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Q.1) "The recent judgement of the Supreme Court on Section 377 of IPC presented a new vision of equality that is truer and more faithful to the Constitution's trans-(10 Marks, 150 Words) formative character." Comment.

Supreme court in its judgement quashed Section 377, Hus decriminalizing Homosexualty er in Nortej Singh Johal care

A new vision of equality:

- -> Willend discrimination against
- -> Give them equal rights, similar to rust of society
- -> Freedom of choice, Right to sexual
- -> Equality of opportunities
- -> Spirit of frotunity and brotherhood in the society

Tower and more faithful to Constitutional's transformative character:

-> Dynamic Constitutionalism, where supreme

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Court reversed it's Noz foundation judgement

- -> Right to life (Article 21). The judgement exponds the ombit of Right to life FOX LYBT
- -> Social justice mondated under DPSPs are sured
- -> Reinforces the belief that Constitution is not just for majorities lut also minorities
- > An acceptance of our multicultural society and diversity -> Strengthens. Availe 14 2 Availe 15

Some steps

- -> Personal lows amended for including LGBT community
- -> Gender sensitization, Societal oworeness We should follow Togyakasta principles in case of LUBT

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Q.2) "Gender justice, as a value, seems to have become vulnerable to pragmatic politics." In light of the recent controversy, critically evaluate the statement.

Gender Justice means empowering women (10 Marks, 150 Words) and tronsgendess socially, economically and politically.

For Justice to Muslim women

> 33% reservations in local bodies for women

Positives

> Gender Budgeting, with 33%. alloted to women beneficiaries

-> Successful initiatives like Beli Bachao Beli Padhao, Swach Bharat, lukonya Somriddhi

with equal enrollment ration

-) Lows like sexual Harassment at Workplace,

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	Dronsgender lill yet to be possed  As per fice, 25% componies have constituted Internal Complaint Committee	
Negatives	Women representation only around 11% in Parliament	
│ \ as	Despite laws against hapen, I per NCIRB, hapes increased by 127. In 2016	
(	Issues like khap ponchayat May Manoj-Bobli (killing) Poeticide remains	
(Lay), Re	suration in Parliament udge behaviour au per Economic Survey trive for SDG 5 (Gender equality)	
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**Q.3)** Special provisions given to various states and region in our constitution signifies the principle of federalism which is unique to India. Discuss.

(10 Marks, 150 Words)

Indian (one titution promotes our 'Unity in Diversity' through special provisions for states and regions

Special provision

- 1) States

  Article 371 provides autonomy for oreas like Maharashtra, Gujarat, Nagaland etc.

  Fig. Nagaland has Tevensong Hill Council
- 2) 6th schedule states are provided outonomy to protect their sulture, in Assom, Tripura, Mizoram, Meghaloya
- 3 GST Louncid con provide special assistance to states, og Discuster/Colomity central kerola
- 4) Finance Commission recommends Special Assistance for Special Category States

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PESA has been provided for autonomous administration of tribal regions

- Advisory Council provided in the
  sth and the schedule
  eg. Gorkhaland Territorial
  Administration
- 3) Governor has special responsibility towards tribal regions, L4 for
- (a) Several regional councils like 3 onal councils and North Eastern Council, Interstate council etc

Hences our Councilitation promotes federalism ly accomodating direce interest

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Q.4) Reservations has become a mere tool for employment generation and power-sharing rather than a means of social justice as envisaged in the Constitution. Discuss with reference to reservation policy in India. (10 Marks, 150 Words)

Reservations were into duced through

17th and 85th constitutional Amendment

for social upliftment of leachward classes

propplyment for backwards

propositive

Reservation > A level playing field

Reservation A level playing field

Social justice of As per Ambedkar, social
empowerment leads to others
bile economic and political
Wider representation in
government

However, it has mesely become a tool foh:

D'Employment generation

Privates sector job crisis has
led to demands for reservation

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- · Growing agricultural distress has made huge population unemployed, eg Gujjaha Gulaliliam from outsiders tor jobs,
- · Competition from outsiders toe jobs, eg. Mars that has led to demands.
- Reservation is being used by opportuning of the politics based on communal bolitics
  - · Growing vote bonk, roste bosed polofils
  - · led to musile power and money bower bosed politics.

