

Final Answer Key of 19th LawFoyer Quiz Competition on Indian Constitutional Law

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By the 42nd Amendment Act 1976 which of the following words was NOT added in the Preamble of the Constitution:

- ☐ a. Secular
- ☐ b. Socialist
- ☒ c. Sovereign ✓
- ☐ d. Integrity

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The Indian Constitution was adopted by the Constituent Assembly on:

- ☐ a. 26th January 1950
- ☐ b. 26th January 1949
- ☒ c. 26th November 1949 ✓
- ☐ d. 15th August 1947

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In which of the following cases the Supreme Court held that Preamble is NOT a part of the Constitution:

- ☐ a. A.K. Gopalan Case
- ☒ b. Berubari Union Case ✓
- ☐ c. Minerva Mills Case
- ☐ d. A.K. Antony Case

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Under which Article of the Constitution Parliament can create a new State:

- ☒ a. Article 3 ✓
- ☐ b. Article 4
- ☐ c. Article 5
- ☐ d. Article 368

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If "A", who is a Citizen of India, voluntarily gained Citizenship of USA, then which of the following will be true:

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- ☐ a. A's dual citizenship will be valid under Article 9
- ☐ b. A's citizenship of USA will be cancelled under Article 9
- ☒ c. A's citizenship of India will be cancelled under Article 9 ✓
- ☐ d. A's citizenship of both India and USA will be cancelled under Article 9

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Which of the following is NOT a fundamental right recognised under Indian Constitution?

- ☐ a. Right to Clean and Healthy Environment
- ☒ b. Right to Property ✓
- ☐ c. Right to Enforce Constitutional Remedies
- ☐ d. Right to Protection against Effects of Climate Change

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Right against Self-Incrimination is recognised under which of the following Articles:

- ☐ a. Article 20 (1)
- ☐ b. Article 20 (2)
- ☒ c. Article 20 (3) ✓
- ☐ d. Article 20 (4)

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Which of the following are INCORRECT in context of Article 14 of the Indian Constitution:

Statement 1: Every restriction is imposed over Article 14 for the purpose of “classification” must satisfy the test of reasonableness.

Statement 2: A restriction on Article 14 becomes reasonable when there is “intelligible differentia” in alleged classification and such differentia shall have a direct nexus with the object sought to be achieved.

- ☐ a. Statement 1 is Incorrect.
- ☐ b. Statement 2 is Incorrect.
- ☐ c. Both the Statements are Incorrect.
- ☒ d. None of the Statements is Incorrect. ✓

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The writ of *certiorari* can be issued against:

- ☐ a. A person exercising purely administrative powers
- ☐ b. Against a Minister
- ☒ c. Against a Quasi Judicial or Judicial Authority ✓
- ☐ d. None of the above

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In which of the following cases “Right to Trade on Pavements” was recognised as a Fundamental Right?

- ☐ a. Sukumar Mukherjee v. State of Bengal
- ☐ b. Fertilizer Corporation Worker's Union Syndri v. Union of India
- ☐ c. P.A. Inamdar v. State of Maharashtra
- ☒ d. Sodan Singh v. New Delhi Municipal Committee ✓

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Which of the following is not “law” under Article 13 of the Indian Constitution?

- ☐ a. Ordinance
- ☐ b. Rules
- ☒ c. Government Circular ✓
- ☐ d. Notification

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Which of the following is NOT a subset of Article 14

- ☐ a. Right to Equality before Law
- ☐ b. Right to Equal Protection of Law
- ☐ c. Right to Protection of Rule of Law
- ☒ d. Right to Prohibition of Discrimination on the basis of Caste, Gender, Sex ✓

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How many amendments till date have been made to the Indian Constitution?

- ☐ a. 103
- ☐ b. 104
- ☐ c. 105
- ☒ d. 106 ✓

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"Right to Life under Article 21 includes the right to enjoyment of pollution free water" is expressed in

- ☐ a. Mathew v. State of Bihar, AIR 1984 SC 1854
- ☒ b. Dr. B.L. Wadhwa v. Union of India, AIR 1996 SC 2969 ✓
- ☐ c. Sher Singh v. State of Punjab, AIR 1983 SC 465
- ☐ d. Farooq v. Union of India, AIR 1990 SC 1597

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Which part of the Indian Constitution declares the idea of Welfare state?

