

UPSC Mains 2022 Sept 17, 2022 GS 2 (Paper 3) Question Paper and Answer Key PDF

Q. No.	Question	Check Solution
1	"The most significant achievement of modern law in India is the constitutionalization of environmental problems by the Supreme Court." Discuss this statement with the help of relevant case laws.	Check Solution
2	"Right of movement and residence throughout the territory of India are freely available to the Indian citizens, but these rights are not absolute." Comment.	Check Solution
3	To what extent, in your opinion, has the decentralisation of power in India changed the governance landscape at the grassroots?	Check Solution
4	Discuss the role of the Vice-President of India as the Chairman of the Rajya Sabha.	Check Solution
5	Discuss the role of the National Commission for Backward Classes in the wake of its transformation from a statutory body to a constitutional body.	Check Solution
6	The Gati-Shakti Yojana needs meticulous coordination between the government and the private sector to achieve the goal of connectivity. Discuss.	Check Solution
7	The Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016 remains only a legal document without intense sensitisation of government functionaries and citizens regarding disability. Comment.	Check Solution
8	Reforming the government delivery system through the Direct Benefit Transfer Scheme is a progressive step, but it has its limitations too. Comment.	Check Solution
9	India is an age-old friend of Sri Lanka.' Discuss India's role in the recent crisis in Sri Lanka in the light of the preceding statement.	Check Solution
10	Do you think that BIMSTEC is a parallel organisation like the SAARC? What are the similarities and dissimilarities between the two? How are Indian foreign policy objectives realized by forming this new organisation?	Check Solution
11	Discuss the procedures to decide the disputes arising out of the election of a Member of the Parliament or State Legislature under The Representation of the People Act, 1951. What are the grounds on which the election of any returned candidate may be declared void? What remedy is available to the aggrieved party against the decision? Refer to the case laws.	Check Solution
12	Discuss the essential conditions for exercise of the legislative powers by the Governor. Discuss the legality of re-promulgation of ordinances by the Governor without placing them before the Legislature.	Check Solution
13	"While the national political parties in India favour centralisation, the regional parties are in favour of State autonomy." Comment.	Check Solution
14	Critically examine the procedures through which the Presidents of India and France are elected.	Check Solution
15	Discuss the role of the Election Commission of India in the light of the evolution of the Model Code of Conduct.	Check Solution

16	Besides the welfare schemes, India needs deft management of inflation and unemployment to serve the poor and the underprivileged sections of the society. Discuss.	Check Solution
17	Do you agree with the view that increasing dependence on donor agencies for development reduces the importance of community participation in the development process? Justify your answer.	Check Solution
18	The Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education Act, 2009 remains inadequate in promoting incentive-based system for children's education without generating awareness about the importance of schooling. Analyse.	Check Solution
19	How will 12U2 (India, Israel, UAE and USA) grouping transform India's position in global politics ?	Check Solution
20	Clean energy is the order of the day.' Describe briefly India's changing policy towards climate change in various international fora in the context of geopolitics.	Check Solution