

THE GAUHATI HIGH COURT AT GUWAHATI
(The High Court of Assam, Nagaland, Mizoram and Arunachal Pradesh)
**Main Written Examination (2016) for direct recruitment in Grade-III of
Nagaland Judicial Service and Arunachal Pradesh Judicial Service**

PAPER-II
GENERAL KNOWLEDGE

Date: 22-07-2017 (Saturday)

Time: 1.00 pm to 4.00 pm

Total : 100 Marks

Duration : 3 Hours

Q.1. Answer the following:

18x2= 36

- (i) Who is the only Indian to have won Olympic medal (Individual) in 2 (two) Olympics?
- (ii) 'Bombay Stock Exchange' is the oldest Stock Exchange of Asia established in the year 1875. Name the first woman director of this Stock Exchange.
- (iii) Who is the author of the autobiography " Before Memory Fades " ?
- (iv) Who was the first Chief Justice of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India ?
- (v) Write the name of the Indian person who was awarded Nobel Peace Prize of 2014 alongwith Malala Yousafzai of Pakistan ?
- (vi) How many High Courts are there in India ?
- (vii) How many districts are there in the States of Arunachal Pradesh and Nagaland ?
- (viii) The Government of India brought into effect "The Goods and Service Tax (GST)" from 1st July, 2017. To bring the entire country under one uniform tax system the Government had to amend the Constitution. What is the number of the amendment?
- (ix) In which Article of the Indian Constitution the right to freedom of speech and expression is guaranteed ?
- (x) What does Article 14 of the Constitution of India provide ?
- (xi) "Hornbill festival" is an annual event of which State ?
- (xii) Which State of North-East is also known as " Land of Red River and Blue Hills " ?
- (xiii) What is the Sex Ratio (females per 1,000 males) in India as per 2011 Census ?
- (xiv) Who is the first Indian woman wrestler to win a medal at the Olympics ?
- (xv) Name the person who served as the President of India twice ?
- (xvi) Name the present Chief Justice of Gauhati High Court ?
- (xvii) Sabarmati Ashram is situated in which State ?
- (xviii) Who is the present Law Minister of India ?

Q.2. Arrange the following in correct order :

6x2=12

(i)

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|---------------------------------------|------|------|------|-------------|
| (a) The Hoollongapar Gibbon Sanctuary | --- | ---- | ---- | Gujrat |
| (b) Jim Corbett National Park | ---- | ---- | ---- | West Bengal |
| (c) Gir Forest National Park | ---- | ---- | ---- | Assam |
| (d) Sundarban National Park | --- | ---- | ---- | Uttarakhand |

(ii)

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| (a) Nadia Comaneci | ---- | ----- | ---- | Swimmer |
| (b) Mithali Raj | ----- | ----- | ----- | Boxer |
| (c) Laila Ali | ----- | ----- | ----- | Cricketer |
| (d) Emily Seebohm | ----- | ----- | ----- | Gymnast |

(iii)

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| (a) Italy | ----- | ----- | ---- | Lisbon |
| (b) Argentina | ---- | ----- | ----- | Rome |
| (c) Portugal | ----- | ----- | ---- | Ottawa |
| (d) Canada | ----- | ----- | ---- | Buenos Aires |

(iv)

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| (a) The Mahabharata | ----- | ----- | ----- | Kalidas |
| (b) The Ramayana | ----- | ----- | ---- | Vyasa |
| (c) Abhigyanam Shakuntalam | ----- | ----- | ---- | Tulsidas |
| (d) Ramcharitmanas | ----- | ----- | ---- | Valmiki |

(v)

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| (a) Volcano Erta Ale | ----- | ----- | ----- | Antarctica |
| (b) Volcano Mt. Merapi | ----- | ----- | ----- | India |
| (c) Volcano Mt. Erebus | ----- | ----- | ----- | Ethiopia |
| (d) Volcano Barren Island | ----- | ----- | ----- | Indonesia |

(vi)