Even Lokul committee said that reservation has not benefitted lower strata

for Creamy Loyer as directed by

Supreme Court in Journal Singh

(GAR.

- Private sector job exection

We must look at reservation for social empowerment.

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Q.5) Do you agree that exposure to media especially social media has affected vot-(10 Marks, 150 Words) ing behaviour and political preferences in India?

Social media like Twitter and forebook has affected the political discourse.

[Impact]

Voting behoviour

Positive impact

- · Citizens are making informed thoices, by scrutinizing perform
- · led to wider reach of elections through steps like SVELEP
- . led to a level playing field amongst parties
- · Grossroot democro y

- Negative impact · Dato mining like Combridge onalytica to decide voting preferences
  - · tead led to voting bosed on propaganda rother than muit
  - · Paid news has offerted voting behaviour
    - · fake news offected voting pattern

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#### Political prefuences

Positive

- · People are voting on the bosses of perform -ance of parties
- · Better scroting, leading to more accountability on behalf of parties
- · Has led to wider voter swareness

Negative

- · Social media hous led to develop of personality cult of leaders nother than merit
  - · Political preferences

    are becoming

    shaped by partical
    with larger social
    media presence
  - · Social media remains outside Model Code (MCL)

Way

recommended social medica recommended social medica as a part of MCC > Voluntary Code of Ethics for social media

Hence social media can be 4th pillar of

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Role

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Q.6) A special emphasis has been given to the private sector in the major health programs in India. Examine the role of the private sector in achieving the goal of a healthy India. What are the steps taken by the government in this regard?

(10 Marks, 150 Words)

To achieve SD43, private sector participation con be a major deal breaker.

> To Financial support: Considering India spends only 1.5.70f GDP on health, private sector con provide finance

> Better quality of infrastructure like hospitals, screening centres, diagnostic.

-) Con oddrew issues like doctor shortages lead to innovations like digital health, daugs, new Varrines.

However, there are issues:

- 1) High cost of treatment
- a Private hospitals unwilling to serve

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	Difficult to private hospi	enforce accounts bility in fals as is with government			
	Government Steps	overprescription, unnecessary  te  Agushman Bhalat has  private hospital participation  NITI Agyog has dreen  exploring PPP models  for distant hospitals  Tota developing digital  dashboard for PM Jan  Aarogya Yojana	n		
		private hospitals			
	Other steps like 2.57. GDP on health (National Health Policy) or Public Health Monogement cadre can improve health outcomes & lead to phosperous India				
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Q.7) The recently amended the Motor Vehicle Act prioritises road safety by fixing accountability for not just an individual driving the vehicle but all the stakeholders (10 Marks, 150 Words) involved in road safety. Comment.

As ju WHO, India has the highest number of deaths due to Good accidents. Hence, Motor Vehicle Act can

Prioritzes Road sofety by

D Accountability for individual driving!

Mandatory 31 party insurance
of vehicles

- · Increases penalty for accidents · Protects good sometitans
- · Establishes Driving schools
- · Motor vehicle fund for compensation
- of victims
- · Phovision of cashless treatment of victims
- · Penalty for violation of traffic

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- 3 other stakeholders
  - · Centse con recol vehicles if found defective (accounts bility of can manufact -tures)
  - · Centre to prescribe norms for toni
    aggrégators
  - · A National Road Safety organization to look into issues related to road safety
  - A National Transportation Policy to fix accountability at different levels individual, state and centre

Other steps like -> checking coosuption by
traffic police

-> use of IT like speedometer,
ccTVs on Roods & highways.

odhere la Brazilia declaration

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Q.8) India's need for energy security and connectivity to Eurasia, requires India's engagement in the Central Asia region not only at the bilateral level but also at a (10 Marks, 150 Words) collective level. Analyse.

As per Economic Jury, growing energy demand onnually at 6-77. requires India to look at options. Also, growing economy requires better connectivity to Eurasian regions.

me region is lond locked Issues Dominance of China and -> Lack of owareness on both sides -> Growing regional instability.

