurance Limited

Answer- **2) TATA AIG General Insurance Company Limited**

Explanation:

TATA AIG General Insurance Company Limited has introduced India's first 'Satellite In-Orbit Third-Party Liability Insurance' policy which provides critical financial protection to meet the needs of satellite manufacturers and operators in the Indian space sector.

- With this, TATA AIG General Insurance becomes the first private insurer in India to offer a Satellite Insurance cover.

ECONOMY & BUSINESS

7. Moody's Ratings has recently (May '24) projected India's GDP to grow at 6.6% in fiscal year 2024-25 (FY25).

What is the estimated GDP growth rate for India in the fiscal year 2025-2026(FY 26)?

- 1) 6.5%
- 2) 6.3%
- 3) 6.8%
- 4) 6.2%
- 5) 6.6%

Answer- **4) 6.2%**

Explanation:

On 14th May 2024, **Moody's Ratings** had projected that India's Gross Domestic Product (GDP) to grow at **6.6% in FY25 (2024-25)** and **6.2% in FY26 (2025-26)**. It also mentioned that strong credit demand fuelled by robust economic growth will give a boost to the profitability of Non-Banking Financial Companies (NBFCs).

- It also estimated India's GDP growth **8%** in FY24(2023-24).
- Moody's Ratings highlighted that Aggregate Year-On-Year (Y-O-Y) loan growth at NBFCs increased from **10.8% (2022) to 20.8% (2023)**.
- It estimated that loans at NBFCs to grow about 15% in the next 12 to 18 months. This is due to the various types of lending such as: infrastructure financing by large Government-owned NBFCs and loans to small and medium-sized enterprises.

AWARDS & RECOGNITIONS

8. Which award/fellowship was recently (in May '24) received by renowned English author Ruskin Bond?

- 1) Young India Fellowship
- 2) Kuvempu Rashtriya Puraskar
- 3) Tenzing Norgay National Award
- 4) Mohammed Rafi Award
- 5) Sahitya Akademi Fellowship

Answer- **5) Sahitya Akademi Fellowship**

Explanation:

The renowned **English Author Ruskin Bond** received the **Sahitya Akademi Fellowship**.

- Madhav Kaushik, President of Sahitya Akademi and Dr. K. Sreenivasarao, Secretary of Sahitya Akademi handed over the plaque to Bond at his home (Mussoorie, Uttarakhand).
- Bond received the **Sahitya Akademi Award** (1992) for his story collection "Our Trees Still Grow in Dehra".

Note: Ruskin Bond was named a **recipient** of **Akademi's** highest honour in September **2021**. Due to his illness, he was unable to receive the honour in person.



APPOINTMENTS & RESIGNATIONS

9. Who has been recently (in May '24) appointed as the new Executive Director of the UN Multi – Partner Trust Fund Office (MPTFO)?

- 1) Alain Noudéhou
- 2) Astrid Schomaker
- 3) Kamal Kishore
- 4) Ruchira Kamboj
- 5) Arindam Bagchi

Answer- **1) Alain Noudéhou**

Explanation:

The United Nations Development Programme has appointed **Alain Noudéhou** of **Benin** as the new Executive Director of the UN Multi – Partner Trust Fund Office (MPTFO).

- He will succeed Jennifer Topping of Canada, who will complete her tenure by the end of May 2024.

About United Nations Development Programme

UNDP was established in 1966 by the General Assembly of the United Nations. It works in 170 countries and territories to eradicate poverty and reduce inequality.

Administrator – Achim Steiner

Headquarters– New York, United States

10. In May 2024, Vice Admiral Sanjay Bhalla assumed charge as the Chief of Personnel of the _____.

- 1) Indian Coast Guard
- 2) Indian Air Force
- 3) Indian Army
- 4) Indian Navy
- 5) National Disaster Response Force

Answer- **4) Indian Navy**

Explanation:

On May 10, 2024, Vice Admiral Sanjay Bhalla, assumed charge as the Chief of Personnel of the Indian Navy(IN). He will succeed **Vice Admiral Krishna Swaminathan** who assumed charge as Vice Chief of The Naval Staff.

