THE GAUHATI HIGH COURT AT GUWAHATI

(The High Court of Assam, Nagaland, Mizoram & Arunachal Pradesh)

Preliminary Examination (Objective type multiple choices) for direct recruitment to Grade-III of Arunachal Pradesh Judicial Service

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Attempt all questions Total marks 100

[Total No of questions 100, each question carries 1 mark]

Choose the word analogous or nearest in meaning in the questions from 1 – 10

1 **Abominable**

A) Sloppy
B) Flattering
C) Attractive
D) Detestable

2 **Puerility**

A) Insincerity
B) Childishness
C) Falsehood
D) Inaccuracy

3 **Riparian**

A) Horses
B) Riverbanks
C) Religious belief
D) Hunting

4 **Assimilate**

A) Absorb
B) Collect
C) Disperse
D) Condense

5 **Diabolism**

A) Sorcery
B) Omnivorous
C) Vertical
D) Rationalism

6 **Eqestrian** relates to -

A) Birds
B) Tourism
C) Horses
D) Water sports

7 **Obsequious**

A) Servile
B) Poor
C) Cheerful
D) Sullen

8 **Diffidence**

A) Discourage
B) Humility
C) Harmful
D) Defection

9 **Covenant**

A) Objective
B) Meeting
C) Agreement
D) Reform

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10 **De facto**

A) Old
B) Actual
C) Beginning
D) Factual

Choose the word which is most nearly the same in meaning to the bold words in the questions from 11 – 20

11 **Passe**

A) Rude
B) Old - fashioned
C) Modern
D) Chic

12 **Emaciated**

A) Tall
B) Languid
C) Very thin
D) Wise

13. **Shrewd**

A) Erudite
B) Profound
C) August
D) Artful

14 **Vituperation**

A) Moisture
B) Parallel
C) Malediction
D) Recover

15 **Platitude**

A) Trite remark
B) Concerned feeling
C) Disdainful attitude
D) Protest

16 **Grandiose**

A) Imposing
B) Unpretentious
C) Boring
D) Lanky

17 **Spry**

A) Doubtful
B) Nimble
C) Prognosticate
D) Leave

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18 **Parley**

A) Discuss
B) Deliver
C) Sweeten
D) Race

19 **Compendium**

A) Summary
B) Index
C) Reference
D) Collection

20 **Apposite**

A) Inapt
B) Opposite
C) Relevant
D) Casual

Choose the word that is most nearly opposite in meaning to the given bold words in the questions from 21 – 30

21 **Mutability**

A) Calculable
B) Movable
C) Tenacity
D) Fragility

22 **Excoriate**

A) Diminish
B) Excommunicate
C) Abandon
D) Acclaim

23 **Archaic**

A) Novel
B) Somber
C) Soft
D) Archeological finding

24 **Affable**

A) Friendly
B) Surly
C) Winsome
D) Livid

25 **Impalpable**

A) Visible
B) Audible
C) Tangible
D) Fearless

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26 **Parochial**

A) Dogmatic
B) Dominant
C) Cosmopolitan
D) Niggardly

27 **Sequester**

A) Cloister
B) Isolate
C) Unify
D) Distribute

28 **Adulate**

A) Moderate
B) Admire
C) Lambaste
D) Adulterate

29 **Perennial**

A) Frequent
B) Regular
C) Lasting
D) Rare

30 The Prime Minister's radio broadcast **Galvanised** the people's spirit

A) Destructed
B) Frightened
C) Distracted
D) Dampened

31 Juno is the name of a -

A) Solar powered space craft
B) Hydrogen fuelled space craft
C) Hydrogen fuelled submarine
D) Atomic powered submarine

32 Which country 3D-Printed a home of 37 sq mts ?

A) Spain
B) Russia
C) South Korea
D) Taiwan

33 The world's first artificial intelligence lawyer, a robot, is named as -

A) Ross
B) Boss
C) Watson
D) IBM-LaBrain

34 Which of the following labels are not owned by Yum Brands ?

A) KFC
B) Pizza Hut
C) Burger King
D) Taco Bell

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35 Who called the immigration the 'Trojan Horse of Terrorism" ?
A) Angela Merkel, Chancellor of Germany
B) Theresa May Prime Minister of U K
C) Donald Trump, President of the U S
D) Viktor Orban, Prime Minister of Hungary

36 "Greenmail" is a type of -
A) Currency Manipulation
B) Takeover Defence
C) Corporate Communication
D) Eco-friendly device

