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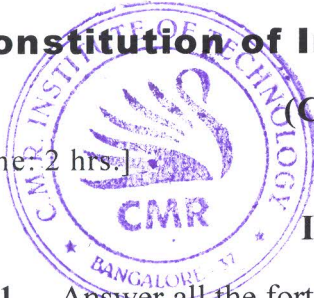
First/Second Semester B.E Degree Examination, Dec.2018/Jan.2019

Constitution of India, Professional Ethics & Human Rights

(COMMON TO ALL BRANCHES)

Time: 2 hrs.

[Max. Marks: 40



INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATES

1. Answer all the forty questions, each question carries one mark.
2. Use only **Black ball point pen** for writing / darkening the circles.
3. **For each question, after selecting your answer, darken the appropriate circle corresponding to the same question number on the OMR sheet.**
4. Darkening two circles for the same question makes the answer invalid.
5. **Damaging/overwriting, using whiteners** on the **OMR** sheets are strictly prohibited.

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1. The Indian constitution has the distinction of - - - -
a) the world's largest written constitution
b) the world's smallest written constitution
c) the best constitution in the world
d) one of the oldest constitution in the world
 2. Which among the following was not a part of the original preamble of the constitution of India?
a) sovereign b) Democratic c) secular d) republic
 3. How many categories of fundamental rights are guaranteed in part III of the constitution?
a) 7 b) 5 c) 4 d) 6
 4. The Bijoe Emmanuel V/s State of Kerala (the National Anthem Case) was a case, where the supreme court of India interpreted the fundamental right, freedom to / of - - - -
a) assemble peacefully and without arms
b) speech and expression
c) move freely through the territory of India
d) associations or unions
 5. Which among the following was the fundamental right added to the constitution by an amendment in 2002?
a) right to freedom
b) right to education
c) freedom to assemble peacefully and without arms
d) freedom to practice any profession

6. The constitutional goal of formulating the directive principles of state policy was to make India into a - - - -
- a) welfare state
b) police state
c) military state
d) constitutional monarchy
7. In which case did the supreme court of India hold that children below the age of 14 years cannot be employed in any hazardous industry, mines or other work?
- a) Sarla Mudgal v/s union of India
b) M.C. Mehta v/s state of Tamil Nadu
c) T.M.A Pai v/s state of Karnataka
d) S.R. Bommai v/s union of India
8. Article 51(A) of the constitution specifies a code of - - - fundamental duties for citizens.
- a) 10
b) 12
c) 11
d) 9
9. Article 41, which directs the state to provide opportunities to enjoy maternity care and relief comes under the - - - - of DPSP
- a) social and economic charter
b) social security charter
c) community welfare charter
d) potential freedoms charter
10. The DPSP, as per Article 37 of the constitution are - - - -
- a) justiciable
b) non-justiciable
c) partially justiciable
d) none of these
11. The constitutional head of the Indian state is - - - -
- a) the prime minister
b) the president
c) the council of ministers
d) the chief justice of India
12. The president of India can exercise - - - -
- i) Executive and military powers
ii) Diplomatic and legislative powers
iii) Ordinance making powers
iv) Judicial and emergency powers
- a) i & ii
b) iii & iv
c) i & iii
d) i, ii, iii, & iv
13. The prime minister of India must be - - - -
- a) a member of the Lok Sabha
b) a member of the Rajya Sabha
c) a member of either of the two houses
d) None of these
14. The Rajya Sabha is also known as - - - -
- a) the council of ministers
b) the council of people
c) the council of states
d) the lower house
15. The power to interpret and safeguarded the constitution is vested with - - - -
- a) the parliament
b) the president
c) the chief justice of India
d) the supreme court of India
16. Which among the following is NOT a qualification to become the Governor of a state?
- a) She/He must be a citizen of India
b) She/He must have attained the age of 35 years
c) She/He shall be a member of either union or state legislature
d) She/He shall not held any office of profit at the time a appointment

17. It is the prerogative of - - - - to choose the council of ministers of state legislature
a) the chief minister
b) the governor
c) the speaker
d) the leadr of the opposition
18. How many India states have a bi-cameral legislature at present?
a) 5
b) 6
c) 7
d) 8
19. Disputes related to elections are primarily settled by the - - - -
a) subordinate courts
b) high courts
c) supreme court
d) election commission
20. Abolition of untouchability is mentioned in Article - - - - of the Indian constitution
a) 17
b) 19
c) 18
d) 275
21. National commission for scheduled castes and scheduled Tribes shall have the powers of a
a) criminal court
b) tribunal
c) civil court
d) high court
22. The intervening period between two sessions of a state legislature shall not be more than
a) 3 months
b) 4 months
c) 1 month
d) 6months
23. Which among the following is not an institution meant to safeguard the laws aimed at empowering women?
a) National Human Rights Commission
b) National Commission For Women And Children
c) The Parliament
d) Family Courts
24. What is prohibited by Article 24 of the constitution?
a) child labour
b) traffic in humans
c) child marriage
d) punishing children who committed heinous crime
25. The present chairman of National Human Rights Commission is - - - -
a) K.G. Balakrishnan
b) H.L. Dattu
c) Venkata Chelliah
d) Santhosh Hegde
26. The chief election commissioner can be removed from his/her office by - - - -
a) an order of the president
b) an executive order by the parliament
c) impeachment by the parliament
d) the supreme court
27. - - - - is not a function of the election commission
a) selecting candidates for political parties
b) preparing electoral rolls
c) conducting elections
d) counting of votes and declaration of results
28. Fundamental rights and DPSP can be amended by - - - -
a) simple majority in the parliament
b) two-third majority in the parliament
c) two-third majority in the parliament with ratification by half of the state legislatures
d) none of these

29. Fundamental duties were added to the constitution by the - - - - -
 a) 44th Amendment Act of 1978 b) 73rd Amendment Act of 1993
 c) 77th Amendment Act of 1995 d) 42nd Amendment Act of 1976
30. Indian constitution is - - - - -
 a) rigid b) flexible
 c) partly rigid and partly flexible d) partly written and partly unwritten
31. One of the aims of studying engineering Ethics is to - - - - -
 a) inspire engineers acquire in depth knowledge in the engineering field
 b) stimulate moral imagination
 c) acquire new skills in engineering testing
 d) encourage research in engineering
32. The basis of or reference point for professional ethics is - - - - -
 a) common morality b) personal morality
 c) business ethics d) social morality
33. The skill and habit of thinking independently and rationally about ethical issues on the basis of moral concern is referred to as - - - - -
 a) moral integrity b) moral consistency
 c) ethical awareness d) moral autonomy
34. Which among the following is NOT an impediment to professional responsibility?
 a) courage b) fear c) self-deception d) microscopic vision
35. Causing harm without aiming to cause harm but acting in conscious awareness that harm is likely to result is referred to as - - - - - causing harm
 a) intentionally b) recklessly c) negligently d) inadvertently
36. The use of intellectual property of others without their permission or credit is - - - - -
 a) trimming b) cooking c) plagiarism d) forging
37. Which among the following is not an attitude towards responsibility in engineering?
 a) reasonable care b) good works c) minimalist d) idealistic
38. The question "What is 'safety' and how is it related to 'risk'?" is an example of - - - - - inquiry
 a) conceptual b) factual c) normative d) descriptive
39. When one is in a professional relationship - - - - - is supposed to take precedence over personal morality
 a) social morality b) common morality c) professional ethics d) religious morality
40. Which among the following are part of the umbrella virtue called professional responsibility?
 a) self-direction virtues b) public spirited virtues
 c) teamwork virtues d) all of these

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