Central Asia for

DEnergy > Kozokhostan has Unanium

Security > Taylustan has hydropowel

potential Los Mongolia has wal vil -> Tuskmenistan has oil reserves.

-> Deposits of rare earth metals for mo

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INTC to connect with Centeral Asia Connectivity India become a member of Asyholat Agreement Chahlas post for gelting

Chahlas post for gelting

Al bilatural level Europe

T. 1

- 1 India participating in TAPI pipeline

  1 India investing in Mongolia is Dorgnovi province fu vil

At collective level

- 1) India held it's first dialogue with Central Assa
- 2) Plotforms like SCO

Hence, India is increasingly growing its footprint in Central Asia

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Q.9) Shanghai Cooperation Organisation with China and Russia as dominant powers have different views on defining terrorism, views about India - Pakistan bilateral issue and engagement with western countries. In this context, discuss how India can use SCO as an effective platform to address her needs.

(10 Marks, 150 Words)

sco is a political, millitary and economic Organization compusing India, China, Russia, Pakistan, Central Asians tike uz békiston

Diffumt views

Terrorism: Chino and Russia more concerned with Talilon over India's interests like Josish and LeT

Indic-Pokiston: Chino supports Pokistan on ferrorism stand & Kashmir Poke Russia has also been softeni -ng its stonce on kashmit

Engagement. Both are wary of Western with west hoegemony, China involved in trade war, USA has imposed seed sonctions of Russia. Hence both are wary of India's growing proximity to West

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# Indio con use SCO as:

- Dette beloteral issue with Pokiston, China through Lisloque, trust building measures
- (2) Fight against terrorism using sco platforms like IRATS
- 3) India con increase its presence in Central Asia using INSTC agreement
- Better trade, connectivity, people to people contact
- (5) Sco becomes important considering the declining status of WTD UN etc.

  The declining status of WTD UN etc.

  Ond con be used to fight West dominance

Issues like China's assertiveness, trust definit needs to addressed for better outcomes

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Q.10) India's role as Net Security Provider' in the Indian Ocean region to be effective requires a productive multilateral forum. Evaluate. (10 Marks, 150 W

Indian Ocean has gained importance due to facts like -> 80% oil trade through Indian Ocean choke points

-> Hocks like ASEAN

-> Blue economy

-) India's Act east

Lock of connectivity

- China's assextiveness

Growing Lande disaster Junate change

-> Growing terrorism (Wohobiism), sea biracy

Multilateral forum for Net Security's Phovides:

- 1 Declining /Stagnating SAARC. has less to a need for productive forum. BIMSTEC con provide the way
- a) Groups like Guad con counter china

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(3) 10 RA con help achieve better coordination between nations, disasterme Coordination Asso Africa Growth Corridor, RCEP con lead to trade & oppostunities.	nogement
(5) It will help oddress terroquism, ea MILAN exercise of BIMSTEC	
Countries like the sauci 11500 on help preisurize Pakiston	
(3) Nations like Iron (Chambar fort) will help in energy security (8) Form like BBIN con enhance connectivity	
topping the live economy potential	
1) Towst / Confidence lew lding	
India is has oppostunity to be a se superpower in the region.	
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Q.11) Governance in India has aligned with the ideologies of 'major political system'. Critically examine in the post-independence era. (15 Marks, 250 Words)