- ☐ a. Fundamental Rights
- ☒ b. DPSP ✓
- ☐ c. Preamble
- ☐ d. None of the Above

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Which of the following is NOT a criteria for election as a President of India?

- ☐ a. Should be citizen of India
- ☐ b. Should be atleast 35 years of age
- ☐ c. Should be qualified for election to the House of the People
- ☒ d. He should be elected as a member of House of the People ✓

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Who elects the Vice President of India?

- ☐ a. Members of the Parliament
- ☒ b. Members of both the Houses of Parliament ✓
- ☐ c. Elected Members of Lok Sabha
- ☐ d. Elected Members of Lok Sabha and Rajya Sabha

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Under the Indian Constitution, in performance of his duties, Attorney General for India shall have the right to audience:

- ☐ a. Only Supreme Court
- ☐ b. Only in the High Courts
- ☒ c. In all the Courts of India ✓
- ☐ d. Only in Supreme Court and Tribunals established by Central Government

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Who among the following is NOT appointed by the President of India?

- ☐ a. Governor of the State
- ☐ b. Chief Justice of the High Court
- ☐ c. Chief Justice of Supreme Court of India
- ☒ d. Vice President ✓

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Which Article of the Constitution says that the law declared by the Supreme Court shall be binding on all courts within the territory of India?

- ☒ a. Article 141 ✓
- ☐ b. Article 139A
- ☐ c. Article 140
- ☐ d. Article 142

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The law declared by the Supreme Court is binding on all courts in India, but is not binding on itself was held in which of the following cases:

- ☐ a. Indira Nehru Gandhi v. Raj Narain
- ☐ b. Madhav Rao Scindia v. Union of India
- ☒ c. Bengal Immunity Co. Ltd. v. State of Bihar ✓
- ☐ d. Both (a) and (b)

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Control over District Courts and Subordinate Courts is vested in the High Court by article:

- ☐ a. Article 233
- ☐ b. Article 234
- ☒ c. Article 235 ✓
- ☐ d. Article 236

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Part IX of the Constitution of India dealing with Panchayats was inserted in the Constitution by:

- ☐ a. 71st Amendment
- ☐ b. 72nd Amendment
- ☒ c. 73rd Amendment ✓
- ☐ d. 74th Amendment

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Which article makes Hindi in Devnagri Script as the Official Language of the Union?

- ☐ a. Article 342
- ☒ b. Article 343 ✓
- ☐ c. Article 344
- ☐ d. Article 345

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Which of the following is an essential part of "Rule of Law" and "Independence of Judiciary"?

- ☒ a. Judicial Review ✓
- ☐ b. Impartial Appointment of Judges
- ☐ c. Impeachment
- ☐ d. Original Jurisdiction of Supreme Court

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Article 340 of the Indian Constitution deals with:

- ☒ a. Backward Classes Commission ✓
- ☐ b. Election Commission
- ☐ c. UPSC
- ☐ d. Finance Commission

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The chief election commissioner can be removed from his office:

- ☐ a. By the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court
- ☐ b. By the President
- ☐ c. On the basis of Resolution of the Cabinet
- ☒ d. Right to Basis of Proved Misbehaviour by 2/3rd Majority of Both Houses of the Parliament ✓

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Provision for Administrative Tribunals was added in the Constitution of India by amendment:

- ☒ a. 42nd ✓
- ☐ b. 46th
- ☐ c. 36th
- ☐ d. 78th

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The Supreme Court held that to the extent Article 323A and 323B exclude the jurisdiction of the Supreme Court under Article 32 and High Courts under Article 226 are unconstitutional, was held in:

