

#### Corrigendum Simulator 2022 Test 5

There is 1 more change in Simulator 2022 Test 5. In Q. 42, the correct answer is Option b.

### In Q.42, the correct answer is option (b).

A doubt was raised regarding whether the Statement 3 (India is a signatory to UN Convention Against Torture, 1987) is correct.

#### **Explanation:**

The doubt raised is correct. India is a signatory to the to UN Convention Against Torture, 1987. Although it has not ratified the convention. So, Statement 3 is correct, and the correct answer is option b.

## For Future Reference:

Q.42) Consider the following statements with reference to Extradition:

- 1. Rule of Dual Criminality under extradition rule stipulates that a person can be punished only for the offence for which he is being extradited.
- 2. Ministry of External Affairs is the nodal body for extradition matters in India.
- 3. India is a signatory to UN Convention Against Torture, 1987.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- a) 1 only
- b) 2 and 3 only
- c) 2 only
- d) 1 and 2 only

## Ans) b

# Exp) Option b is the correct answer.

Extradition is the formal process of one state surrendering an individual to another state for **prosecution or punishment for crimes** committed in the requesting country's jurisdiction.

## Statement 1 is incorrect.

**Rule of speciality or Principle of Specialty** states that the extradited person cannot be punished for any other offence but only for the offence for which he is being extradited. So, India cannot conduct a trial on Nirav Modi for any other pre-extradition offences.

**Principle of Dual Criminality** requires that the offence that the fugitive is alleged to have committed, should be an offence both in the requesting as well as the requested state.

# Statement 2 is correct.

The Ministry of External Affairs is the nodal body for extradition matters in India.



#### Statement 3 is correct.

India has **signed the UN Convention Against Torture, 1987**. It signed the convention in 1997 but it has not yet ratified this convention. India is one of only five countries that have yet to ratify the 1987 UN Convention against Torture.

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In Q.62, a doubt was raised with respect to reasons behind the recent electricity shortages faced by India.

**Explanation**) The context is important as it talks about reason behind the recent electricity shortages. The Government of India clearly stated that the shortage of electricity was not because of the insufficient production of coal.

There may be opinions of different people in newspapers talking about shortage of electricity due to insufficient production of coal but we need to stick with what the Government of India says. Thus, insufficient production of coal is not the reason behind recent shortage of electricity.

**In Q.68,** a doubt was raised that the biotic interaction that is being discussed in the paragraph given in the question is parasitism rather than predation.

**Explanation)** In the paragraph it says 'The organism which provides energy, itself gets consumed in the process. Here, one organism consumes all or part of the body of another.' Now most appropriately it discusses Predation. In parasitism, the parasite utilizes the habitat and depends for resource acquisition on the host. The main difference between predation and parasitism is that in predation, the predator immediately kills the prey while the parasite doesnot kill the host organism. Though in some cases, the parasite may eventually kill the host organism.