Mayor Political System

- ( ) (ongress era

  · Absolute majority

  · Lock of coal from

  · let to distatorship like
  emergency, forced sterilization

  · Socialism become major

  Ideology lesting to bank

  hationalization.
- · Presenting sight wing ideology · Fows on digital revolution

However, it has not just been major
polifical systems like

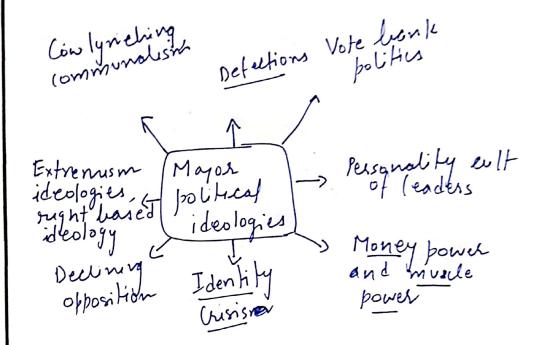
-> Coolition polifics

-> Appeasement, populism

-> Regional pasties

-> Unstable government

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Q.12) Cooperatives in India are important as they provide sustainable development to the agriculturists by developing infrastructure and providing support facilities. Discuss the role played by NCDC in promotion of cooperatives. Also, examine the challenges faced by the cooperative sector in India. (15 Marks, 250 Words)

(coperatives were introduced by 97th Amendment Act under Article 1x-13. Also, cooperative formation is a fundamental Right under Article 19.

Support to farmers, eg

AMUL for dairy farmers.

Support to farmers, eg

AMUL for dairy farmers.

Support facilities blice market

lin kages, warehouses, credit

This warehouses against shoulds.

NCDC is on organization formed to support cooperative sector in India.

It has played roles -:

Financial support: Providing credit facilities to cooperatives for their Jeouth

- skilling: NCDC has been undertaking skilling of members for better productions
- better market linkages for better returns for members
- -> New technology in fields of Grestock farming
- Women empowerment, eg NCDC supposts SENGOS like SEWA working for women empowerment in this sector.
- 4) Yuva shankar scheme for entrepheneurship

However, challenges faced are:

ond awareness amongst the farmers begarding this sector

Challenges

-> Growing form distress, declining income

- Agriculture not a remunerative profession.

-> Credit erunch due to growing NPAs.

-> Mismanagement, corruption

To old and obsolete technology > lower remuneration due to obsence of markets, trader castelization > Bureaucratic delays in registration of cooperatives - Absence of smal entreprenuship
Government interference, aparmy NABARD should provide usedit suppost -> Krishi Vigyaan Kendras for skilling -> e-NAM -> Model Contract forming and Model Agriculture and livestock Marketing Act to be passed Cooperative Sector Should be strengthened for rural prosperity

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Q.13) The doctrine of Constitutional morality has resulted in various progressive decisions by the Supreme Court but it has the potential to result in Judicial overreach. Examine.

(15 Marks, 250 Words)

Constitutional Morslity principle meens using the vision of social, economic and political justice to bring positive reforms in society

Constitutional Morality

- 1) Solvannalo con e: Supreme Loust allowed women devotees into saharimala temple.
- (3) Section 377 : Decriminalized Section 377,
  thus promoting Right to
  equality and Right to
  freedom
- 3 section 497: Struck down Adultary
  phovision as it was
  unionstitutional and against
  women's freedom
- 4) Triple Talog: SC quashed Triple Talog
  in Shoyara Bono case

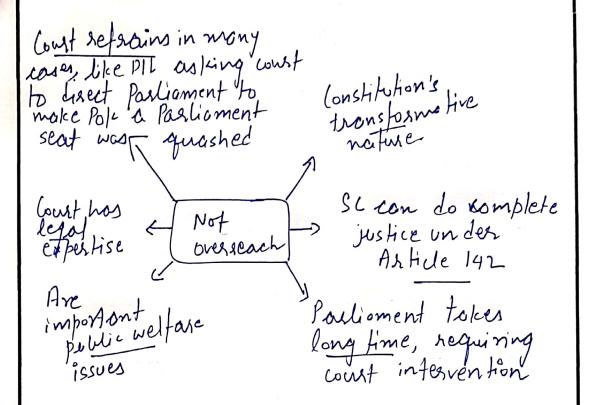
- (5) Other socially progressive judgements like Vishaka guidelines.
  - -> Supreme Loust exercising the powers of legislature, eg. Vishoka judgement

s supreme court using PIL to direct Pauliament to frame laws.

Possibility
of overseach

-> Against separation of bowers.

- onti-social elements who would hause supreme court to get laws on social issues being passed
- -> Sc lacks the ter expertise, also, it is not a democratically elected institution
- May reduce toust in Parliament



Hence, while Constitutional Morality requires Court to do complete justice, it should avoid infringing legislatuse

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Q.14) Does the anti-defection law serve any purpose? Critically Analyse.

