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1. What percentage of India's geographical area is covered by forests according to the India State of Forest Report 2023?

- a) 21.76%
- b) 25.17%
- c) 18.94%
- d) 28.32%

2. Which state showed the highest increase in forest cover according to the India State of Forest Report 2023?

- a) Gujarat
- b) Odisha
- c) Mizoram
- d) Rajasthan

3. What is the total mangrove cover in India as per the India State of Forest Report 2023?

- a) 4,500 sq km
- b) 4,992 sq km
- c) 5,210 sq km
- d) 3,870 sq km

4. Where was India's first bio-bitumen-based National Highway stretch inaugurated?

- a) Mumbai, Maharashtra
- b) Mansar, Nagpur, Maharashtra
- c) Surat, Gujarat
- d) Pune, Maharashtra

5. Which Indian Prime Minister was conferred Kuwait's "Order of Mubarak Al Kabir"?

- a) Atal Bihari Vajpayee
- b) Narendra Modi
- c) Manmohan Singh
- d) Indira Gandhi

6. Who has been appointed as the Chairperson of the UN Internal Justice Council?

- a) Justice Dipak Misra
- b) Justice Madan B. Lokur
- c) Justice Ranjan Gogoi
- d) Justice Sharad Arvind Bobde

7. What was the theme of National Farmers Day (Kisan Diwas) in 2024?

- a) Sustainable Farming for All
- b) Empowering 'Annadatas' for a Prosperous Nation
- c) Agriculture: The Backbone of India
- d) Farmers' Rights and Resilience

8. When is National Mathematics Day celebrated in India?

- a) December 20
- b) December 21
- c) December 22
- d) December 23

9. What key role did Tashi Namgyal play in the 1999 Kargil War?

- a) He acted as a negotiator.
- b) He alerted the Indian Army about Pakistani intrusion.
- c) He led a rescue operation.
- d) He provided logistical support.

10. Which warships were handed over to the Indian Navy as part of self-reliance efforts?

- a) INS Vikrant and INS Viraat
- b) Surat and Nilgiri
- c) Kolkata and Chennai
- d) Vikramaditya and Mysore

11. Who has been appointed as the Senior Policy Advisor for Artificial Intelligence by President-elect Donald Trump?

- a) Sundar Pichai
- b) Sriram Krishnan
- c) Elon Musk
- d) Abhijit Majumder

12. Which prestigious award was conferred upon PM Narendra Modi by Kuwait?

- a) Order of the Niger
- b) Order of Mubarak Al-Kabeer
- c) Bharat Ratna
- d) Grand Commander of Kuwait

13. Who has been appointed as the CFO of Oil India in December 2024?

- a) Rupam Barua
- b) Sriram Krishnan
- c) Abhijit Majumder
- d) Nitin Gadkari

14. What is the theme of National Consumer Rights Day 2024?

- a) Digital Justice for All
- b) Virtual Hearings & Digital Access to Consumer Justice
- c) Consumer Empowerment Through Technology
- d) Fair Trade Practices in the Digital Era

15. What significant milestone was achieved by the INS Nilgiri warship?

- a) First of Class (FoC) ship of Project 17A
- b) World's largest warship

- c) Equipped with nuclear weapons
- d) Built entirely with imported technology

16. What was the source material for India's first bio-bitumen-based National Highway stretch?

- a) Fossil fuels
- b) Agricultural stubble
- c) Recycled plastics
- d) Bamboo

17. Who was posthumously honored with the Lifetime Achievement Award by the Asia Pacific Vascular Society?

- a) Dr. Vishakha Tripathi Ji
- b) Dr. N. N. Khanna
- c) Dr. Sriram Krishnan
- d) Dr. Jagadguru Kripalu Ji Maharaj

18. What is the name of the book released on the life of Justice A. N. Grover?

- a) Legacy of a Judge
- b) The Unyielding Judge
- c) Constitutional Champions
- d) Justice for All

19. Where was India's first bio-bitumen highway stretch inaugurated?

- a) Pune, Maharashtra
- b) Mansar, Nagpur, Maharashtra
- c) Surat, Gujarat
- d) Jabalpur, Madhya Pradesh

20. When is National Consumer Rights Day celebrated in India?

- a) December 22
- b) December 23
- c) December 24
- d) December 25

Answer Keys:

1. **Answer:** b) 25.17%
2. **Answer:** c) Mizoram
3. **Answer:** b) 4,992 sq km
4. **Answer:** b) Mansar, Nagpur, Maharashtra
5. **Answer:** b) Narendra Modi

6. **Answer:** b) Justice Madan B. Lokur
7. **Answer:** b) Empowering 'Annadatas' for a Prosperous Nation
8. **Answer:** c) December 22
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18. **Answer:** b) The Unyielding Judge
19. **Answer:** b) Mansar, Nagpur, Maharashtra
20. **Answer:** c) December 24