

**HIGH COURT OF TRIPURA**  
**AGARTALA**

**No.F.11(14)-HC/2022(P)/24166**

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### Answer Keys

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42	(d)	92	(c)
43	(d)	93	(a)
44	(d)	94	(b)
45	(a)	95	(b)
46	(b)	96	(a)
47	(a)	97	(d)
48	(b)	98	(c)
49	(a)	99	(a)
50	(b)	100	(a)

**HIGH COURT OF TRIPURA  
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PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION, 2022  
[SCREENING TEST]**

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**Duration : 02 [two hours]**

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**[FOR THE Q & A BOOK CONTAINING PAGES 3-18]**

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**Q. The first Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of India is?**

- (a) M. Patanjali Shastri
- (b) M.C. Mahajan
- (c) Harilal J. Kania
- (d) B.K. Mukherjee

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1. In which case the Supreme Court held that the Preamble is not the part of the Constitution?
  - (a) A.K.Gopalan Case
  - (b) Berubari Case
  - (c) Minerva Mills Case
  - (d) A.K.Antony Case
  
2. Which of the following are included in the concept of "the State" under Article 12?
  - (a) Railway Board and Electricity Board
  - (b) Judiciary
  - (c) University
  - (c) All of the above
  
3. "Directive Principles of State Policy are the conscience of the Constitution which embody the social philosophy of the Constitution" was described by
  - (a) Granville Austin
  - (b) A.V. Dicey
  - (c) Dr. B.R.Ambedkar
  - (d) K.L. Wheare
  
4. The President's Rule under Article 356 remains valid in the State for the maximum period
  - (a) one year
  - (b) two years
  - (c) six months
  - (d) nine months
  
5. Article 155-156 of the Indian Constitution deal with
  - (a) Inter-State Commerce Commission
  - (b) Election Commission
  - (c) Legislative Councils
  - (d) President's power to appoint and dismiss Governor
  
6. Which Article provides for the appointment of an "acting" Chief Justice
  - (a) Article 125
  - (b) Article 126
  - (c) Article 127
  - (d) Article 130
  
7. A proclamation under Section 82 CrPC can be issued against a person against whom a warrant has been issued. Thus a proclamation can be issued against
  - (a) offender accused
  - (b) a surety
  - (c) a witness
  - (d) all of the above

8. Section 162 of CrPC applies to statement made to a Police Officer during investigation by
  - (a) a witness
  - (b) an accused person
  - (c) an accused who turns approver
  - (d) all of the above
  
9. Statements of witness recorded under Section 164 of CrPC are
  - (a) Substantive evidence
  - (b) Corroborative evidence
  - (c) Both substantive and corroborative evidence
  - (d) Neither substantive nor corroborative evidence
  
10. While taking cognizance, the court takes cognizance of
  - (a) the offence
  - (b) the offender
  - (c) the offenders if there are more than one
  - (d) all of the above
  
11. Committal proceedings under Section 209 of CrPC are in the nature of
  - (a) aid in investigation
  - (b) inquiry
  - (c) trial
  - (d) either inquiry or trial
  
12. To establish Section 34 IPC
  - (a) common intention be proved but not overt act be proved
  - (b) common intention and overt act both be proved
  - (c) common intention need not be proved but overt act be proved
  - (d) all the above
  
13. Section 84 IPC provides for
  - (a) medical insanity
  - (b) legal insanity
  - (c) moral insanity
  - (d) unsoundness of mind of any kind
  
14. Grave and sudden provocation is
  - (a) question of fact
  - (b) question of law
  - (c) mixed question of fact and law
  - (d) a presumption

