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Q:1 In a move to boost fundraising by Non-Profit Organizations (NPOs) on the Social Stock Exchange (SSE), the Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) has reduced the minimum issue size for the public issuance of Zero Coupon Zero Principal (ZCZP) instruments by NPOs. What is the minimum issue size now?

1. Rs 1 crore
2. Rs 50 lakh
3. Rs 2 lakh
4. Rs 10,000

Q:2 Who has been appointed as the new captain of Gujarat Titans franchise for IPL 2024?

1. David Miller
2. Kane Williamson
3. Rashid Khan
4. Shubman Gill

Q:3 Who is appointed as the new Additional Independent Director of HDFC Bank?

1. Bhavesh Zaveri
2. Ashima Bhat
3. Harsh Kumar Bhanwala
4. Srinivasan Vaidyanathan

Q:4 What will be the new name of Ayushman Bharat Health and Wellness Centres (AB-HWCs)?

1. Ayushman Bharat Mandir
2. Ayushman Arogya Mandir
3. Bharat Darshan Mandir
4. Arogya Setu Mandir

Q:5 What is the name of the world's largest single-site solar power plant project started by the UAE?

1. Al Dhafra
2. Al Jazeera
3. Al Hukmat
4. Noor-e-Qudrat

Q:6 Which of these banks has been penalised by RBI for regulatory violations in November 2023?

1. Citibank
2. Bank of Baroda
3. Indian Overseas Bank
4. All of the Above

Q:7 The Madhya Pradesh government announced plans to establish India's largest tiger reserve in

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1. Bhopal District
 2. Damoh District
 3. Jabalpur District
 4. Gwalior District

Q:8 India successfully test-fired its Agni-V intercontinental ballistic missile on November 27th, demonstrating its advanced nuclear deterrent capabilities. What is the range of the Agni-V missile?

1. 1,000 kilometers
2. 2,500 kilometers
3. 5,000 kilometers
4. 10,000 kilometers

Q:9 A joint millet festival was launched on November 27th by India and the Association of Southeast Asian Nations (ASEAN) to promote

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1. the cultivation of millet
 2. the export of millet
 3. the consumption of millet
 4. the tourism industry

Q:10 Irish Novelist Paul Lynch has been awarded the Booker Prize 2023 for which of the following books?

1. The Theban Gates
2. The Gospel of Us
3. The Way We Live Now
4. The Time of the Beast



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Answer Key

1. (2)	2. (4)	3. (3)	4. (2)	5. (1)
6. (4)	7. (2)	8. (3)	9. (3)	10. (1)

Answers and Solutions

Q:1 The correct answer is **option 2** i.e. **Rs 50 lakh**
To boost fundraising by Non-Profit Organizations (NPOs) on the Social Stock Exchange (SSE), the Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) has reduced the minimum issue size for public issuance of Zero Coupon Zero Principal (ZCZP) instruments by NPOs.

Q:2 The correct answer is **option 4** i.e. **Shubman Gill**
Young batting prodigy Shubman Gill has been appointed as the new captain of the Gujarat Titans franchise ahead of the Indian Premier League (IPL) 2024. Gill, who was a key player in the Titans' IPL 2022 title-winning campaign, will replace Hardik Pandya, who has moved to the Mumbai Indians.

Q:3 The correct answer is **option 3** i.e. **Harsh Kumar Bhanwala**
HDFC Bank, one of India's leading private sector banks, has announced the appointment of Mr. Harsh Kumar Bhanwala as an Additional Independent Director of the Bank for a period of three consecutive years, effective from January 25, 2024. Mr. Bhanwala brings with him a wealth of experience in the financial services industry, having served in various leadership roles at prominent institutions.

Q:4 The correct answer is **option 2** i.e. **Ayushman Arogya Mandir**
In a move to revitalize India's healthcare infrastructure, the government has rebranded the existing Ayushman Bharat Health and Wellness Centres (AB-HWCs) as Ayushman Arogya Mandir. This renaming signifies a renewed focus on providing comprehensive and quality healthcare services to the underserved communities across the country.

Q:5 The correct answer is **option 1** i.e. **Al Dhafra**
The United Arab Emirates (UAE) has unveiled the

world's largest single-site solar power plant, the Al Dhafra Solar PV Project. The 2-gigawatt (GW) plant is located in Abu Dhabi and is expected to generate enough electricity to power nearly 200,000 homes. The project is a major milestone in the UAE's efforts to diversify its energy mix and reduce its reliance on fossil fuels.

Q:6 The correct answer is **option 4** i.e. **All of the Above**

The Reserve Bank of India (RBI) has imposed penalties on three banks – Citibank, Bank of Baroda (BoB), and Indian Overseas Bank (IOB) – for non-compliance with various regulatory norms. The penalties range from ₹1.50 crore to ₹4.25 crore for each bank.

Q:7 The correct answer is **option 2** i.e. **Damoh District**

The Madhya Pradesh government announced plans to establish India's largest tiger reserve in Damoh district. The proposed reserve, spanning an area of 1,948 square kilometers, will be home to a large population of tigers and other wildlife, further strengthening India's position as a global leader in tiger conservation.

Q:8 The correct answer is **option 3** i.e. **5,000 kilometers**

India successfully test-fired its Agni-V intercontinental ballistic missile on November 27th, demonstrating its advanced nuclear deterrent capabilities. The missile, capable of carrying a nuclear warhead, has a range of over 5,000 kilometers, reinforcing India's strategic reach and deterrence posture.

Q:9 The correct answer is **option 3** i.e. **the consumption of millet**

A joint millet festival was launched on November 27th by India and the Association of Southeast Asian Nations (ASEAN) to promote the consumption of millet as part of a healthy diet. Millets are a group of nutritious and climate-resilient grains that offer various health benefits and can contribute to food security.

Q:10 The correct answer is **option 1** i.e. **The Theban Gates**

Irish novelist Paul Lynch has been awarded the



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prestigious 2023 Booker Prize for his novel, 'The Theban Gates.' The novel is set in ancient Greece during the Peloponnesian War, and it tells the story of a group of soldiers tasked with guarding a gate in the city of Thebes.

