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DEFENCE & STRATEGIC STUDIES (July 2018)
PAPER - II

Note : This paper contains hundred (100) objective type questions of two (2) marks each. All questions are compulsory.

1. According to Carl Von Clausewitz, which one of the following is not the main object of warfare :
 - (1) To conquer and destroy the armed power of the enemy.
 - (2) To take possession of his material and other sources of strength.
 - (3) To bring cease-fire.**
 - (4) To gain public opinion.

2. Identify the correct code for the following Assertion (A) and Reason (R).
Assertion (A) : National resources constitute one of the most important elements of National Power.
Reason (R) : A country rich in natural resources is only potentially powerful.
Code :
 - (1) Both (A) and (R) are wrong.
 - (2) (A) is wrong, but (R) is correct.
 - (3) (A) is correct, but (R) is wrong.
 - (4) Both (A) and (R) are correct and (R) is the logical explanation of (A).**

3. Identify the correct code for the following Assertion (A) and Reason (R) :
Assertion (A) : Multi-national corporations often argue for neglecting the concept of 'sovereignty'.
Reason (R) : They argue because they believe in free flow of capital.
Code :
 - (1) (R) is the appropriate explanation of (A).**
 - (2) (A) is the appropriate explanation of (R).
 - (3) Both (A) and (R) are not correct.
 - (4) Both (A) and (R) are correct.

4. Who among the following stated that "I strongly believe, a soldier should be on border rather than standing in court for Justice" ?
 - (1) A.K. Antony
 - (2) Arun Jaitley
 - (3) Nirmla Sitaraman
 - (4) **Manohar Parrikar**

5. Which one of the following Bilateral Naval Exercise has been conducted between India and Singapore ?
 - (1) Malabar
 - (2) **Simbex - 17**
 - (3) Ausindex - 17
 - (4) Varuna

6. Match the following Strategic Thinkers in List – I given below with their respective domain of doctrines in List – II with the help of code given below :

List – I (Strategic Thinkers)	List – II (Doctrines)
(a) Alfred Mahan	(i) Guerilla Warfare
(b) Halford' Mackinder	(ii) Air power
(c) Mao Tse Tung	(iii) Sea power
(d) Douhet	(iv) Geopolitics

Code :

- (a) (b) (c) (d)
(1) (ii) (i) (iv) (iii)
(2) (iii) (iv) (i) (ii)
(3) (iv) (ii) (iii) (i)
(4) (i) (iii) (ii) (iv)

7. Match the following Authors in List – I with their books in List – II and use the code given below :

List – I (Authors)	List – II (Books)
(a) Krishna Rao K.V.	(i) India's China War
(b) John Adams	(ii) Nuclear Doctrine for India
(c) Neville Maxwell	(iii) The Next World War
(d) Raja Menon	(iv) Prepare or Perish

Code :

- (a) (b) (c) (d)
(1) (iii) (ii) (iv) (i)
(2) (i) (ii) (iii) (iv)
(3) (iv) (iii) (i) (ii)
(4) (ii) (iv) (i) (iii)

8. Which one of the following assumptions does not characterize the "Detente" during 1960s and 1970s of the Cold War era :

- (1) Easing of Cold War tensions between the USA and the erstwhile Soviet Union.
(2) Improved relations between the USA and the erstwhile Soviet Union.
(3) The release of tensions heralded improvement in relations between the US and the erstwhile Soviet Union, but differences in outlook led to an increasing number of conflicts.
(4) The Western and Eastern European allies of the two super powers also experienced detente and better cooperation during this period.