

**PRESTORMINGTM 2021**  
**TEST-19 -POLITY**

**18. The Aspirational Districts Programme at the Central level is being anchored by?**

- (a) NITI Aayog (b) Prime Minister Office  
(c) Ministry of Jal Shakti (d) Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment

**19. Consider the following statements regarding the Model Code of Conduct.**

1. It lays down the minimum standards of behaviour for political parties and their candidates contesting elections.
2. It is being implemented since the first general elections of 1951 in India.
3. It is enforceable by the law and is part of the Representation of People Act, 1951.

Which of the statements given above are correct?

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

**20. Consider the following statements regarding the Press Council of India.**

1. It was constituted as an autonomous, statutory, quasi-judicial body.
2. It is the apex body for the regulation of Print Media in India.
3. Only the retired Chief Justice of India can be appointed the chairperson of this council.
4. It has also representation from Lok Sabha and Rajya Sabha.

Which of the statements given above are correct?

- (a) 1, 2 and 3 only (b) 1, 2 and 4 only (c) 1, 3 and 4 only (d) 2, 3 and 4 only

**21. Consider the following statements with reference to the Indian Constitution**

1. Lieutenant Governor of Puducherry shall act in his/her discretion in the matter of lawmaking, even though the Council of Ministers has the task of aiding and advising him/her
2. Prior sanction of the Lieutenant Governor of Puducherry is required for the constitution and organisation of the court of the Judicial Commissioner in Puducherry

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

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

**22. Consider the following statements with reference to the India Energy Outlook 2021 Report**

1. The report is released by the International Energy Agency
2. India's share in the growth in renewable energy is the largest in the world
3. India currently accounts for 50 per cent of the global coal trade

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

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

**23. Consider the following statements**

1. The Central Government has the power to nominate the members to the legislative assembly of the Union Territory.
2. The nominated members in the legislative assembly of the Union Territories of Puducherry have the same right to vote as the elected members.
3. The Anti Defection law will be applicable only for the State Legislative Assemblies not for the Union Territories of Puducherry.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

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

**24. Consider the following statements regarding the Voting Procedure in the Lok Sabha.**

1. The rules of procedure of Lok Sabha do not mandate the recording of votes of MPs for every decision taken.
2. The Voice voting method is the most preferred method of decision making at the Lok Sabha.
3. The Recording of votes is mandated when there is a constitutional requirement for a special majority of Parliament or after a no-confidence motion.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

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

**25. Consider the following statements regarding the appointment of Supreme Court Judges in India.**

1. In the system of appointment of Judges, the collegium will recommend the names of the candidates to the Central Government.
2. The central government will also send the names of the proposed candidates for consultation.
3. There is a three-month time limit fixed for the Central Government to send its reply to the collegium.
4. If the Collegium resends the same name again then the government has to give its assent to the names.

Which of the statements given above are correct?

- (a) 1, 2 and 3 only (b) 1, 2 and 4 only (c) 1, 3 and 4 only (d) 2, 3 and 4 only