15. In which of the following case Supreme Court has recently held Section 499 and Section 500 IPC as constitutional?
- (a) Bachan Singh's case
  - (b) Indra Sawhney V. Union of India
  - (c) Subramaniam Swamy V. Union of India
  - (d) S.R.Bomma case
16. The age for consensual sex after the Criminal Law (Amendment) Act, 2013 is
- (a) 14 years
  - (b) 15 years
  - (c) 16 years
  - (d) 18 years
17. The offence of trafficking of person under section 370 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860 is
- (a) Non-cognizable & bailable
  - (b) Cognizable & bailable
  - (c) Cognizable & Non-bailable
  - (d) Non-cognizable & Non-bailable
18. Law of evidence is
- (a) lex tallienis
  - (b) lex fori
  - (c) lex loci solutions
  - (d) lex situs
19. A dying declaration is admissible
- (a) Only in criminal proceedings
  - (b) Only in civil proceedings
  - (c) in civil as well as criminal proceedings both
  - (d) in criminal proceedings alone and not in civil proceedings
20. Due execution and authentication of a power of attorney shall be presumed under Section 85 of Evidence Act when executed before and authentication by
- (a) a notary
  - (b) a judge
  - (c) a magistrate
  - (d) all the above
21. Section 108 of Evidence Act relates to
- (a) presumption of death
  - (b) presumption of life
  - (c) presumption of legitimacy
  - (d) presumption of relationship

22. The case of Pakala Narayan Swamy V. Emperor pertains to
- (a) Estoppel
  - (b) Dying declaration
  - (c) Hostile witness
  - (d) Accomplice evidence
23. Factum Probandum means
- (a) conclusive fact
  - (b) the fact that is probable
  - (c) the fact that has to be believed
  - (d) the principal fact to be proved
24. Material evidence obtained as a result of illegal search /seizure is
- (a) reliable as any other evidence
  - (b) admissible but its probative value depends upon the facts and circumstances of the case
  - (c) admissible but wholly unreliable
  - (d) not admissible
25. Principle of res-judicata is
- (a) mandatory
  - (b) directory
  - (c) discretionary
  - (d) all of the above
26. A plaint can be rejected
- (a) Under Order VII, Rule 10 of CPC
  - (b) Under Order VII, Rule 10A of CPC
  - (c) Under Order VII, Rule 11 of CPC
  - (d) all of the above
27. A 'garnishee' is
- (a) the judgement debtor
  - (b) judgement debtor's debtor
  - (c) judgement debtor's creditor
  - (d) the banker of the judgement debtor
28. Amendment of plaint cannot be allowed after trial has commenced
- (a) except in exceptional cases
  - (b) under any circumstances
  - (c) if the valuation of suit is less than Rs. 1000/-
  - (d) if the suit calls for special procedure



29. Order XXXIX, Rule 2 of the Civil Procedure Code deals with
- (a) temporary injunction
  - (b) appointment of receiver
  - (c) execution of decree
  - (d) attachment before judgment
30. A review petition is maintainable where
- (a) the review applicant has already filed an appeal which is pending
  - (b) the opposite party files an appeal after review petition was filed
  - (c) appeal filed by the review applicant has been dismissed by a speaking order on merits
  - (d) filing of appeal by any side is immaterial
31. Promises which form the consideration or part of the consideration for each other are called
- (a) reciprocal promises
  - (b) cross offers
  - (c) conditional offer
  - (d) conditional promises
32. Rescission of the contract means
- (a) the renewal of original contract
  - (b) cancellation of contract
  - (c) alteration of contract
  - (d) substitution of new contract in place of earlier one
33. A & B being traders, entered upon a contract. A has private information of a change in prices which would affect B's willingness to proceed with the contract
- (a) A is bound to inform B
  - (b) A is not bound to inform B
  - (c) B is bound to be informed
  - (d) none of the above
34. Mere silence is not fraud unless
- (a) there is a duty to speak
  - (b) the silence is deceptive
  - (c) there is a change in circumstances to be brought to the notice of other party
  - (d) all the above
35. The doctrine of impossibility of performance rendering contract void is based on
- (a) implied term
  - (b) just and reasonable solution
  - (c) supervening impossibility
  - (d) unjust enrichment

