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**Q.1) 'Sanrakshan Kshamta Mahotsav' is associated with which of the following ministries?**

- a) Ministry of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises
- b) Ministry of Panchayati Raj
- c) Ministry of Petroleum & Natural Gas
- d) Ministry of Renewable Energy

**Q.1) Solution (c)**

It is an annual flagship event of Petroleum Conservation Research Association (PCRA) under the aegis of Ministry of Petroleum & Natural Gas

Source: <http://www.pib.nic.in/Pressreleaseshare.aspx?PRID=1560145>

**Q.2) Nodal Ministry for 'Government e-Marketplace' is**

- a) Ministry of Commerce & Industry
- b) Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology
- c) Ministry of Finance
- d) Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers' Welfare

**Q.2) Solution (a)**

Government e-Marketplace (GeM) is a one stop portal to facilitate online procurement of common use Goods & Services required by various Government Departments / Organizations / PSUs.

Read More - <http://pib.nic.in/newsite/PrintRelease.aspx?relid=157610>

**Q.3) The 'Manu Smriti' mainly deals with**

- a) Social order
- b) Economics
- c) State-Craft
- d) Laws

**Q.3) Solution (d)**

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### Manu Smriti

- It is an ancient legal text.
- It was one of the first Sanskrit texts translated during the British rule of India in 1794, by Sir William Jones and used to formulate the Hindu law by the colonial government.

**Q.4) Which of the following factors is/are evidence of [Sea floor spreading](#)?**

1. Eruptions of molten material
2. Magnetic stripes in the rock of the ocean floor
3. Ages of the rocks at mid ocean ridges

**Select the appropriate option**

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

**Q.4) Solution (d)**

All the statements are correct and an evidence of sea floor spreading.

**Q.5) Which of the following countries enjoy a permanent seat on the [Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank](#) (AIIB) board of directors?**

1. India
2. China
3. Japan

**Select the correct code:**

- a) 1 and 2
- b) 2 and 3
- c) 2 Only
- d) All of the above

**Q.5) Solution (a)**

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India is the only country apart from China to enjoy a permanent seat on the Bank's board of directors.

Source: <https://www.thehindu.com/opinion/op-ed/hitting-its-stride/article26006692.ece>

