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**Q.1) 'Kawal Wildlife Sanctuary' is located in**

- a) Andhra Pradesh
- b) Karnataka
- c) Telangana
- d) Kerala

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

Kawal Tiger Reserve is located at Jannaram mandal of Mancherial District (Old Adilabad district) in Telangana state of India. Govt of India declared Kawal wildlife sanctuary as Tiger Reserve in 2012. The reserve is the oldest sanctuary in the northern Telangana region of the state.

This sanctuary is catchment for the rivers Godavari and Kadam, which flow towards the south of the sanctuary.

**Q.2) 'Make Listening Safe' Initiative is associated with**

- a) NITI Aayog
- b) WHO
- c) UNEP
- d) WEF

**Q.2) Solution (b)**

Make Listening Safe: A WHO initiative to promote safe listening practices

- WHO-ITU Global standard for safe listening devices and systems. ...
- Communication campaign for safe listening. ...
- Develop a regulatory framework for control of exposure to sound in entertainment venues.

Read More - <https://www.who.int/deafness/make-listening-safe/en/>

**Q.3) Consider the following statements with respect to 'RIPE Project'**

1. It is a translational research project that is genetically engineering plants to photosynthesize more efficiently to increase crop yields

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2. It is led by the Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR)

### Select the correct statements

- a) 1 Only
- b) 2 Only
- c) Both 1 and 2
- d) Neither 1 nor 2

### Q.3) Solution (a)

Realizing Increased Photosynthetic Efficiency (RIPE) is a translational research project that is genetically engineering plants to photosynthesize more efficiently to increase crop yields. RIPE aims to increase agricultural production worldwide, particularly to help reduce hunger and poverty in Sub-Saharan Africa and Southeast Asia by sustainably improving the yield of key food crops including soybeans, rice, cassava and cowpeas. The RIPE project began in 2012, funded by a five-year, \$25-million dollar grant from the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation.

### Q.4) Consider the following statements with respect to 'Department of Management, Strategy, Policy and Compliance (DMSPC)'

1. It aims to provide strategic policy leadership in all areas of management through a clear, integrated global management strategy and policy framework.
2. It will represent the Secretary-General in the relevant intergovernmental/interagency bodies and staff-management mechanisms.

### Select the correct code:

- a) 1 Only
- b) 2 Only
- c) Both 1 and 2
- d) Neither 1 nor 2

### Q.4) Solution (c)

DMSPC will provide strategic policy leadership in all areas of management through a clear, integrated global management strategy and policy framework. It will champion, drive and support a results-oriented and risk-aware culture of continuous learning and accountability

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and promote innovation in business models throughout the Secretariat, with a strong focus on the field. The Department will work closely with the Department of Operational Support (DOS), across the entire Secretariat, to implement the Secretary-General's vision for a new management paradigm.

The Department will represent the Secretary-General in the relevant intergovernmental/interagency bodies and staff-management mechanisms. Budgetary and financial reporting, as well as human resources policy and strategy, including conduct and discipline, will be consolidated in DMSPC. The new department will provide a feedback loop to Secretariat entities for their continuous improvement.

Read More - <https://www.un.int/news/management-reforms-introducing-dmspc>

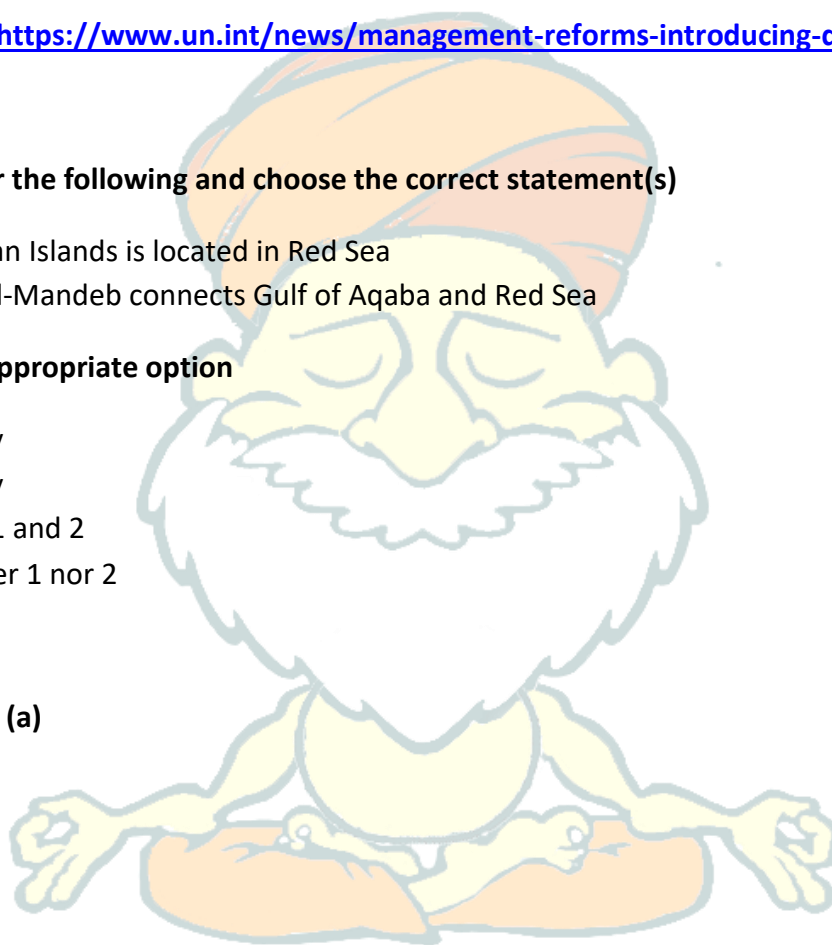
**Q.5) Consider the following and choose the correct statement(s)**

1. Farasan Islands is located in Red Sea
2. Bab-el-Mandeb connects Gulf of Aqaba and Red Sea

**Choose the appropriate option**

- a) 1 Only
- b) 2 Only
- c) Both 1 and 2
- d) Neither 1 nor 2

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



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