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CHAPTER: 4

I. CHOOSE THE CORRECT OPTION

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1. **Persons below the poverty line in India are classified as such based on whether**
 - a. They are entitled to a minimum prescribed food basket.
 - b. They get work for a prescribed minimum number of days in a year.
 - c. They belong to agricultural labourer household and the scheduled caste/tribe social group
 - d. Their daily wages fall below the prescribed minimum wages
2. **Absolute poverty means**
 - a. Poverty in terms of absolute number of people
 - b. Poverty in terms of the basic minimum calorie requirements
 - c. Poverty in terms of the prevailing price level
 - d. Poverty in terms of the absolute level of unemployment
3. **Which State has the maximum number of people living below the poverty line?**
 - a. Bihar b. Madhya Pradesh c. Maharashtra d. Uttar Pradesh
4. **The maximum income level per month of a household to be called below the poverty line in India is**
 - a. Rs. 200 b. Rs. 300 c. Rs. 500 d. Rs. 700
5. **In our country which of the following affects poverty line the most?**
 - a. Level of prices b. Production quantum c. Per capita income d. Quantum of gold reserve
6. **Which one among the following is the type of poverty which compares the total wealth of the poorest one-third of the population with the total wealth of richest 1% of the population?**
 - a. Absolute poverty b. Severe poverty c. Relative poverty d. Mass poverty
7. **Among the following who are eligible to benefit from MGNREGA?**
 - a. Adult members of only SC and ST households
 - b. Adult members of BPL households
 - c. Adult members of households of all backward communities
 - d. Adult members of any households
8. **Pradhan Mantri Jan Dhan Yojna has been launched for**
 - a. Providing housing loan to poor people at cheaper interest rates
 - b. Promoting women's Self Help Groups in backward areas
 - c. Promoting financial inclusion in the country
 - d. Providing financial help to the marginalized communities
9. **Which of the following programme was launched in the year of 2000?**
 - a. National Rural Employment Guarantee Act.
 - b. Prime Minister Rozgar Yojana
 - c. Swarna Jayanti Gram Swarozgar Yojana
 - d. Pradhan Mantri Gramodaya Yojana.
10. **Who is considered as poor?**
 - a. Landlords b. Landless labourer c. A rich farmer d. Businessman
11. **Which of the following is an indicator of poverty in India?**
 - a. Income level b. Illiteracy level c. Employment level d. All of these
12. **Which of the following is a major reason for the lack of effectiveness of targeted anti-poverty programmes?**
 - a. Lack of proper implementation
 - b. Lack of right targeting

- c. Overlapping of schemes
 - d. All of the above
- 13. For how many days NREGA provides employment?**
- a. 70 b. 80 c. 90 d. 100
- 14. Which of the following is not a valid reason for the poverty alleviation programme in India?**
- a. Lack of proper implementation
 - b. Lack of right targeting
 - c. Overlapping of schemes
 - d. Corruption at the highest level
- 15. Which of the following is not considered as a social indicator of poverty?**
- a. Less number of means of transport
 - b. Illiteracy level
 - c. Lack of access to health care
 - d. Lack of job opportunities
- a. All

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