- ☐ a. Sampath Kumar v. Union of India, 1987
- ☒ b. L.Chandra Kumar v. Union of India, 1997 ✓
- ☐ c. S.K. Sharma v. State of Bihar, 1950
- ☐ d. L. Nandan Kamath v. State of Orissa, 1951

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Article 301 of the Constitution is related to:

- ☐ a. Right to Property
- ☐ b. Right of Civil Servants
- ☐ c. Money Bill
- ☒ d. Freedom of Inter-State Trade ✓

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In India, the right not to be deprived of the property save by the authority of law is a:

- ☒ a. Constitutional Right ✓
- ☐ b. Fundamental Right
- ☐ c. Statutory Right
- ☐ d. Common Law Right

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The doctrine of "Full Faith and Credit" is enshrined under which of the following Articles of the Indian Constitution:

- ☒ a. Article 261 ✓
- ☐ b. Article 368
- ☐ c. Article 148
- ☐ d. Article 256

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In which among the following cases, the Supreme Court CANNOT exercise the original jurisdiction:

- ☐ a. Dispute between two or more states
- ☐ b. Between Government of India and one or more states
- ☒ c. Inter-State Water Dispute ✓
- ☐ d. Between Government of India and States on one side and one or more states on the other side

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Under which Article of the Constitution the Inter-State Council is constituted?

- ☐ a. Article 254
- ☐ b. Article 260
- ☒ c. Article 263 ✓
- ☐ d. Article 267

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No person shall be appointed as a District Judge unless he has been practicing as an Advocate for not less than:

- ☐ a. 10 years
- ☐ b. 5 years
- ☒ c. 7 years ✓
- ☐ d. 12 years

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Who administers Oath to the Governor of a State?

- ☐ a. President of India
- ☐ b. Prime Minister of India
- ☐ c. Chief Minister of the State
- ☒ d. Chief Justice of High Court of that State ✓

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Who among the following is considered as the custodian of Lok Sabha?

- ☐ a. Prime Minister
- ☐ b. Leader of the Opposition
- ☐ c. Chief Wip of the Ruling Party
- ☒ d. Lok Sabha Speaker ✓

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For the purpose of hearing any reference under Article 143 of the Constitution, the minimum number of judges of Supreme Court who are to sit for the purpose shall be:

- ☐ a. 3
- ☒ b. 5 ✓
- ☐ c. 7
- ☐ d. 9

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Chief Justice of India can hold office upto the age of:

- ☐ a. 55 years
- ☐ b. 68 years
- ☐ c. 60 years
- ☒ d. 65 years ✓

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In its landmark judgment in 2024, the Supreme Court of India upheld the constitutional validity of sub-classification within Scheduled Castes for reservation purposes. Which of the following previous judgments was overruled by this decision?

- ☐ a. Indra Sawhney v. Union of India (1992)
- ☒ b. E.V. Chinnaiah v. State of Andhra Pradesh (2004) ✓
- ☐ c. State of Madras v. Champakam Dorairajan (1951)
- ☐ d. M. Nagaraj v. Union of India (2006)

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In which of the following cases did the Supreme Court of India, for the first time, recognize the right to be free from the adverse effects of climate change as a fundamental right under Articles 14 and 21 of the Constitution?

- ☐ a. M.C. Mehta v. Kamal Nath (1997)
- ☐ b. Subhash Kumar v. State of Bihar (1991)
- ☒ c. M.K. Ranjitsinh & Others v. Union of India & Others (2024) ✓
- ☐ d. Vellore Citizens Welfare Forum v. Union of India (1996)

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Which Article contains special provision as to Money Bill?

- ☐ a. 108
- ☐ b. 109 ✓
- ☒ c. 110 ✓
- ☐ d. 111

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Free Legal Aid is defined in which Article of the Constitution:

- ☐ a. Article 29A
- ☒ b. Article 39A ✓
- ☐ c. Article 49A
- ☐ d. Article 59A

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Uniform Civil Code for Citizens is provided under which Article:

- ☒ a. Article 44 ✓
- ☐ b. Article 45
- ☐ c. Article 46
- ☐ d. Article 47

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The appropriate writ issued by court to quash appointment of a person to a public office is that of:

- ☐ a. Prohibition
- ☒ b. Quo Warranto ✓
- ☐ c. Certiorari
- ☐ d. Mandamus

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Which of the following cases is related to the "Carry Forward Rule"?