Career/Achievement of Vice Admiral Sanjay Bhalla:

- He is an awardee of the Nao Sena Medal (NM) and Ati Vishisht Seva Medal (AVSM)
- Commissioned in IN on 1 January 1989, his 35-year career with various specialist, staff, and operational roles, both afloat and ashore.



SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY

11. In May 2024, the Indian Air Force (IAF) conducted the maiden airdrop test of _____ in Agra, Uttar Pradesh.

- 1) Nirbhay Cruise Missile
- 2) BHISHM portable cubes
- 3) Crystal Maze-2 missile
- 4) Agni-5 ballistic missile
- 5) Indigenous Technology Cruise Missile

Answer-**2) BHISHM portable cubes**

Explanation:

On 14th May 2024, The Indian Air Force (IAF) conducted the maiden air drop test of **BHISHM** portable cubes, World’s 1st air-lifted portable hospital in Agra, Uttar Pradesh.

- BHISHM portable cubes are part of a broader initiative named **“Project BHISHM- Bharat health initiative for Sahyog, Hita and Maitri”**.
- The Aid Cube is unique with its ability to be deployed in **just 12 minutes**.
- The modular trauma management and aid system is made up of **72 detachable mini cubes**, each being a specialized station for emergency response and humanitarian efforts.

Indian Army introduced its latest innovation i.e. **Hexacopter Drone** mounted by Machine Gun. This cutting-edge technology is developed indigenously under the **“Make in India”** initiative led by Government of India (GoI).

- Sirin Hexadrones were developed by Ikran Aerospace and Technologies Private Limited (**IAATPL**).

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12. Which country has recently (in May '24) launched the world's first high-speed 6G prototype device with a data transmission rate of 100 Gbps?

- 1) South Korea
- 2) Israel
- 3) Japan
- 4) United Arab Emirates
- 5) Germany

Answer- **3) Japan**

Explanation:

Japan has launched the **world's first high-speed 6G prototype device**, with a data transmission rate of 100 gigabits per second (Gbps), **20 times faster** than the Gold Standard 5G technology.

- The 6G device offers services covering an impressive range of 300 feet, showcasing the potential for a significant advancement in internet technology.
- This was developed by a joint effort by Japan's leading telecom companies, including NTT DOCOMO, Nippon Telegraph and Telephone (NTT) Corporation, NEC Corporation India Private Limited, and Fujitsu.

SPORTS

13. Which Indian Player has recently (in May '24) become India's 85th Chess Grand Master (GM)?

- 1) Shyam Nikhil
- 2) Satwiksairaj Rankireddy
- 3) Balbir Singh
- 4) Salima Tete
- 5) Padmini Rout

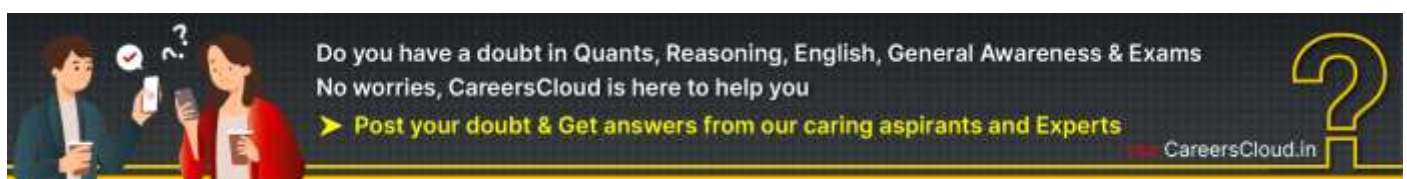
Answer- **1) Shyam Nikhil**

Explanation:

Indian Chess Player P. Shyam Nikhil (31 year old) has become India's **85th** Grand Master (GM). He achieved this feat after earning 3rd norm which is required for GM title at **Dubai Police Masters 2024** which held from 3rd May to 13th May 2024 in Dubai, United Arab Emirates (UAE).