37 The "Friends for Life" – an elephant conservation project has been launched by World Wide Fund for Nature India and
A) Aditya Birla Group
B) Muthoot Group
C) Manapuram Group
D) Reliance Ltd

38 What is known as Jasmine Revolution ?
A) Czech uprising
B) Sudan uprising
C) Arab uprising
D) Libyan uprising

39 Baglihar dam has been a matter of dispute between which nations ?
A) Bangladesh and Myanmar
B) Myanmar and China
C) India and China
D) India and Pakistan

40 Safdar Hashmi was associated with -
A) Painting
B) Journalism
C) Street Theatre
D) Higher education

41 Who among the following was known as the "Saint of the Gutters" ?
A) Baba Amte
B) Mother Teresa
C) C F Andrews
D) Jyotirao Phule

42 The acronym "YAHOO" stands for -
A) A song sung by Shammi Kapoor
B) Yet Another Hierarchical Object Orientation
C) Yet Another Hierarchical Officious Oracle
D) Young American Hi-tech Organisation in Ohio

43 The AK-47 rifle features on the flag of which among the following countries?
A) Lebanon C) Mozambique
B) Syria D) Turkey

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44 The book "Theatres of Democracy" has been authored by whom ?

A) K Satchidanandan
B) Romila Thapar
C) Amitav Ghosh
D) Shiv Visvanathan

45 Which state has become the first Indian state to draft its own internal security Act ?

A) Tamil Nadu
B) Maharashtra
C) Odisha
D) Kerala

46 Who among the following is the author of the book 'Speaking The Modi Way"?

A) Shashi Warrier
B) Rudraneil Sengupta
C) Virender Kapoor
D) Prachi Garg

47 Justice (Retd) Leila Seth, the renowned jurist has passed away She was the first woman Chief Justice of which High Court ?

A) Himachal Pradesh High Court
B) Karnataka High Court
C) Delhi High Court
D) Kerala High Court

48 India's first bio refinery plant has been set up in which of the following states ?

A) Andhra Pradesh
B) Assam
C) Tamil Nadu
D) Maharashtra

49 Which of the following is not an international credit rating agency ?

A) Standard & Poor
B) CRISIL
C) Moodys
D) Goldman Sachs

50 When is the United Nations (UN) International Day of Charity observed, that promotes charitable efforts made to alleviate poverty worldwide ?

A) July 14
B) July 15
C) July 16
D) July 17

Given below are Legal Principles followed by a Factual Situation. Apply the principle to it and select the most appropriate answer for questions 51 to 55 among the four choices given -

51 **Principle** A person is said to do a thing fraudulently, if he does that thing with intent to defraud, but not otherwise

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Facts "A" occasionally hands over his ATM card to "B" to withdraw money for "A" On one occasion "B" without the knowledge of "A", uses 'A's ATM card to find out the balance in 'A's account, but does not withdraw any money

A) "B" has not committed the act fraudulently
B) "B" has committed the act fraudulently
C) "B" has committed misappropriation
D) "B" has committed breach of faith

52 **Principle** Whoever takes away any moveable thing from the land of any person without that person's consent, he is said to have committed theft

Facts During his visit to the house of 'C 'A' asked 'B , the son of 'C', to accompany 'A' to the forest Neither 'A' nor 'B' informed 'C' in this regard 'B' accompanied 'A' to the forest

A) 'A' has not committed theft
B) 'A' has not committed theft till B' did not accompany him
C) 'A' has committed theft
D) 'A' has committed theft as soon as he entered the house of 'C'

53 **Principle** Whoever does not arrest the killer and report the matter to the concerned authorities commits an offence

Facts 'A' a woman, sees 'B', another woman killing a third woman 'C', 'A' neither attempted to arrest 'B' nor informed the concerned authorities

A) 'B' has not committed an offence
B) 'A' has not committed an offence
C) 'B' has committed an offence
D) 'A' has committed an offence

54 **Principle** It is settled that ignorance of law is no excuse but ignorance of fact may be excused

Facts X a foreign national was carrying child pornography material with him and was apprehended when he reached India It is an offence to possess child pornographic material in India X did not know this law

Can X be prosecuted in India ?