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| (a) C.K. Nayudu Trophy | ----- | ----- | ---- | Football |
| (b) Lady Rattan Tata Trophy | ----- | ----- | ---- | Badminton |
| (c) Divan Cup | ----- | ----- | ---- | Cricket |
| (d) Rovers Cup | ----- | ----- | ---- | Hockey |

Q.3. Write what the following abbreviations stand for :

6x2 = 12

- (i) A P E C (ii) B A R C (iii) B I S
(iv) C D M A (v) C I T U (vi) N C E R T

Q.4 Choose the correct answer:-

20x1=20

- (i) The longest river in world is
(A) Amazon (B) Nile (C) Mississippi (D) Hwang Ho
- (ii) The longest canal in the world is
(A) Suez Canal (B) Volga Baltic
(C) Beloye More-Baltic (D) Grand China Canal
- (iii) The largest mountain range in the world is
(A) Alps (B) Himalayas (C) Andes (D) Rockies
- (iv) _____ has the maximum number of satellites.
(A) Jupiter (B) Saturn (C) Earth (D) Uranus
- (v) McMohan line is the line forming the border between
(A) India and China (B) India and Pakistan
(C) India and Nepal (D) India and Bhutan
- (vi) After his defeat at Waterloo, Napoleon was exiled on the island of
(A) Campo Formio (B) Austerlitz (C) Graz (D) St. Helena
- (vii) World War-I came to an end with the treaty of _____
(A) Versailles (B) Riga
(C) Brest-Litovsk (D) Bucharest
- (viii) _____ established the Khilji dynasty.
(A) Khusrau (B) Jalal-ud-din- Firuz Khilji
(C) Alauddin Khilji (D) Kafur
- (ix) The last Mughal Emperor to grace the throne of Delhi was _____
(A) Bahadur Shah Zafar (B) Faruk Siyar
(C) Shah Alam (D) Muhammad Shah
- (x) The first president of the Indian National Congress was
(A) Dadabhai Naoroji (B) Badaruddin Tyabji
(C) Gopal Krishna Gokhale (D) W.C. Bonnerjee
- (xi) The army operation to flush out Sikh terrorists from the Golden Temple was called
(A) Operation Gold Star (B) Operation Kranti
(C) Operation Vijay (D) Operation Blue Star

- (xii) Raja Ram Mohan Roy was associated with
 (A) Atmiya Samaj (B) Brahmo Samaj
 (C) Prarthana Samaj (D) Ramkrishna Mission
- (xiii) Who was known as Frontier Gandhi?
 (A) Rajiv Gandhi (B) Abdul Ghaffar Khan
 (C) Sanjay Gandhi (D) Mahatma Gandhi
- (xiv) Who is the present Head Coach of Indian Cricket Team?
 (A) Sourav Ganguly (B) Tom Moody
 (C) Ravi Shastri (D) Virender Sehwag
- (xv) Which is the heaviest flying bird?
 (A) Great Bustard (B) Emu
 (C) Hornbill (D) King Eagle
- (xvi) _____ founded Sikh religion.
 (A) Guru Teg Bahadur (B) Guru Arjan
 (C) Guru Nanak (D) Guru Govind Singh
- (xvii) How many hearts does an octopus has?
 (A) 1 (B) 2 (C) 3 (D) 4
- (xviii) Who is the present Governor of the Reserve Bank of India?
 (A) Raghuram Rajan (B) Urjit Patel
 (C) C. Rangarajan (D) D. Subbarao
- (xix) Changlang is a district of _____
 (A) Mizoram (B) Nagaland
 (C) Arunachal Pradesh (D) Meghalaya
- (xx) Tawang is the birth place of _____
 (A) Tsangyang Gyatso, the 6th Dalai Lama
 (B) Ngawang Lobzang Gyatso, the 5th Dalai Lama
 (C) Jamphel Gyatso, the 8th Dalai Lama
 (D) Luntok Gyatso, the 9th Dalai Lama

Q.5. Write a short note (Any one)

20x1 = 20

- (i) Sixth Schedule to the Indian Constitution.
 (ii) Media Trial
 (iii) Goods and Services Tax (GST)