- P. Shyam Nikhil hails from Tamil Nadu state, he earned his 1st GM-norm at 4th Mumbai Mayer's Cup Open (Maharashtra) in September, 2011.
- Then again in September 2011, he earned his 2nd GM-norm at 46th National Premier in Aurangabad, Maharashtra.
- In May 2012, he crossed 2500 points and got published rating of 2502 points Federation International des Echecs or International Chess Federation (FIDE) ratings.

Note: To become a GM, a player has to secure 3 GM norms and cross the live rating of 2500 Elo points.



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OBITUARY

14. Name the Canadian writer and Nobel Prize winner in literature who recently (in May '24) passed away in Ontario, Canada.

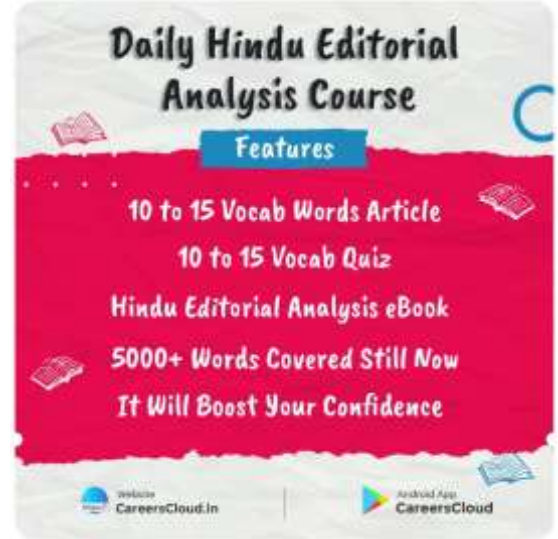
- 1) Peter Higgs
- 2) Bernd Hölzenbein
- 3) Alice Laidlaw Munro
- 4) Tim McGovern
- 5) Daniel Kahneman

Answer- **3) Alice Laidlaw Munro**

Explanation:

Canadian writer **Alice Laidlaw Munro**, who won the **Nobel Prize in Literature** passed away at 92 in Port Hope, Ontario, Canada. She was born on 10 July 1931 in Wingham, Ontario.

- In **2013**, she was awarded **The Nobel Prize in Literature** as a "Master of the contemporary short story."
- She was also a Knight of the Order of Arts and Letters in France and was featured on a silver coin from the Royal Canadian Mint and a postage stamp in Canada.
- In 2009, Alice Munro received the Man Booker International award at Trinity College Dublin, in Dublin, Ireland.
- Her notable works include *The Moons of Jupiter* (1978); *Hateship, Friendship, Courtship, Loveship, Marriage* (2001); *The View From Castle Rock* (2006); and *Dear Life* (2012), among others.



15. In May 2024, Sushil Kumar Modi, senior Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP) leader and former Chief Minister (CM) of _____, passed away.

- 1) Haryana
- 2) Bihar
- 3) Maharashtra
- 4) Mizoram
- 5) Gujarat

Answer- **2) Bihar**

Explanation:

Senior Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP) leader and former **Bihar Deputy Chief Minister (CM) Sushil Kumar Modi** passed away at the age of 72 in New Delhi, Delhi. He was born on 5th January 1952 in Patna, Bihar.

- He served as Deputy CM of Bihar for over 11 years across 2 stints, the 1st from 2005 to 2013, and then from 2017 to 2020.
- He served as a Member of the Legislative Assembly (MLA) for 3 terms – 1990-95, 1995-2000, and 2000-2004.

IMPORTANT DAYS

16. When was the United Nations (UN)'s International Day of Families 2024 observed across the globe with the theme of "Families and Climate Change"?

- 1) 20 March
- 2) 4 February
- 3) 15 May
- 4) 24 January
- 5) 25 April

Answer- **3) 15 May**

Explanation:

The United Nations (UN)'s **International Day of Families** is annually observed across the globe on **15th May** to raise awareness and highlight issues relating to families and to increase the knowledge of the social, economic, and demographic processes affecting families.

