

Who was the first speaker of the Lok Sabha?

MODEL QUESTIONS

- 1. The salary and perquisites of the Prime Minister of India are decided by the:
 - 1) Constitution
 - 2) Parliament
 - 3) Cabinet
 - 4) President

by the:

- 2. Collective responsibility of the Cabinet was introduced in India
 - 1) Minto-Morley Reforms
 - 2) Constitution of India
 - 3) Independence Act, 1947
 - 4) Government of India Act, 1935
- 3. If a minister of a State wants to resign, to whom he should address the letter of resignation? 1) Speaker of Vidhan Sabha
 - 2) Governor of the State
 - 3) Leader of his political party
 - 4) Chief Minister
- 4. An 'office of profit' which disqualifies a person from being a member of the Union or State Legislature does not include office held under:
 - 1) the Government of India
 - 2) a State Government
 - 3) a local authority
 - 4) All of the above
- 5. In practice the policy of the Government is shaped by:
 - 1) all the ministers
 - 2) the Prime Minister
 - 3) the Cabinet
 - 4) special committees
- 6. If a Minister loses a no-confidence motion then:
 - 1) the Minister resigns
 - 2) the whole Council of Ministers resigns
 - 3) Lok Sabha is dissolved
 - 4) None of the above
- Protem Speaker is:
 - 1) elected by the Lok Sabha
 - 2) appointed by the President of India
 - 3) appointed by the CJI
 - 4) the seniormost member of the Lok Sabha
- 8. Joint Parliamentary sessions in India are presided by the:
 - 1) President of India
 - 2) Vice-President of India

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- 3) Prime Minister of India
- 4) Speaker of the Lok Sabha
- 9. The Annual Financial Statement of the Government of India in respect of each financial year shall be presented to the House on such day as the:
 - 1) Speaker may direct
 - 2) President of India may direct
 - 3) Parliament may decide
 - 4) Finance Minister may decide
- 10. A deadlock between the Lok Sabha and the Rajya Sabha calls for a joint sitting of the Parliament during the passage of:
 - 1) Ordinary Legislation
 - 2) Money Bill
 - 3) Constitution Amendment Bill
 - 4) None of the above
- 11. Which of the following States has the largest percentage of reserved parliamentary seats?
 - 1) Bihar 2) Orissa
 - 3) Uttar Pradesh
 - 4) Madhya Pradesh
- elected according to:
 - 1) Cumulative Vote System
 - 2) Single Transferable Vote System
 - 3) Single Non-transferable Vote System
 - 4) None of the above
- 13. Who was the first speaker of the Lok Sabha?
 - 1) Ganesh Vasudev Mavalankar
 - 2) Hukam Singh
 - 3) P. Upendra
 - 4) A. Ayyangar
- 14. Who is authorised to decide over a dispute regarding disqualification of a member of Parliament?
 - 1) Election Commissioner
 - 2) President
 - 3) Speaker of Lok Sabha
 - 4) None of these
- 7. After the general elections, the 15. The Lok Sabha is called in session for at least how many times in a year?
 - 1) Once
- 3) Thrice
- 2) Twice
- 4) Four times
- 16. The maximum number of representatives of the States in Lok Sabha is:
 - 1) 520
 - 2) 530 4) 550
 - 3) 540
- 17. Which of the following States

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sends the maximum number of members to the Rajya Sabha?

- 1) Bihar
- 2) Uttar Pradesh
- 3) West Bengal
- 4) All equal
- 18. Who was the first leader of Opposition in the Rajya Sabha?
 - 1) Bhola Paswan
 - 2) Y.B. Chavan
 - 3) Shyam Nandan Mishra
 - 4) C.M. Stephen
- 12. Members of the Rajya Sabha are 19. What type of Party System has been evolved in India?
 - 1) Single Party
 - 2) Bi-Party
 - 3) Multi-Party
 - 4) Partyless
 - 20. Which of the following committees does not consist of any member from the Rajya Sabha?
 - 1) Public Accounts Committee
 - 2) Estimates Committee
 - 3) Public Grievances Committee
 - 4) Committee on Public Undertakings
 - 21. Which of the following is concerned with the regularity and economy of expenditure of government?
 - 1) Public Accounts Committee
 - 2) Business Advisory Committee
 - 3) Committee on Offices on **Profit**
 - 4) Estimates Committees
 - 22. One-third of the members of the Rajya sabha retire after every:
 - 1) One year
 - 2) Second year
 - 3) Third year
 - 4) Fifth year
 - 23. Rajya Sabha is less powerful than Lok Sabha in terms of its financial powers because:
 - 1) it does not participate in the passing of money bill
 - 2) No money bill can be introduced in Rajya Sabha
 - 3) Both of the above
 - 4) None of the above
 - 24. Which one of the following is the largest Committee of the Parliament?
 - 1) The Public Accounts Committee
 - 2) The Estimates Committee
 - 3) The Committee on petitions
 - 4) The committee on Public Undertakings
 - 25. Which one of the following High

