

- 2) An ordinance can be issued only either when both the Houses of Parliament are not in session or when only one House is in session.
- 3) All ordinances passed by the state executive are null and void if made without the prior recommendation of the President.

Which of the above given statement/s is/are correct?

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

**Q.8)** Which of the following provision/s is/are correct regarding the appointment of Governor according to the Indian constitution?

- 1) Person should not belong to that state where he/she is appointed.
- 2) Appointment of Governor must be made after consulting the Chief Minister of the state concerned.

Select the correct answer using the codes given below:

- a) 1 only
- b) 2 only
- c) Both 1 and 2
- d) Neither 1 nor 2

**Q.9)** With reference to the role of governor, consider the following statements:

- 1) Article 174 authorizes the governor to summon, dissolve and prorogue the state legislative assembly from time to time as he thinks fit.
- 2) Governor under his discretionary power can convene a session if more than 6 months have lapsed from last session.

Which of the above given statement/s is/are correct?

- a) 1 only
- b) 2 only
- c) Both 1 and 2
- d) Neither 1 nor 2

**Q.10)** Consider the following statements comparing the pardoning powers of the President and the Governor in India:

- 1) Governor cannot pardon a death sentence unlike President.

- 2) Governor can grant pardon, reprieve, respite, suspension, remission or commutation in respect to punishment by a court-martial like President.
- 3) Governor can commute the sentence of any person convicted of any offence against any law operating in India like President.

Which of the above given statement/s is/are correct?

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

**Q.11)** Which of the following statements is/are correct regarding the impeachment of the President?

- 1) The elected and nominated members of both Houses of the Parliament can take part in impeachment proceedings.
- 2) The impeachment charges should be signed by 1/4<sup>th</sup> members of the House and a 30 days' notice should be given to the President.
- 3) Since the enactment of the Constitution only one President has been impeached so far from his post.

Which of the above given statement/s is/are *incorrect*?

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

**Q.12)** Which of the following bills requires the prior recommendation of the President for introduction in the Parliament in India?

- 1) Expenditure from the Consolidated Fund of India
- 2) Alteration of boundaries of states
- 3) Creation of a new state.

Select the correct answer using the codes given below:

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

**Q.13)** President can use his discretionary power in which of the following conditions?

- 1) To declare a National Emergency in the Country
- 2) To send the advice of Council of Minister back for reconsideration