- ☐ a. Maneka Gandhi v. Union of India
- ☒ b. Devdasan v. Union of India ✓
- ☐ c. Pradeep Tandon v. State of U.P.
- ☐ d. None of the Above

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The Protection of Civil Right Act 1955 is read with which article of the Constitution:

- ☐ a. Article 14
- ☐ b. Article 15
- ☐ c. Article 16
- ☒ d. Article 17 ✓

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The provision of preventive detention is mentioned under which article of the Constitution:

- ☐ a. Article 20
- ☒ b. Article 22 ✓
- ☐ c. Article 23
- ☐ d. Article 24

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Judicial Review of 9th Schedule of the Indian Constitution has been made permissible by:

- ☐ a. Keshavanandan Bharati v. State of Kerala
- ☐ b. M. Nagraj v. Union of India
- ☐ c. Minerva Mills v. Union of India
- ☒ d. I.R. Coelho v. State of Tamil Nadu ✓

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"Capital Punishment is not violative of Article 21 of the Indian Constitution" has been held in:

- ☐ a. Mithu v. State of Punjab
- ☒ b. Bachan Singh v. State of Punjab ✓
- ☐ c. Bhikaji v. State of M.P.
- ☐ d. Smt. Gian Kaur v. State of Punjab

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Petitions to the Supreme Court are subject to res judicata except:

- ☐ a. Quo Warranto
- ☒ b. Habeas Corpus ✓
- ☐ c. Certiorari
- ☐ d. Prohibition

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As per Article 21A state shall provide free and compulsory education to all the children of the age of:

- ☐ a. Six to Ten Years
- ☐ b. Six to Twelve Years
- ☒ c. Six to Fourteen years ✓
- ☐ d. Six to Eighteen Years

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Which one of the following is NOT the ground on which reasonable restrictions can be imposed on right to freedom of speech and expression:

- ☐ a. Security of the State
- ☐ b. Public Order
- ☐ c. Morality
- ☒ d. Public Policy ✓

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Who can impose reasonable restrictions on fundamental rights of Members of Armed Forces:

- ☐ a. Supreme Court
- ☒ b. Parliament ✓
- ☐ c. President
- ☐ d. All of the Above

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The right to have a lawyer of one's choice is expressly stated in:

- ☒ a. Article 22 ✓
- ☐ b. Article 21
- ☐ c. Article 39A
- ☐ d. None of the Above

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Which of the following is NOT a fundamental right guaranteed under Article 19 of the Indian Constitution:

- ☐ a. Freedom of Speech and Expression
- ☐ b. Freedom of Form Associations or Unions
- ☐ c. Freedom to Reside and Settle in any part of the territory of India
- ☒ d. Freedom of Self Determination ✓

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Which of the following is NOT mentioned in the Preamble of the Constitution:

- ☐ a. Social Justice
- ☐ b. Political Justice
- ☐ c. Economic Justice
- ☒ d. Religious Justice ✓

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In the case of *Shreya Singhal v. Union of India*, which of the following Articles are held to be violated by section 66A of the Information Technology Act, 2000:

- ☒ a. Article 19 ✓
- ☐ b. Article 14
- ☐ c. Article 21
- ☐ d. All of the Above

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Which among the following is true regarding amendments of the constitution with provisions which affect the federal character of the constitution?

- ☐ a. They can be amended by a simple majority
- ☐ b. They can be amended by a 2/3 majority of both the houses of parliament
- ☒ c. They can be amended by not only a 2/3 majority of the parliament but also ratification by at least 1/2 of the states ✓
- ☐ d. All are correct

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Which one of the following Union Territories has been granted with partial statehoodship?

- ☒ a. Puducherry ✓
- ☐ b. Daman and Diu
- ☐ c. Dadra and Nagar Haveli
- ☐ d. Lakshadweep