- **15th May 2024** marks the observance of the International Day of Families 2024.
- The year **2024** marks the **30th anniversary** of the **International Year of the Family (1994)**.

The **theme** of International Day of Families **2024** is "**Families and Climate Change**".

STATE NEWS

17. In May 2024, Bhilai Steel Plant (BSP) is set to install the 15 MW floating solar project at its Maroda-1 reservoir in _____.

- 1) Odisha
- 2) Haryana
- 3) Himachal Pradesh
- 4) Chhattisgarh
- 5) Tamil Nadu

Answer- **4) Chhattisgarh**

Explanation:

Bhilai Steel Plant (BSP), the flagship unit of Steel Authority of India Limited (SAIL), has decided to install the first **15-megawatt** (MW) floating solar project in its Maroda-1 reservoir located in Durg district, **Chhattisgarh** to improve its carbon footprint.

- The project is being implemented through NTPC-SAIL Power Supply (NSPCL), a **50:50** joint venture (JV) between National Thermal Power Corporation (NTPC) and SAIL.

STATIC GK

18. In May 2024, the Supreme Court of India prohibited mining activities within a 1 km radius of the Critical Tiger Habitat (CTH) of _____.

- 1) Sariska Tiger Reserve (Rajasthan)
- 2) Pakke Tiger Reserve (Arunachal Pradesh)
- 3) Bandipur Tiger Reserve (Karnataka)
- 4) Satkosia Tiger Reserve (Odisha)

5) Achanakmar Tiger Reserve (Chhattisgarh)

Answer- **1) Sariska Tiger Reserve (Rajasthan)**

Explanation:

On 15th May 2024, The Supreme Court (SC) of India comprising Justices BR Gavai, Sandeep Mehta and SVN Bhatti in its order prohibited all the mining activities around Rajasthan's **Sariska Tiger Reserve** by strictly restraining mining activities within a **1 km** radius of the Critical Tiger Habitat (CTH), a protected zone of the Sariska Tiger Reserve.

i. Petitioner alleged that several mining companies in Rajasthan were operating without the required approvals from the **National Board for Wildlife (NBWL)** and Environmental Clearance.

ii. Additional **solicitor general** Aishwarya Bhati, representing the Rajasthan government stated that only **68 mines** are working out of 110 mines and that too outside 1 Km from the sanctuary, outside the CTH.

19. Who is the current (As of May '24) Director General of the National Security Guard (NSG)?

1) Daljit Singh Chaudhary

2) Nalin Prabhat

3) Vivek Ram Chaudhari

4) Raghu Srinivasan

5) Pradeep Chandran Nair

Answer- **2) Nalin Prabhat**

Explanation:

About National Security Guard (NSG):

NSG, commonly known as Black Cats, is a counter-terrorism unit of India under the Ministry of Home Affairs.

Director General- Nalin Prabhat

Headquarters- New Delhi, Delhi

Establishment- 1986

20. Who is the current (As of May '24) Prime Minister of Slovakia?

1) Gabriel Attal

2) Simon Harris

3) Ousmane Sonko

4) Robert Fico

5) Anthony Albanese

Answer- **4) Robert Fico**

Explanation:

About Slovakia:

Prime Minister: Robert Fico

Currency: Euro

Capital: Bratislava

21. Which country has recently (in May' 24) signed an agreement with India, allowing holders of diplomatic and official passports from either country to travel to the other without requiring a visa?

- 1) United Arab Emirates
- 2) Vietnam
- 3) Qatar
- 4) New Zealand
- 5) Moldova

Answer- **5) Moldova**

Explanation:

India and Moldova signed an agreement on visa waiver for diplomatic and official passports.

