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**Q.1) 'Strangers to Justice' Report is published by**

- a) International Court of Justice (ICJ)
- b) International Criminal Court (ICC)
- c) Commonwealth Human Rights Initiative (CHRI)
- d) The Justice Project

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

Source: <https://www.thehindu.com/news/cities/Delhi/bringing-home-closer-to-jailed-foreigners/article28979789.ece>

**Q.2) Which of the following pairs is/are correctly matched?**

**Dams                  State**

- 1. Idukki - Kerala
- 2. K.R.Sagar – Tami Nadu
- 3. Srisailam – Andhra Pradesh

**Select the correct code:**

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

**Q.2) Solution (c)**

Idukki - Kerala

K.R.Sagar – Karnataka

Srisailam – Andhra Pradesh

Source: <https://www.thehindu.com/news/national/rains-shore-up-fortunes-of-reservoirs-in-10-days/article28979616.ece>

**Q.3) Consider the following statements with respect to 'Truthfully labelled seeds'**

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1. It refers to self-certified seeds by cultivators and private seed companies.
2. It is banned in India under the Seed Act 1966

**Select the correct statements**

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

**Q.3) Solution (a)**

**Truthfully labelled seeds**

It is the category of seed produced by cultivators, private seed companies and is sold under truthful labels. This type of seeds does not come under the purview of the Department of Seed Certification, but field standard and seed standard should be maintain as per seed act and certified seed stage. Under the seed act, the seed producer and seed seller are responsible for the seed. Truthful labelling is compulsory for notified kind of varieties and it is tested for physical purity and germination.

Source: <https://www.thehindu.com/business/agri-business/certification-of-seeds-to-be-made-mandatory-to-step-up-farm-output/article28979417.ece>

**Q.4) Which of the following statements is/are correct?**

1. Aviation turbine fuel (ATF) under the ambit of the goods and services tax (GST) for big commercial jetliners is capped at 18%.
2. GST for airlines that operate on routes chosen for the Udey Desh ka Aam Naagarik (UDAN) scheme is capped at 5%.

**Select the correct statements**

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

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

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Aviation turbine fuel (ATF) is not under the GST regime.

Source: <https://www.thehindu.com/business/draft-policy-on-logistics-ignores-express-industry/article28977685.ece>

**Q.5) Consider the following statements with respect to 'Holding together federalism'**

1. A country decides to divide its power between the constituent States and the national government is known as holding together federalism.
2. United States of America is an example of 'Holding together federalism'.

**Select the correct statements**

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

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

When a large country decides to divide its power between the constituent States and the national government, it is known as Holding together federalism (INDIA). Independent states come together on their own to form a bigger unit, it is known as Coming together federalism (USA).

Source: <https://www.thehindu.com/news/national/the-forms-of-federalism-in-india/article28977671.ece>