36. After the expiry of time or accomplishment of purpose of bailment
- the bailee is to return the goods without demand
  - the bailee is to return the goods only on demand
  - the bailee is to pay the money equivalent
  - the bailee is to pay the equivalent in other commodity
37. The maxim "injuria sine damno" has been explained in
- Danoghere v. Stevenson
  - Winterbottom v. Wright
  - Ashby v. White
  - Lumley v. Gye
38. The term "novus actus interveniens" means
- directness of damages
  - remoteness of damages
  - direct and remote damages
  - foreseeable damages
39. The maxim "res-ipsa loquitor" means
- the things don't speak for itself
  - the things speaks for itself
  - the things have to be proved beyond doubt
  - the burden of proving the things always remain on the plaintiff
40. Last opportunity rule is
- an exception to contributory negligence
  - a modification to contributory negligence
  - an alternative to contributory negligence
  - supplements to contributory negligence
41. Harsh moves 15 Kms in East direction, then turn towards North and moves 4 Kms. From there he turns west and travels 12 Kms. How far and in which direction is he from his starting point.
- 5 Kms, North-East
  - 5 Kms, South-West
  - 27 Kms, North-East
  - 19 Kms, North-East
42. John wants to go to University. He starts from his house which is in the East and comes to a crossing. The road to his left ends in a theatre, straight ahead is the hospital. In which direction is the University?
- West
  - East
  - South
  - North

43. If day before yesterday was Tuesday, the day after tomorrow will be
- (a) Monday
  - (b) Wednesday
  - (c) Friday
  - (d) Saturday
44. A girl introduced a boy as the son of the daughter of the father of her uncle. The boy is girl's
- (a) Son-in-law
  - (b) Son
  - (c) Uncle
  - (d) Brother
45. Pointing to a photograph, Prakash said, "She is the daughter of my grandfather's only son". How is Prakash related to the girl in photograph?
- (a) Brother
  - (b) Cousin
  - (c) Father
  - (d) Uncle
46. A,P,R,X,S and Z are sitting in a row. S and Z are in the centre. A & P are at the ends. R is sitting to the left of A. Who is to the right of P?
- (a) A
  - (b) X
  - (c) S
  - (d) Z

**Directions (Question 47-50): In each question below are given two statements numbered I and II. You have to take the two given statements as true even if they seem to be at variance with commonly known facts. Read all the conclusions and then decide which of the given conclusions logically follows from the two given statements disregarding commonly known facts.**

47. I. All vegetables have gravy.  
II. All lunch have vegetable.  
Conclusion:
- (a) All lunch have gravy
  - (b) All gravy have lunch
  - (c) Both (a) and (b)
  - (d) None of the above

48. I. Karan Johar is a good director.

II. Directors are intelligent.

Conclusion:

- (a) All intelligent are directors
- (b) Karan Johar is intelligent
- (c) Both (a) & (b)
- (d) None of the above

49. I. All girls go to the college.

II. Rina does not go to the college.

Conclusion:

- (a) Rina is not a girl
- (b) Going to college is not essential to be a girl
- (c) Rina is a girl
- (d) None of the above

50. I. No parrots are black.

II. All crows are black.

Conclusion:

- (a) No conclusion can be drawn
- (b) No crows are parrots
- (c) Some parrots are not crows
- (d) Some crows are not parrots