A) X cannot be prosecuted because he had actually no knowledge about the Indian law
B) X cannot be prosecuted because ignorance of fact is excusable
C) X can be prosecuted because ignorance of law is not excusable
D) It is always in the discretion of court to decide in cases involving foreigners

55 **Principle** False imprisonment is the confinement of a person without just cause or excuse There must be a total restraint of the person and the onus of proving reasonable cause is on the defendant

Facts 'A' entered in 'B s park where there was an artificial lake for the boating 'A' paid Rs 100 for entering the park and has to pay Rs 100 at the time of exit 'A' waited for 30 minutes but no boat was available 'A', however, denied to pay Rs 100 for exit B' did not allow 'A to leave the park unless he paid Rs 100 for exit 'A' sued 'B' for false imprisonment

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A) 'B' is guilty of false imprisonment
B) 'B' is not guilty of false imprisonment
C) 'A' can lawfully refuse to pay Rs 100 when no boat was available
D) 'A' can ask for even Rs 100 given for entering the park as 'B's services are deficient in the park and can sue B for false imprisonment

56 According to Article 1 clause(1) of the Constitution of India 1950, "India, that is , shall be a Union of States "

A) Bharat
B) Hindustan
C) Republic of India
D) Democratic Republic of India

57 Who among the following was not a Chief Justice of India ?

A) Justice P N Bhagwati
B) Justice R M Lodha
C) Justice Krishna Iyer
D) Justice J S Verma

58 Under which of the following provisions of the Constitution of India 1950, the Supreme Court may grant special leave to appeal from any judgment, decree determination, sentence or order ?

A) Article 131
B) Article 134
C) Article 136
D) Article 143

59 'To provide free legal aid to an accused' is covered under

A) Directive Principles of State Policy
B) Fundamental Rights
C) Discretion of the State
D) Moral Rights

60 **Choose the best option for the following statement –**

No one can be compelled to sing the National Anthem since
1 It will be violative of the right to freedom of speech and expression
2 It will be violative of the right to freedom of conscience and practice & propagation of religion
3 There is no legal provision obliging anyone to sing the national anthem

A) 1 and 2 are correct
B) 2 and 3 are correct
C) 1, 2 and 3 are correct
D) None is correct

61 As per Constitutional requirement the Parliament of India shall meet at least

A) Once a year
B) Twice a year
C) Thrice a year
D) Four times a year

62 Which of the following Articles of the Constitution of India, 1950 provides for the right to property ?

A) Article 31
B) Article 43
C) Article 31a
D) Article 300A

63 Governor of a State can make Laws during recess of State Legislative Assembly through

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A) Act
B) Bills
C) Notification
D) Ordinance

64 Which of the following rights is a constitutional right and not fundamental right ?

A) Right to freedom of expression
B) Right to freedom of religion
C) Right to property
D) Right to move freely

65 Bicameral State Legislature consists of -

A) Vidhan Sabha
B) Vidhan Parishad
C) Governor
D) All of the above

66 Under which of the following articles, laws inconsistent or abridging fundamental rights are declared void ?

A) Article 12
B) Article 13
C) Article 14
D) Article 21

67 Right to education has been declared as fundamental right under article -

A) 21
B) 21A
C) 31
D) 31A

68 The Constitution of India contains

A) 395 Articles and 8 Schedules
B) 395 Articles and 12 Schedules
C) 391 Articles and 14 Schedules
D) 359 Articles and 10 Schedules

69 By which Constitution Amendment Act the anti defection laws were introduced in our Constitution ?

A) 52nd Amendment Act, 1985
B) 52nd Amendment Act, 1986
C) 52nd Amendment Act, 1987
D) 52nd Amendment Act, 1988

70 Under which Article of Indian Constitution, 'That there is equal pay for equal work for both men and women' ?

A) Article 39(b)
B) Article 39(c)
C) Article 39(d)
D) Article 39(e)

71 The average weight of 10 people sitting on a boat is 70 Kg If one person gets up, the average weight of remaining people is 75 Kg What is the weight of the person who got up from the boat ?

A) 25 Kg
B) 30 Kg
C) 35 Kg
D) 40 Kg

72 Praveen has Rs 4,662 in the form of 2, 5 and 10 rupee notes If these notes are in the ration of 3 5 8, the number of five rupees notes with him is -

A) 336
B) 250
C) 210
D) 84

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Direction (Qs. 73– 77): These questions consist of a related pair of words, followed by four pairs of words. Choose the pair that best represents a similar relationship as the one expressed in the given pair of words:

73 **Malapropism : Words**

A) Anachronism Time
B) Ellipsis Sentence
C) Jinjanthropism Apes
D) Catechism Religion