- The agreement will allow holders of diplomatic and official passports of either country to **travel to the other, without a visa.**
- Pavan Kapoor, secretary (West), Ministry of External Affairs (MEA) and Ana Taban, ambassador, Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Moldova signed the agreements on behalf of their governments.
- This Agreement will add further momentum to the friendly and cordial relations between India and Moldova.

Note: In January 2024, External Affairs Minister **S Jaishankar** congratulated Mihai Popsoi on his appointment as Moldova's Deputy Prime Minister (PM) and Minister of Foreign Affairs.

22. Which of the following companies has been recently (in May' 24) imposed penalty by the Reserve Bank of India (RBI) for failing to comply with specific provisions of the Know Your Customer (KYC) direction?

- 1) Belstar Microfinance Limited and Reliance Home Finance Limited
- 2) Sundaram Home Finance Limited and Belstar Microfinance Limited
- 3) Aadhar Housing Finance Limited and LIC Housing Finance Limited
- 4) LIC Housing Finance Limited and Sundaram Home Finance Limited
- 5) Reliance Home Finance Limited and Aadhar Housing Finance Limited

Answer- **2) Sundaram Home Finance Limited and Belstar Microfinance Limited**

Explanation:

The Reserve Bank of India (**RBI**) has imposed a monetary penalty of **Rs.1.50 lakh** on **Sundaram Home Finance Limited** for non-compliance with certain provisions of the 'RBI (Know Your Customer (KYC)) Direction, 2016' issued by RBI.

- RBI also imposed **Rs 3.10 lakh** penalty on **Belstar Microfinance.**
- This penalty has been imposed in exercise of powers vested in RBI conferred under section 52A of the National Housing Bank Act, 1987.
- The Reserve Bank of India (RBI) has imposed monetary penalties on Belstar Microfinance and Sundaram Home Finance for rule violations.
- The statutory inspection of the company was conducted by the National Housing Bank with reference to its financial position as on March 31, 2022.

23. Which company has recently (in May' 24) launched a Trillium (chip), a 6th generation Tensor Processing Unit (TPU) that improves Artificial Intelligence (AI) data centre performance nearly five times faster?

- 1) Microsoft
- 2) Google
- 3) Oracle
- 4) Tata Consultancy Services
- 5) Infosys

Answer- 2) Google

Explanation:

Google parent Alphabet launched a **sixth generation Tensor Processing Unit (TPU)** called **Trillium** in its artificial intelligence (AI) data centre chip family which is nearly **five times as fast** as its prior version.

- Alphabet's effort to build custom chips for AI data centres represents one of the few viable alternatives to Nvidia's top-of-the-line processors that dominate the market.
- The sixth-generation Trillium chip will achieve **4.7 times better computing** performance compared with the TPU v5e.
- The Trillium processor is **67% more energy** efficient than the v5e.

24. Who is the current (As of May '24) Chairperson of the Securities Exchange Board of India (SEBI)?

- 1) Madhabi Puri Buch
- 2) Debasish Panda
- 3) Santosh Kumar Sarangi
- 4) Praveen Sood
- 5) Nina Singh

Answer- 1) Madhabi Puri Buch

Explanation:

About Securities Exchange Board of India (SEBI):

Chairperson- Madhabi Puri Buch

Headquarters- Mumbai, Maharashtra

Establishment-1992

25. Who is the current (As of May '24) Chief of Air Staff?

- 1) Pradeep Chandran Nair
- 2) Vivek Ram Chaudhari
- 3) Anil Chauhan
- 4) Manoj Pande
- 5) Dinesh Kumar Tripathi

Answer- 2) Vivek Ram Chaudhari

Explanation:

About Indian Air Force (IAF):

Chief of Air Staff: Vivek Ram Chaudhari

Headquarters: New Delhi, Delhi

Established: 8th October, 1932

26. In May 2024, Rupa Bayor won the bronze medal in the Poomsae category at the Asian Taekwondo Poomsae Championships in Vietnam.

Which state does she belong to?