**Give one word substitution for the following sentences:**

51. A person who speaks more than one language:

- (a) Polyglot
- (b) Narcissist
- (c) Arbitrator
- (d) Ambivert

52. A place where coins are made:

- (a) Frugal
- (b) Curate
- (c) Apothecary
- (d) Mint

53. A person who is wrongly blamed for things that others have done:

- (a) Egoist
- (b) Scapegoat
- (c) Chauffeur
- (d) Cartographer

54. A person who can use either hand with ease:

- (a) Agnostic
- (b) Ambidextrous
- (c) Arsonist
- (d) Debonair

**Choose the appropriate word opposite in meaning to the bold word from the option given (a), (b), (c) and (d).**

55. William had been involved with some very **undesirable** people.

- (a) Agreeable
- (b) Ignorant
- (c) Outgoing
- (d) Ratify

56. The football team stood together in **unflinching** determination to win the match.

- (a) Wavering
- (b) Endurable
- (c) Eccentric
- (d) Expressive

57. Raman had a **vacuous** expression on his face

- (a) Expressive
- (b) Eccentric
- (c) Precise
- (d) Smooth

58. He became the target for accusations of **vacillating** leadership.

- (a) Oblivion
- (b) Doubtful
- (c) Resolute
- (d) Intelligent

**Give the Synonym of the following words from the option (a), (b), (c), (d):**

59. Nimble

- (a) Dignity
- (b) Dark
- (c) Fact
- (d) Agile

60. Decoy

- (a) Abate
- (b) Fact
- (c) Attraction
- (d) Horror

61. Strident

- (a) Clear
- (b) Raucous
- (c) Design
- (d) Nature

62. Incessant

- (a) Faltering
- (b) Mumbled
- (c) Ceaseless
- (d) Foolish

**Choose the correct option from (a), (b), (c), (d) to complete the sentences:**

63. The man is \_\_\_\_\_ fifty.

- (a) At
- (b) Near
- (c) Nearly
- (d) In near

64. Sachin lifted the prize with \_\_\_\_\_ hands.

- (a) One
- (b) Large
- (c) Much
- (d) Both

65. He requested me \_\_\_\_\_.

- (a) To helping the boy
- (b) To help the boy
- (c) For help the boy
- (d) Was to help the boy

66. He asked me \_\_\_\_\_ a student.

- (a) Are you
- (b) Was I
- (c) If I was
- (d) None of the above

67. We shall \_\_\_\_\_ the roof next year.
- (a) Need to repair
  - (b) Needed to repair
  - (c) Needed to repair
  - (d) Needs to repair
68. Which of the following sentence implies "habit"?
- (a) He will be happy to see you.
  - (b) I will try for you.
  - (c) There will be a storm this evening.
  - (d) An angry man will lose his temper.
69. If Saran \_\_\_\_\_ so much junk food , she could have been in the team.
- (a) Must not eaten
  - (b) Had not eaten
  - (c) Must not eaten
  - (d) Had eaten
70. The club is considering \_\_\_\_\_ a no smoking zone.
- (a) To impose
  - (b) Would impose
  - (c) Shall impose
  - (d) Imposing
71. When was SENSEX introduced by Bombay stock Exchange (BSE)?
- (a) 1 January 1986
  - (b) 1 January 1990
  - (c) 1 January 1996
  - (d) 1 January 1980
72. What does the word "Livres" stand for in regards of French revolution
- (a) Unit of currency in France
  - (b) Tax levied by church
  - (c) Tax to be paid directly to state
  - (d) None of the above
73. Which of the following has the shortest national anthem in the world?
- (a) Russia
  - (b) Uruguay
  - (c) Japan
  - (d) Ecuador
74. Which of the following facts are incorrect about International Monetary Fund?
- (a) IMF was established in 1944

- (b) IMF has 110 member countries
  - (c) The first female managing director of IMF was Christine Lagarde of France
  - (d) The managing director of IMF is usually a European and—by tradition—not an American.
75. Bala Devi, who was seen in news recently is associated with which sports?
- (a) Cricket
  - (b) Football
  - (c) Boxing
  - (d) Wrestling
76. Which Indian grandmaster won the title in Hastings International Chess congress?
- (a) Pendyala Harikrishna
  - (b) Sasikiran Krishnan
  - (c) P Mangesh Chandran
  - (d) Abhijeet Gupta
77. Select the incorrect match
- (a) 1<sup>st</sup> congress secession- Bombay
  - (b) 2<sup>nd</sup> congress secession-Calcutta
  - (c) 3<sup>rd</sup> congress secession-Nagpur
  - (d) 4<sup>th</sup> congress secession- Allahabad
78. In which state Rajiv Gandhi rural Olympic Games started in more than 11,000 panchayats?
- (a) Odisha
  - (b) Rajasthan
  - (c) Gujarat
  - (d) Punjab
79. Which of the following countries share their Independence Day with India?
- (a) Cambodia
  - (b) Jamaica
  - (c) South Korea
  - (d) Indonesia
80. Saffron is obtained through which part of plant?
- (a) Pollens
  - (b) Stigma
  - (c) Stem
  - (d) Petals
81. NIFTY and SENSEX are calculated based on\_\_\_\_
- (a) Market Capitalization
  - (b) Authorized share capital
  - (c) Free- Float capitalization
  - (d) Paid up capital