74 **Tax : Exemption**

A) Crime Punishment
B) Disease Immunity
C) Trial Forfeit
D) Fine Money

75 **Pliant : Rigid**

A) Petulant Adulterated
B) Moist Wet
C) Excessive Overgrown
D) Crass Refined

76 **Dulcet : Raucous**

A) Sweet Song
B) Crazy Insane
C) Palliative Exacerbating
D) Theory Practical

77 **Sanderling : Bird**

A) Water Fish
B) Frog Toad
C) Cat Mare
D) Mastiff Dog

78 Examine the following numbers and identify the next number
45, 43, 40, 36, 31 25,

A) 17
B) 23
C) 29
D) 18

79 In the series of alphabets given below, which is the missing alphabet series ?
AX, DU, GR, ____, ML

A) JN
B) JO
C) IK
D) HQ

80 Some groups of letters are given, three of them are alike in some manner, while one is different Find out the odd one out

A) BQPR
B) AOCQ
C) IWKY
D) ESGU

Direction (Qs. 81–83): Below is given a statement followed by two conclusions numbered I and II. You have to assume everything in the statement to be true, then consider the two conclusions together and decide which of them logically follows beyond a reasonable doubt from the information given in the statement.

81 **Statement** : The old order changed yielding place to new
Conclusions :
I Change is the law of nature
II Discard old ideas because they are old

A) Only conclusion I follows
B) Only conclusion II follows
C) Either I or II follows
D) Both I and II follow

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82 **Statement** : Population increase coupled with depleting resources is going to be the scenario of many developing countries in days to come

Conclusions :

I The population of developing countries will not continue to increase in future

II It will be very difficult for the governments of developing countries to provide its people decent quality of life

A) Only conclusion I follows
B) Only conclusion II follows
C) Either I or II follows
D) Both I and II follow

83 **Statement** : The TV programmes telecast specially for women are packed with a variety of recipes and household hints A major portion of magazines for women also contains the items mentioned above

Conclusions :

I Women are not interested in other things

II An average woman's primary interest lies in home and specially in the kitchen

A) Only conclusion I follows
B) Only conclusion II follows
C) Either I or II follows
D) Both I and II follow

Direction (Qs. 84–87): Choose the exact meaning of the idioms/phrases -

84 **To play truant**

A) To make a narrow escape
B) To run away from work without permission
C) To be clever
D) None of these

85 **To flog a dead horse**

A) To do a thing in vain
B) To act in a foolish way
C) To criticize strongly
D) Try to revive Merest in a subject that is out of date

86 **To play truant**

A) To make a narrow escape
B) To run away from work without permission
C) To be clever
D) None of these

87 **Gift of the Gab**

A) Gift for hard work
B) Gift underserved
C) Gift from unknown person
D) Gift of being a good conversationalist

88 Contours on a map show places having same -

A) Temperature
B) Pressure
C) Altitude
D) Topography

89 What is shown with the help of isobars ?

A) Humidity
B) Pressure
C) Temperature
D) Elevation

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90 What is the relationship between solar day and sidereal day ?

A) There is no relationship between the two
B) Solar day is shorter than sidereal day
C) Both are equal
D) Solar day is longer than sidereal day

91 Evergreening of Patents means -

A) Granting patents in perpetuity
B) Granting patents for 100 years
C) Patenting the forest products
D) Granting protection to incremental inventions having no substantial significance

92 Arunachal Pradesh was established in the year

A) 1985
B) 1987
C) 1989
D) 1992

93 The Aji Lhamu is a folk dance of which tribe

A) Adi tribe
B) Apatani tribe
C) Nishi tribe
D) Monpa tribe

94 When was established Namdapha National Park ?

A) 1984
B) 1974
C) 1954
D) None of these

95 By which name outer/sub Himalayan range are called in Arunachal Pradesh ?

A) Shivalik Hills
B) Mishmi Hills
C) Cachar Hills
D) Barail range

96 Which one is the largest district in Arunachal Pradesh ?

A) Kurung Kumey
B) Upper Dibang Vally
C) West Kameng
D) Upper Siang

97 Which is the Arunachal Pradesh State Flower ?

A) Marigold
B) Lady Slipper Orchid
C) Rhododendron
D) None of these

98 Medical jurisprudence is another name of -

A) Forensic Science
B) Forensic Medicine
C) Philosophy of Medicine
D) Medical Criticism

99 A sudden secretly planned attempt to remove a government by force is -

A) Reflation
B) Relic
C) Requisition
D) Putsch

100 In some primitive tribes an alleged offender is made to walk on a network of red hot iron rods If he burns himself, it is taken as guilty and killed and if he crosses the network unharmed he is taken as innocent and is acquitted This method of trial is called -

A) Trial by Ordeal
B) Trial by God
C) Trial by Conscience
D) Arbitrio Judicis

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