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Q.1) Consider the following statements:

1. The Indian Councils Act of 1861 separated, for the first time, the executive and legislative functions of the Governor-General's council.
2. The Government of India Act, 1909 declared for the first time the British government's aim to gradually introduce responsible government in India.
3. The Government of India Act, 1919 demarcated and separated the central and provincial subjects.

Which of the statements given above is/are *incorrect*?

- a) 1 and 2 only
- b) 2 and 3 only
- c) 3 only
- d) 1, 2 and 3

Q.2) Consider the following statements:

1. Parliament can alter the name of any state under Article 3 of the Constitution by passing a law by special majority.
2. The Constitution empowers the Parliament to cede any territory of India under Article 3 of the Constitution.
3. Article 2 of the Constitution empowers the Parliament to admit new states into the Union of India.

Which of the statements given above is/are *incorrect*?

- a) 1 and 2 only
- b) 1 and 3 only
- c) 2 only
- d) 1, 2 and 3

Q.3) Consider the following statements with regard to the office of Speaker:

1. She decides whether a bill is a Money Bill or not.
2. She is not allowed to vote during the voting on any issue in the House.
3. She is the final interpreter of the provisions of the Constitution of India in the House.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- a) 1 only
- b) 2 and 3 only
- c) 1 and 3 only
- d) 1, 2 and 3

Q.4) Under which of the following circumstances can the central government deprive a person of their Indian citizenship?

1. The citizen has shown disloyalty towards the Constitution.
2. The citizen has unlawfully communicated with the enemy during a war.
3. The citizen has been ordinarily resident out of India for five years continuously for any reason.

Select the correct answer using the code given below.

- a) 1 and 3 only
- b) 2 and 3 only
- c) 1 and 2 only
- d) 1, 2 and 3