82. Which Indian company has entered the Fortune Global 500 list for the first time?
- (a) Infosys
  - (b) Life Insurance Corporation
  - (c) Tata Motors
  - (d) Reliance Industries
83. Who has been conferred with the 31<sup>st</sup> Vyas samman?
- (a) Dr. Asghar Wajahat
  - (b) Sudha Murty
  - (c) Devdutt Pattanaik
  - (d) R.K Narayan
84. In August 2022, Gustavo Petro was sworn in as the President of which country?
- (a) Chile
  - (b) Venezuela
  - (c) Columbia
  - (d) Ecuador
85. Which famous catchphrase was used by Donald Trump during American elections?
- (a) Make America Great Again
  - (b) A leader for America
  - (c) Keep hope alive
  - (d) Let America be America Again
86. Select the incorrect match
- (a) Sense and sensibility- Charlotte Brontë
  - (b) Robinson Crusoe- Daniel Defoe
  - (c) The Canterville Ghost- Oscar Wilde
  - (d) The rime of the Ancient Mariner: Samuel Taylor Coleridge
87. Select the bank incorrectly matched with their headquarter-
- (a) Axis bank- Mumbai
  - (b) Punjab national bank- New Delhi
  - (c) Federal Bank- Kerela
  - (d) Indian Bank (Allahabad Bank)- Mumbai
88. In July 2022, five new sites from India were added to the List of Ramsar Sites, select the incorrect match
- (a) Karikili Bird Sanctuary – Tamil Nadu
  - (b) Sakhya Sagar – Madhya Pradesh
  - (c) Pallikaranai Marsh Reserve Forest – Kerela
  - (d) Pala Wetlands – Mizoram
89. Which of the following was not written by Kalidas
- (a) Ritusamhara
  - (b) Raghuvamsa
  - (c) KritiLata
  - (d) Kumarsambhav

90. Select the incorrect match in reference to viceroys of India
- (a) Lord Linlithgow- Cripps Mission
  - (b) Lord Lawrence- establishment of High Court in Calcutta
  - (c) Lord Lytton- Vernacular Press Act, 1878
  - (d) Lord Reading- Transfer of capital to Delhi from Calcutta
91. Select the incorrect match-
- (a) First woman Judge of ICJ- Sandra Day O'Connor
  - (b) First woman lawyer in India- Cornelia Sorabjee
  - (c) First woman judges of Supreme Court of India- Justice Fathima Beevi
  - (d) first Indian female doctor of western medicine- AnandibaiGopalrao Joshi
92. Select the incorrect match of artists with their work-
- (a) Johannes Vermeer- Girl with a Pearl Earring
  - (b) Leonardo da Vinci- The last supper
  - (c) Rembrandt- The David
  - (d) Vincent Van Gogh- The starry Night
93. The famous tomb of Tutankhamun was discovered by which archaeologist?
- (a) Howard Carter
  - (b) Arthur Evans
  - (c) Leonard Wooley
  - (d) Edward Drinker Cope
94. Who was the author of famous autobiographical novel Karukku, which chronicles the joys and sorrows experienced by Dalit Christian women in Tamil Nadu?
- (a) P. Sivakami
  - (b) Bama Faustina Susairaj
  - (c) Gogu Shyamala
  - (d) Maroonamurmu
95. Select the incorrect match-
- (a) Invention of penicillin- Dr. Alexander Fleming
  - (b) Invention of Insulin- Joseph Lister
  - (c) Invention of pasteurizing- Louis Pasteur
  - (d) Germ theory- Semmelweis.
96. When is Kokborok Day celebrated
- (a) 19 January
  - (b) 20 February
  - (c) 25 March
  - (d) None of the above
97. Density population of Tripura is-
- (a) 375/sq km
  - (b) 400/sq km

- (c) 450/sq km
- (d) 350/ sq km

98. What is the name of state flower of Tripura-

- (a) Lotus
- (b) Palash
- (c) Nageshwar
- (d) Nargis flower

99. Hai- Hak dance is associated with\_\_

- (a) Halam community
- (b) Garo community
- (c) Riang community
- (d) Noatia community

100. When did Prince Bir Bikram Kishore acceded the throne of Tripura

- (a) In 1923 AD by way of inheritance
- (b) In 1924 AD by way of inheritance
- (c) In 1925 AD by way of inheritance
- (d) In 1926 AD by way of inheritance

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