

THE GUAHATI HIGH COURT AT GUWAHATI

(THE HIGH COURT OF ASSAM, NAGALAND, MIZORAM AND ARUNACHAL PRADESH)

Main written examination for direct recruitment to Grade-I of Nagaland Judicial Service, 2018

Date: 20-01-2019 (Sunday)

Time: 9.00 am to 12 noon

Total marks: 100

Duration: 3 (Three) hours

PAPER- I

1. Write an essay on "Glimpses of the year 2018. (10 marks)
2. Answer the questions following below mentioned paragraph [1/2 marks each] (05)

"February is usually a season of house-warming functions thread ceremonies and quick wedding, particularly for software engineers who come back from the U.S.A on short visits. It is also the time for students to prepare for their examinations.

My friend Ritu had purchased a house and was keen that her close friends attend the house-warming ceremony. For us, it was an occasion to get together after a long time. The traditional ceremony was going on when I reached her house at an early hour. The other friends had not yet come. I found a place to sit and watched the Puja while waiting for my friends. Though the house was quite a big one, the Puja was being performed in a small hall and just two carpets had been spreads for the guests to sit on. Ritu was busy doing the Puja. She was wearing a beautiful silk saree and the flowers in her hair added to her grace. As usual, the majority of the guests had nothing to do and were thus engrossed in chatting about a variety of topics- the problems of teenagers, the prime minister, gossip about Allia Bhatt, the best beauty parlours, the latest fashion jewelleryes; the list was endless. However, it was a subject of in-laws that received the maximum attention and active participation from many."

- i. What are the different activities which are usually done in the month of February?
- ii. What was the priority of the author in attending the house-warming ceremony?
- iii. Who amongst the guest was the first to arrive for the ceremony?
- iv. What was the sitting arrangement for the guests in the ceremony?
- v. What major activity were the guests engaged with during the house-warming ceremony?
- vi. From the nature of the activities of the guests mentioned, what gender the guests were mostly?
- vii. What was the most discussed topic of the guests?
- viii. Why do the software engineers coming from the U.S. have quick weddings?

- ix. What was the apparel of the host?
- x. Give two examples of get together.

3. Give the collective nouns for the following: [¹/₂ each] (05)

- i. A of rhinoceros
- ii. A of owls
- iii. A of rubbish
- iv. A of rioters
- v. A of fish
- vi. A of crows
- vii. A Of Lions
- viii. A Of geese
- ix. A Of worshippers
- x. A of snails

4. Give the names of the homes of the respective animals: [¹/₂ each] (05)

- i. Lion
- ii. Dog
- iii. Sheep
- iv. Tiger
- v. Bee
- vi. Squirrel
- vii. Horse
- viii. Eagle
- ix. Rabbit
- x. Spider

5. Sounds of animals : [¹/₂ each] (05)

- i. Bees
- ii. Cow
- iii. Donkey
- iv. Chicken
- v. Dolphins
- vi. Elephant
- vii. Frogs
- viii. Sheep
- ix. Parrots
- x. Hyena

6. Name the young ones of the following animals: [1/2 each] (05)

- i. Duck
- ii. Boar
- iii. Deer
- iv. Kangaroo
- v. Goat
- vi. Swan
- vii. Horse
- viii. Bat
- ix. Ape
- x. Sheep

7. Give the singular/plural form : [1/2 each] (05)

- i. Alumni
- ii. Aquarium
- iii. Bacteria
- iv. Curriculum
- v. Deer
- vi. Fungus
- vii. Memorandum
- viii. Thesis
- ix. Syllabus
- x. Sheep

8. Give the correct prepositions: [1/2 each] (05)

- i. My kite soaredthe building
- ii. He came to the classseveral minutes.
- iii. We located the key the door.
- iv. The swallows flew the trees.
- v. She put the flowers the window.
- vi. The child drew the picture a crayon.
- vii. The bus went the tunnel.
- viii. He walked the street.
- ix. The caterpillar turned a butterfly.
- x. She never leaves her phone.