- Courts has Territorial-Jurisdiction over Andaman and Nicobar Islands?
- 1) Madras 2) Orissa
- 3) Calcutta
- 4) Andhra Pradesh
- 26. The two provisions of the Constitution of India that most clearly express the power of judicial review are:
 - 1) Article-21, Article-446
 - 2) Article-32, Article-226
 - 3) Article-44, Article-152
 - 4) Article-17, Article-143
- 27. The Judge of the High Court in India is administered oath of office by:
 - 1) The Chief Justice of High Court
 - 2) The President of India 3) The Governor of the State
 - 4) The Chief Justice of India
- 28. A Judge of the Supreme Court of India is to hold office until he attains the age of:
 - 1) 58 years 2) 60 years
 - 3) 62 years 4) 65 years
- 29. Who has the right to seek advisory opinion of the Supreme Court of India, on any question of law?
 - 1) the President
 - 2) the Governor
 - 3) High Courts
- 4) All of these 30. Which of the following amend
 - ments curtailed the power of judicial review of the Supreme Court and the High Courts?
 - 1) 42nd
 - 2) 26th
- 3) 24th 4) 44th 31. The High Courts in India were first started at:
 - 1) Bombay, Delhi, Madras
 - 2) Delhi and Calcutta
 - 3) Bombay, Madras, Calcutta
- 4) Madras and Bombay 32. The power to extend or restrict
 - rests with:
 - 1) the Parliament
 - 2) the President
 - 3) the Governor 4) the concerned State Legis-

the jurisdiction of the High Court

- lature 33. In India, woman has never been a Chief Minister in the State of:
 - 1) Tamil Nadu
 - 2) Uttar Pradesh

4) Andhra Pradesh

- 3) Rajasthan
- 34. The maximum permissible period between two sessions of a State Legislative Assembly is:
 - 1) a year
 - 2) six months 3) three months
 - 4) indefinite
- 35. The salary and allowances of the Governor are charged to:
 - 1) Consolidated Fund of the State 2) Consolidated Fund of India

by: 1) Parliament

4) Both 1) and 2)

2) Prime Minister

3) President

Court

Jammu and Kashmir?

36. Who appoints the Governor of

1) Chief Minister of the State

37. The ordinances issued by the

4) Chief Justice of the High

Governor are subject to approval

- 2) State Legislature
- 3) President 4) No one 38. Grants-in-aid are provided every year to such States as are in need of assistance as determined by
 - the: 1) Finance Commission

 - 2) Parliament
 - 3) President 4) None of the above
- 39. The State Legislative Assembly participates in the election of:
 - 1) President
 - 2) Rajya Sabha members
 - 3) Members of Legislative Council of the State
- 40. Who acts as the Chancellor of

4) All of the above

- 1) Chief Minister
- 41. The Central Government's exclusive powers are enumerated in
 - the:
 - 2) State List
- 4) Federal List 42. The executive power relating to

 - 1) the Centre
 - 3) the Constitution 4) the President
 - based on the scheme provided in: 1) Minto-Morley Reforms, 1909
 - 3) Montague-Chelmsford Act, 1919

4) Indian Independence Act, 1947

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- 3) Contingency Fund of India

- State Universities?
- 2) Governor
- 3) President 4) Chief Justice of High Court
- 1) Concurrent List
- 3) Union List
- concurrent subjects remain with:
- 2) the States
- 43. The distribution of power between Centre and the States is
 - 2) Government of India Act, 1935

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