- 1) Sikkim
- 2) Karnataka
- 3) Madhya Pradesh
- 4) Arunachal Pradesh
- 5) Meghalaya

Answer- 4) Arunachal Pradesh

Explanation:

India's Rupa Bayor, a young athlete from **Arunachal Pradesh** has won the **bronze medal** in the 'Poomsae' category at the 8th Asian Taekwondo Poomsae Championships held in Vietnam.

- The Asian Poomsae Championship was held from May 14 to May 15 2024.
- With this win, she became the first from India to win an Asian medal in the individual recognized Poomsae Senior 1 event.

Note: Poomsae comprises sets of pre-arranged defence and attacking movements in Taekwondo.

27. In May 2024, a male White Bengal Tiger 'Abhimanyu' at Nehru Zoological Park passed away due to chronic renal failure.

In which state/UT, the Nehru Zoological Park is located?

- 1) Jammu & Kashmir
- 2) Telangana
- 3) Karnataka
- 4) Madhya Pradesh
- 5) Maharashtra

Answer- 2) Telangana

Explanation:

Abhimanyu, a nine-year-old male **White Bengal Tiger** at **Nehru Zoological Park (Hyderabad, Telangana)** has passed away due to chronic renal failure.

28. In which state Ralamandal Wildlife Sanctuary is located?

- 1) Karnataka
- 2) Odisha
- 3) West Bengal
- 4) Jharkhand
- 5) Madhya Pradesh

Answer- 5) Madhya Pradesh

Explanation:

About Madhya Pradesh (MP):

Chief Minister- Mohan Yadav

Governor- Mangubhai C. Patel

Wildlife Sanctuary- Ralamandal Wildlife Sanctuary; Ratapani Wildlife Sanctuary

Tiger Reserve- Bandhavgarh Tiger Reserve; Kanha Tiger Reserve

29. Who is the current (As of May '24) Administrator of the United Nations Development Programme?

- 1) Achim Steiner
- 2) Ghada Fathi Waly
- 3) Juliette Biao Koudenoukpo
- 4) Audrey Azoulay
- 5) Jens Stoltenberg

Answer- **1) Achim Steiner**

Explanation:

About United Nations Development Programme:

UNDP was established in 1966 by the General Assembly of the United Nations. It works in 170 countries and territories to eradicate poverty and reduce inequality.

Administrator – Achim Steiner

Headquarters– New York, United States

30. The Monopolies and Restrictive Trade Practices Act, 1969 (MRTP Act) was repealed and replaced by Competition Act, 2002, which was recommended by _____ (committee).

- 1) Narasimham Committee
- 2) Raghavan committee
- 3) Rajiv Mehrishi Committee
- 4) Pradip Shah Committee
- 5) Rangarajan Committee

Answer- **2) Raghavan committee**

Explanation:

The Competition Commission of India (CCI) has been established to enforce the competition law under the Competition Act, 2002.

i. It should be noted that on the recommendations of the **Raghavan committee**, the Monopolies and Restrictive Trade Practices Act, 1969 (MRTP Act) was repealed and replaced by the Competition Act, 2002.

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Aspirant: Does Affairscloud covers all the Current affairs topics related to examinations?

Affairscloud: We Guaranteed All the Important topics related to examination are covered in Our Daily CA content and Daily CA Quizzes.

Aspirant: Why is there a delayal in news?

Affairscloud: As some of the major news sites doesn't provide the required data on the exact day, we take extra time for important data to be presented to the aspirants on the examination basis to ensure nothing is missed.

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Connectors	40	400
Error Spotting	37	370
Fillers	56	560
Match	49	490
Parajumble	35	350
Sentence Improvement	39	390
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PUZZLE & SEATING - PRELIMS	742	3710
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ARITHMETIC - PRELIMS	410	4100
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QUANTITATIVE APTITUDE - PRELIMS	364	3640
LOGICAL REASONING - MAINS	303	3030
LOGICAL REASONING - PRELIMS	421	4210
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Quiz **START**

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- Clerk Mains Level ^

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Quiz **RESUME**

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