GROUP-B
(General knowledge including Reasoning and Aptitude)

9. General Knowledge

[1 mark each] 30

- i. Which major Insurance Company of India is celebrating its centenary celebration this year?
- ii. Of which national magazine Aroon Purie is the Editor-in Chief?
- iii. Why Shri Sanjaya Baru is recently in the news?
- iv. What is the full form of C.A.V?
- v. Meaning of the Latin term "Caveat Emptor"?
- vi. Meaning of the Latin term "Res Ipsa Loquitur"?
- vii. What was the name of the controversial rifle leading to the Sepoy Mutiny?
- viii. Name the company which was involved with the Bhopal Gas tragedy.
- ix. Which new principle of liability was developed in India after the Bhopal Gas Tragedy?
- x. Connect Sir R.F. Lodge with the Indian Judiciary.
- xi. Who was the first Union Law Minister of Independent India?
- xii. Give the full form of "A.R." Rahman.
- xiii. How do you better know Dilip Kumar in the national music industry?
- xiv. What is common to "Pelican Brief", "The Chambers", "The Innocent Man", "The Firm", "The Client"?
- xv. Give the name and year of the Act of Parliament, by which the State of Nagaland was formed.
- xvi. How do you better know Yusuf Khan in the Bollywood film industry?
- xvii. What was the Constitutional amendment and the Article in the Constitution of India with regard to formation of the State of Nagaland?
- xviii. How do you better know Avash Kumar Ganguly in the Hindi Music Industry?
- xix. "Brief answer to the Big Questions" is a publication after the death of which author and legendary physicist?
- xx. "281 And beyond" is penned by which Sports personality?
- xxi. How is Diezephe in the Dimapur District better known for?
- xxii. What is common to Chatrapati Shivaji, Subhas Ch. Bose, Gopinath Bordoloi & Indira Gandhi?
- xxiii. Who was the first CJI of Independent India?

- xxiv. We all know the net search software Google but what is the meaning of 'Googol'?
- xxv. Open-Secret, Clearly-Confused, Seriously-Funny, Act-Naturally, Bitter-Sweet are examples of what
- xxvi. Who drafted the Indian Penal Code?
- xxvii. Which famous sports person's latest autobiography is titled "No Spin"?
- xxviii. Who is an Ophthalmologist?
- xxix. Connect the Mahabharata and Dimapur.
- xxx. What monument was constructed in the year 1911 to commemorate the landing of King George V and Queen Mary?

10. REASONING

[2 marks each] 10

- i. Pointing to Manju, Raju said, "The son of her only brother is the brother of my wife." How is Manju related to Raju?
 - a. Grandmother
 - b. Mother-in-law
 - c. Sister of father-in-law
 - d. Sister

- ii. If "SUPREME" is written as "EMERPUS", then "PREPOSITION" will be
 - a. NOITISPOERP
 - b. NOITISOPERP
 - c. NOITISOPREP
 - d. POSITIONPRE

- iii. Fill in the blank:
2, 5, 11, 23, 47,
 - a. 90
 - b. 101
 - c. 49
 - d. 95

- iv. After walking 6 Km, I turned right and travelled a distance of 2 Km, then turned left and covered a distance of 10 Km. In the end, I was moving towards the north. From which direction did I start my journey?
- North
 - South
 - South-West
 - North-East
- v. In a certain code language if the word "MUSEUM" is coded as "LSPAPG", then how will the word "PALACE" be coded in that language?
- OYIWXY
 - OYIXYW
 - IYXYWO
 - YXWYOI

11. APTITUDE

- i. A fruit seller had some apples. He sells 40% apples and still has 420 apples. Originally, he had
- 588 apples
 - 600 apples
 - 672 apples
 - 700 apples
- ii. **A** can do a work in 15 days and **B** in 30 days. If they work on it together, then how much time will A & B take to complete the work
- 4
 - 10
 - 15
 - 20
- iii. How much time will it take for an amount of Rs. 450 to yield Rs. 81 as interest at 4.5% per annum of simple interest?
- 3.5 years
 - 4 years
 - 4.5 years
 - 5 years

- iv. A person crosses a 600m long street in 5 minutes. What is his speed in Km per hour?
- a. 3.6
 - b. 7.2
 - c. 8.4
 - d. 10
- v. Alfred buys an old scooter for Rs. 4700 and spends Rs. 800 on its repairs. If he sells the scooter for Rs. 5800, his gain percent is-
- a. $4\frac{4}{7}$ %
 - b. $5\frac{5}{11}$ %
 - c. 10 %
 - d. 12 %
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