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1. With reference to the Foreign Contribution (Regulation) Act, 2010, consider the following statements:
1. FCRA is administered by the Ministry of Home Affairs.
 2. FCRA registration is valid for ten years and must be renewed before expiry.
 3. The FCRA Amendment Bill, 2026 introduces a new Section 14B providing for "deemed cessation" of registration.
 4. Approximately 16,000 NGOs are currently registered under FCRA.

Which of the statements given above are correct?

(a) 1, 3, and 4 only

(b) 1, 2, and 3 only

(c) 2, 3, and 4 only

(d) 1, 2, 3, and 4

Answer: (a)

Statement 2 is incorrect. FCRA registration is valid for five years, not ten.

2. With reference to the Draft Telecommunications (Television, Radio and Associated Services) Rules, 2026, consider the following statements:
1. The draft rules consolidate multiple existing broadcasting guidelines into a single unified framework.
 2. Television channels are required to broadcast at least one hour of content daily on themes of national importance under the draft rules.
 3. Private FM radio stations must ensure that at least 20% of their daily programming comprises local content.
 4. The Telecommunications Act, 2023 replaced the Indian Telegraph Act, 1885.

Which of the statements given above are correct?

(a) 1, 3, and 4 only

(b) 1, 2, and 4 only

(c) 2, 3, and 4 only

(d) 1, 2, 3, and 4

Answer: (a)

Statement 2 is incorrect. Television channels are required to broadcast 30 minutes — not one hour — of content on national importance themes daily. The one-hour requirement applies to private radio stations.

3. With reference to the G7, consider the following statements:
1. The G7 was originally formed as G6 in 1975 in response to the oil crisis.
 2. Russia was permanently expelled from the G8 in 2014 following the annexation of Crimea.
 3. The G7 countries collectively represent approximately 30% of global GDP.

4. India's formal association with the G7 began in 2003.

Which of the statements given above are correct?

(a) 1, 3, and 4 only

(b) 1, 2, and 3 only

(c) 2, 3, and 4 only

(d) 1, 2, 3, and 4

Answer: (a)

Statement 2 is incorrect. Russia's G8 membership was suspended — not permanently expelled — in 2014 following the annexation of Crimea.

4. With reference to India-Nepal relations, consider the following statements:

1. The India-Nepal Treaty of Peace and Friendship was signed in the year 1950.
2. Nepal's claim over the Kalapani-Lipulekh-Limpiyadhura region is based on the Sugauli Treaty of 1816.
3. India and Nepal conduct a joint military exercise called Exercise SURYA KIRAN.
4. India accounts for approximately 50% of total FDI stock in Nepal.

Which of the statements given above are correct?

(a) 1, 2, and 3 only

(b) 2, 3, and 4 only

(c) 1 and 3 only

(d) 1, 2, 3, and 4

Answer: (a)

Statement 4 is incorrect. Indian firms account for approximately 33.5% of total FDI stock in Nepal, not 50%.

5. With reference to India's employment landscape, consider the following statements:

1. India's Employment Rate declined from approximately 42.7% in 2016-17 to 38.7% in 2025-26.
2. The Female Employment Rate in India improved from 11.8% to 14% during this period.
3. Economic growth concentrated in capital-intensive sectors contributing to "jobless growth" is a key challenge.
4. India's withdrawal from the Regional Comprehensive Economic Partnership (RCEP) limited access to certain regional value chains.

Which of the statements given above are correct?

(a) 1, 3, and 4 only

(b) 1, 2, and 3 only

(c) 2, 3, and 4 only

(d) 1, 2, 3, and 4

Answer: (a)

Statement 2 is incorrect. The Female Employment Rate declined from approximately 11.8% to 9.4% during this period — it did not improve.

6. With reference to the National Family Health Survey-6 (NFHS-6, 2023-24), consider the following statements:

1. India's Total Fertility Rate has stabilised at 2.0, which is below the standard replacement level of 2.1.
2. The overall Contraceptive Prevalence Rate (CPR) decreased from 66.7% in NFHS-5 to 64.2% in NFHS-6.
3. Female sterilisation accounts for 36.5% of contraceptive use nationally, while male sterilisation accounts for just 0.5%.
4. Reliance on unscientific traditional tracking methods increased sharply from 10.3% to 16.4% between NFHS-5 and NFHS-6.

Which of the statements given above are correct?

(a) 1, 3, and 4 only

(b) 1, 2, and 3 only

(c) 2, 3, and 4 only

(d) 1, 2, 3, and 4

Answer: (a)

Statement 2 is incorrect. The overall CPR increased marginally from 66.7% in NFHS-5 to 69.1% in NFHS-6 — it did not decrease. The concern in NFHS-6 lies not in overall CPR but in the regressive shift within the method mix, away from modern reversible methods and toward unscientific traditional methods.