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COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION FOR RECRUITMENT TO POSTS IN BPS-17 UNDER THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT, 2008

GENERAL KNOWLEDGE PAPER-II (CURRENT AFFAIRS)

TIME ALLOV	NED:	
(PART-I)	30 MINUTES	MAXIMUM MARKS:20
(PART-II)	2 Hours & 30 Minut	esMAXIMUM MARKS:80

NOTE:

- (i) First attempt Part-I (MCQ) on separate Answer Sheet which shall be taken back after 30 Minutes.
- (ii) Overwriting/cutting of the options/answers will not be given credit.

PART-I (MCQ) (COMPULSORY)

- Q.1. Select the best option/answer and fill in the appropriate box on the Answer Sheet. (20)
- i. Transparency International is based in:
- a. New York
- b. London
- c. Berlin
- d. None of these
- ii. The largest source of electricity generation in Pakistan comes through:
- a. Thermal
- b. Hydel
- c. Coal
- d. None of these
- iii. Pakistan's largest export partner is:
- a. Saudi Arabia
- b. America
- c. Japan
- d. None of these

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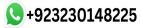
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- iv. India is constructing Kishanganga Dam in: a. Jammu b. Sri nagar c. Baramula d. None of these v. WAFA is the news agency of:
- a. Syria
- b. Jordan
- c. Egypt
- d. None of these
- vi. Former US Vice-President Al Gore has won Noble Peace Prize 2007 for his campaign against:
- a. Child Labour
- b. Human Rights Violations
- c. Global Warming
- d. None of these
- vii. May 3, each year is Internationally observed as:
- a. World Environment Day
- b. Human Rights Day
- c. Press Freedom Day
- d. None of these
- viii. The World's largest producer of Uranium is:
- a. Australia
- b. Canada
- c. South Africa
- d. None of these
- ix. The district of the country having lowest population density is:
- a. Khuzdar
- b. Kalat
- c. Kharan
- d. None of these
- x. Qantas is an airline of:
- a. USA
- b. Australia
- c. Singapore
- d. None of these

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- xi. The first Muslim Nobel Laureate was:
- a. Anwar Saadat of Egypt
- b. Yasser Arafat of Palestine
- c. Abdus Salam of Pakistan
- d. None of these
- xii. Darfur conflict is in:
- a. Somalia
- b. Sudan
- c. Liberia
- d. None of these
- xiii. Parachinar is the main town of:
- a. Khyber Agency
- b. North Waziristan
- c. South Waziristan
- d. None of these
- xiv. One US Barrel oil is equal to:
- a. 20 litres
- b. 30 litres
- c. 50 litres
- d. None of these
- xv. Ringgit is the currency unit of:
- a. Singapore
- b. Philippines
- c. Malaysia
- d. None of these
- xvi. Pakistan is the Chairman of:
- a. Non-Aligned Movement
- b. SAARC
- c. Group of 77
- d. None of these
- xvii. The First President of America who made an official visit to Pakistan was:
- a. Richard Nixon
- b. Dwight D. Eishenhower
- c. Lyndon B Johnson
- d. None of these

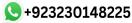
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xviii. The 'Aid to Pakistan Consortium" meet every year in:

- a. London
- b. New York
- c. Paris
- d. None of these
- xix. General Michael Hayden is the:
- a. President of Chile
- b. Defense Secretary of United States
- c. Commander NATO's force in Afghanistan
- d. None of these
- xx. Which of the following International Organizations has no formal structure and Secretariat?
- a. Green Peace
- b. D-8
- c. G-8
- d. None of these

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PART-II

NOTE:

- (i) Part-II is to be attempted on the separate Answer Book.
- (ii) Attempt ONLY FOUR questions from PART-II. All questions carry equal marks.
- (iii) Extra attempt of any question or any part of the attempted question will not be considered.
- Q.2. The rise of religious extremism and militancy has become a major challenge to Pakistan's internal stability and promotion of democracy. Elaborate. (20)
- Q.3. The amicable solution of Siachen glacier and Sir Creek maritime boundary disputes might harbinger the settlement of the core issue of Kashmir between Pakistan and India. Discuss. (20)
- Q.4. Why Pakistan is desperately seeking full-fledged membership in the Shanghai Cooperation Organization? (20)
- Q.5. Discuss the potential challenges Pakistan is facing in the WTO regime. (20)
- Q.6. Discuss the various dimensions of Pakistan US relations in the wake of Pakistan's playing the role as a frontline state against International terrorism. (20)

Q.7. How far India factor is responsible for the present state of Pakistan-Afghanistan relations? Analyze. (20)

Q.8. Write notes on any TWO of the following: (10+10)

- a. NATO's expansion is Eastern Europe
- b. SAFTA
- c. Afghanistan is SAARC
- d. Great Game in Central Asia
- e. Palestine issue.



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