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1. Which article of the Constitution of India empowers a state government to promulgate an ordinance?
   (a) Article 251  (b) Article 213  
   (c) Article 100  (d) Article 166
2. Which of the following lakes was formed as a result of a meteor crashing into Earth during the Pleistocene Epoch?
   (a) Lonar Lake  (b) Sambar Lake  
   (c) Wular Lake  (d) Naini Lake
3. The emergency number for immediate assistance in case of distress operational as of April 2019 in 20 states and union territories in India is ______.
   (a) 1098  (b) 112  
   (c) 200  (d) 105
4. Which of the following ports is located on the eastern coast of India?
   (a) Kochi  (b) Nhava Sheva  
   (c) Kamarajar  (d) Murmagoa
5. ‘Angstrom’ is a unit of measurement of ______.
   (a) height  (b) density  
   (c) length  (d) time
6. ‘Polavaram Irrigation Project’ is being constructed on:
   (a) Godavari river  (b) Kaveri river  
   (c) Krishna river  (d) Mahanadi river
7. ‘Kyoto Protocol’ is related to the convention on:
   (a) climate change  (b) cross-border terrorism  
   (c) tax havens  (d) banning nuclear tests
8. Who was the founder of the Shunga dynasty?
   (a) Kunal  (b) Brihadratha  
   (c) Pushyamitra  (d) Jayadratha
9. In May 2019, India’s first ‘tree ambulance’ was launched in ______.
   (a) Hyderabad  (b) Bhopal  
   (c) Chennai  (d) Bengaluru
10. As per the Constitution of India, the term of the members of ‘Council of States’ is for:
    (a) 4 years  (b) 6 years  
    (c) 3 years  (d) 5 years
11. Which of the following planets is also known as a ‘gas giant’?
    (a) Venus  (b) Jupiter  
    (c) Mars  (d) Mercury
12. Kanshi Ram was the founder of _____political party.
    (a) Samajwadi Party  (b) Bahujan Samaj Party  
    (c) Bahujan Shanti Munch party  (d) Lok Bhalai Party
13. One of the most commonly used methods for reduction of metal oxides into metals is ____. 
    (a) Heating  (b) Hydraulic Washing  
    (c) Magnetic Separation  (d) Cooling
14. Which of the following acronyms represents India’s national level programme to promote hybrid and electric vehicles?
    (a) UDAAN  (b) BREATHE  
    (c) FAME  (d) HAEV
15. In January 2019, a Rs. 350 commemorative coin was issued to mark the birth anniversary of:
    (a) Guru Hargobind  (b) Guru Gobind Singh  
    (c) Guru Har Rai  (d) Guru Arjan Dev
16. Which of the following phenomenon is responsible for Coriolis force?
### EXPLANATIONS

**Sol–1: (b)**

Article 251 is related to the inconsistency between laws made by Parliament under articles 249 and 250 and laws made by the Legislatures of States.

**Article 213** is related to the empowers a Governor of state to promulgate Ordinances during recess of Legislature.

**Article 100** is related to the voting in Houses, power of Houses to act not withstanding vacancies and quorum.

**Article 166** is related to the conduct of business of the Government of a State.

**Sol–2: (a)**

Lonar Lake was formed as a result of a meteor weighing 2 million tonnes that crashed into the earth during the Pleistocene Epoch (52000 years ago). The meteor created hole which was 1.8 km wide and 150m deep.

It is located in Buldhana district of Maharashtra, India.

**Naini Lake** is a natural freshwater body, situated at Nainital in Uttarakhand State of India.

**Sambhar Lake** is the India’s largest inland salt lake.

It is located 80 km from Jaipur & surrounds the historical Sambhar Lake Town.

It receives water from five rivers namely: Medha, Samaod, Mantha, Rupangarh, Khari, and Khandela.

**Wular Lake** is one of the largest fresh water lakes in Asia, situated at Bandipora in the Union Territory of Jammu & Kashmir.

**Sol–3: (b)**

**Sol–4: (c)**

Major Ports located on the eastern coast of India are: Tuticorin (Tamil Nadu), Chennai (Tamil Nadu), Ennore (Tamil Nadu), Visakhapatnam (Andhra Pradesh), Paradip (Odisha), Haldia & Kolkata (West Bengal), and Port Blair (Andaman & Nicobar Island).

**Sol–5: (c)**

Angstrom is a unit of length used to measure very small distances & is equal to $10^{-10}$ m.
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