Current Affairs Quiz - 8th June 2022

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1. Consider the following statements:

- 1. The female species seals herself in a cavity and stays there to brood and care for chicks.
- 2. The species initiated breeding in response to rainfall in the arid western parts of its southern African range.
- 3. The species is usually found in resident pairs or small family flocks.

Identify the species associated with the above statements.

- $\, \odot \,$ Arctic Tern
- \bigcirc Southern yellow-billed hornbills
- \bigcirc Great Indian bustard
- \bigcirc Painted Sandgrouse

2. Consider the following statements:

- 1. India's rank has been on an upward trend in the global Sustainable Development Report over the past two years.
- 2. India's performance on climate action, (SDG) 13, has slipped from 2019-to 2020.

Which of the above statement(s) is/are correct?

- \bigcirc 1 only
- \bigcirc 2 only
- \bigcirc Both 1 and 2
- \bigcirc Neither 1 nor 2

3. Consider the following statements:

- 1. Saint Kabir was a prominent member of the Nirguni tradition of the Bhakti movement.
- 2. In Nirguni tradition, God was understood to be a universal and formless being.

Which of the above statement(s) is/are correct?

- \bigcirc 1 only
- \bigcirc 2 only
- \odot Both 1 and 2
- \bigcirc Neither 1 nor 2

4. Consider the following statements:

- 1. According to the Surrogacy Act, 2021, altruistic surrogacy is permitted in India.
- 2. Only a close relative of the couple, who is married with a child of her own can be a surrogate mother.
- 3. Only a woman aged between 25 and 35 years can be a surrogate mother and for only once.

Which of the above statement(s) is/are correct?

- \bigcirc 2 only
- \bigcirc 2 and 3 only
- \bigcirc 1 only
- \bigcirc 1, 2 and 3

5. Consider the following statements:

- 1. A windfall tax is a surtax imposed by governments on businesses or economic sectors that have benefited from economic expansion.
- 2. This tax is not part of the input or output cost but is levied only on profit.
- 3. India and the UK are two key economies that have levied windfall taxes on oil companies.

Which of the above statement(s) is/are correct?

1 and 2 only
2 and 3 only
1 and 3 only
1, 2 and 3

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