

## CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ 18 APRIL 2016

- Himachal Pradesh is celebrating the Himachal Day.  
(a) 69<sup>th</sup> (b) 70<sup>th</sup> (c) 68<sup>th</sup> (d) 71<sup>st</sup>
- Malick Sidibe has recently passed away. He was a(n)  
(a) Architect (b) Politicians (c) Photographer  
(d) Author
- Which of the following Airbase renamed after former IAF Chief Arjan Singh?  
(a) Barrackpore AFS (b) Kalaikunda AFS  
(c) Agartala AFS (d) Panagarh AFS
- Who is appointed as in charge of Gujarat DGP?  
(a) PP Pandey (b) Pravin Dixit (c) P C Thakur  
(d) K. Rajendra Kumar
- Who is sworn as new prime Minister of Ukraine?  
(a) Arseniy Yatsenyuk (b) Yuri Yekhanurow  
(c) Volodymyr Groysman (d) Petro Poroshenko
- Delhi Government bans sale of all forms of chewable tobacco for \_\_\_ year.  
(a) 2 (b) 1 (c) 4 (d) 3
- Which state government has launched the Bhimrao Ambedkar Awas Yojana for widows on the 125th birth anniversary of B R Ambedkar?  
(a) Bihar (b) Gujarat (c) Jharkhand  
(d) Madhya Pradesh
- BRICS Bank disburses \_\_\_ million loans for renewable energy project to Canara Bank.  
(a) \$150 (b) \$350 (c) \$200 (d) \$250
- Which of the following country has agreed to enhance collaboration on tracking offshore tax evasion and increase cooperation in sharing of cross border tax information with India?  
(a) US (b) Japan (c) China (d) Canada
- Which of the following country ranks near bottom on UNICEF's 'fairness' Report Card?  
(a) India (b) Canada (c) Sri Lanka (d) Pakistan
- Which State on 18 March 2016 launched the first phase of Fiber Grid project to provide broadband connectivity to all the households at a throwaway price?  
(a) Maharashtra (b) Andhra Pradesh (c) Telangana  
(d) Karnataka
- Name the former Director of Mossad who passed away on 17 March 2016 due to cancer.  
(a) Yitzhak Hofi (b) Meir Dagan (c) Efraim Halevy  
(d) Danny Yatom
- Which mobile phone operator in March 2016 announced the acquisition of Videocon Telecommunications Ltd's entire spectrum in 6 circles?  
(a) Bharti Airtel (b) BSNL (c) Vodafone Essar  
(d) Reliance Communications
- India in March 2016 signed loan agreement of 35 Million dollars with the World Bank for Citizen Access to Responsive Services Project of a State. Name it.  
(a) Madhya Pradesh (b) Delhi (c) Gujarat  
(d) Andhra Pradesh
- Name the American singer who died in March 2016 in Daytona Beach in Florida.  
(a) Ava Gardner (b) Frank Sinatra Junior  
(c) Frank Sinatra Senior (d) Barbara Sinatra
- At which position did India's Prime Minister Narendra Modi stood in 30 Most Influential People on the Internet list?  
(a) 10 (b) 15 (c) 30 (d) 20
- The National Research Development Corporation (NRDC) in March 2016 signed a License Agreement with Kudos Laboratories India for commercialization of which of the following drug?  
(a) Ayush – 64 (b) Ayush – 54 (c) Ayush – 80  
(d) Ayush - 82
- Ustad Ali Ahmad Hussain Khan died in March 2016 in Kolkata was an exponent of which Indian musical instrument?  
(a) Sitar (b) Tabla (c) Shehnai (d) Sarod
- Name the state that in March 2016 passed a bill to amend its Public Trusts Act 1950.  
(a) Maharashtra (b) Telangana (c) Delhi  
(d) Uttar Pradesh
- Name the festival that marks Thai New year and was in news in third week of March 2016.  
(a) Songkran (b) Loy Krathong (c) Makha Bucha  
(d) Chonburi
- Who in March 2016 was appointed the 11th Governor of the Bangladesh Bank?  
(a) Fazle Kabir (b) Atiur Rahman (c) Rehan Fazl  
(d) Ashfaq Rehman
- Name the British mathematician who in March 2016 won the 2016 Abel Prize.  
(a) Dominic Joyce (b) Richard Borcherds  
(c) Andrew Wiles (d) Angus Macintyre
- Name the American actress who was in March 2016 appointed as a Goodwill Ambassador by the UN Population Fund.  
(a) Ashley Judd (b) Michelle Yeoh  
(c) Angelina Jolie (d) Sandra Bullock
- Who was in March 2016 appointed as a UNDP Goodwill Ambassador to promote the 2030 Sustainable Development Agenda?  
(a) Michelle Yeoh (b) Ashley Judd  
(c) Maria Sharapova (d) Leonardo Dicaprio
- Name the state that in march 2016 unanimously passed Sutej Yamuna Link Canal land (Transfer of proprietary Right) Bill, 2016'.  
(a) Rajasthan (b) Haryana (c) Jammu and Kashmir  
(d) Punjab
- In accordance with the report released by SIPRI, India has been ranked at which position in terms of world military expenditure?  
(a) 3<sup>rd</sup> (b) 7<sup>th</sup> (c) 6<sup>th</sup> (d) 1<sup>st</sup>

## IACE – INDIAN ACADEMY OF COMPETITIVE EXAMS

27. Recently, Forbes has released 2016 “Asia’s 50 Power Businesswomen” list featuring business women from 14 countries. It has been topped by which of the following?  
 (a) Chanda Kochhar (b) Indra Nooyi  
 (c) Arundhati Bhattacharya (d) Nita Ambani
28. The center has accredited which of the following as the next Ambassador of India to Norway?  
 (a) Rajan Anandan (b) Jaimin Shah  
 (c) Debraj Pradhan (d) Aruna Jayanthi
29. The CCEA has given its stamp of approval for the proposal of ATC Asia Pacific Pte Ltd, Singapore to acquire how much % of the shareholding in Viom Networks Ltd?  
 (a) 63% (b) 51% (c) 32% (d) 40%
30. Recently, the Union Cabinet has permitted states with adequate finance to borrow, how much additional % of their GDP in order to help them to meet their development needs?  
 (a) 0.9% (b) 0.4% (c) 0.5% (d) 0.7%
31. World Health Day observes on which of the following dates?  
 (a) April 6 (b) April 4 (c) April 7 (d) April 3
32. The National Summit on Family Planning was concluded recently. It was held at which of the following?  
 (a) Lucknow (b) Delhi (c) Chennai (d) Mumbai
33. 2016 Asian Nations Cup Chess tournament title has been clinched by which of the following country?  
 (a) Iran (b) India (c) Vietnam (d) China
34. National Association of Software and Services Companies (NASSCOM) has designated which of the following as its Chairman for 2016-2017?  
 (a) Debashis Chatterjee (b) Rekha Menon  
 (c) B V R Mohan Reddy (d) C P Gurnani
35. Bharat Heavy Electricals Limited (BHEL) has commissioned a season wise tilttable canal top solar PV plant at which of the following?  
 (a) Guntur (b) Nellore (c) Bhimavaram  
 (d) Kakinada

### ANSWER KEY

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3	d	6	b	9	a	12	b	15	b	18	c	21	a	24	a	27	d	30	c	33	b		

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