Anti Defection law was introduced by the 52nd amendment act and is in the 10th Schelie of the Constitution

Provision

- 1) Any member joining any other party offer election is disqualified
- (3) Independent conditates who join party one disquotified
- 3 Nominated member joining party after 6 month is Lisquelified
- 4) It a member abstrains from voting as per party directions, he is disgustified
- (5) Split by less than 73 majority disquolifie

It has indeed served purpose

1 Checked Ayo Rom Gayo Rom polities where pomembers would frequently shift parties

- 1 lead to stability in political system
- (3) lead to party so discipline
- 4 Convergence of members on key issues and policies
- (5) Maintained votexis toust, who vote for a particular party ideology

P) led to party ductatorship

P) Against Right to free

Speech of Varlisment

members

Stifled dissent even on chould policies

Reduced the hole of legil degislators, thus against separation of powers between executive and legislature

> Reduced coller individual responsibility and only leads to indi collective responsibility -> Speaker exercising judicial Failures role against separation of powers -) Failed to check visin like recent Karnataka tavet vote Od Goa MLA horse trading Allowing Split by 2/3 rd members discriminatory ARC recommends defection to be used only when government in danger - Dinesh Goswami recommended antidefection only in cases of confidence I no confidence Hence, Anti defection should be assed as a tool for political stability Feedback (For OFFICE use only) Structure Content Question Interpretation Total:

Q.15) Discuss the challenges faced by Central Information Commission in implementing the Right to Information Act (RTI Act). Critically analyse the provisions altered in RTI Amendment Act 2019. Also, suggest policy measures to strengthen the flow of information to the public.

(15 Marks, 250 Words)

Ad was introduced in 2005 to provide information to public, disclose public official information voluntarily, thus promoting trasparency, accountability, citizen participation, grassroot democracy and reduce corruption - hack of voluntary Listosure as per Transparency Audit by CIC > As per state Information Commission Report, 80%. Plos don't know busics of RTI Challenges - Lack of financial resources with cli -> Lack of inforastructure like typewhiters -> Lack of statesupport -> Poor quality of information, poor record monagement, delays

RTI Amendment

- O Central Government to decide terms of levices, allowonce of Information (ommissioners
- 1) Their status reduced vis-a-vis Election Commission

r) Centre con provide required finances for proper working

Positive

Negatives

-> Centre con enforce compliance ly states

entre will have authority to penalize inaction by PIOS

-) Central interference will impact independence

-) Centre will avoid disclosure based on its interests and discretion

Ly Against separation of powers, conflict of interest for CIC

-, May lead to further delay in appointment

Election commission may reduce its authority to force Lata from government offices

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Way

- 1) CIC should be given constitutional status
- (1) ARC recommends

Centre should housten appointment of PIOS

· Regional offices of CIC

· 1% allocation of budget for infraster -cluse of cic

· Rationalizing Second Schedule of

RT1 including Armed Forces

· Better necose monagement using 17

3 Expenses under RTI should be charged under Consolidate d'fund as

(a) Capacity building of PIOs.

RTI is a tool of free speech and hence, CIC as guardian of RTI should be empowered

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Q.16) What do you understand by Non-Communicable Diseases? Bring out the so-cio-economic determinants of Non-Communicable diseases in India. Enumerate the measures taken by the government in this regard. (15 Marks, 250 Words)

Non Communicable diseases are consed by genetic or lifestyle factors and occur over a long duration of time. They are generally non trasmittable between humans and include diseases like Strokes, Asthma, Obesity, Cardiovascular, Concer etc

NCD accounts for 66% deaths in India, and as per WEF, India looses \$4-5 trillion due to NCDs

Social factors

Drook nutsition levels, as per date, 38.47. Suffer from stunting, 51.7. Women Anaemic thus increasing vulnerability

- (2) Low awareness due to illiteracy
- 3 Poor sonitation like open defecation
- (9) Women nutrition neglected, impacting children due to patrias chal mindset
- 5 Declining lifestyle like exercises junk foods.
- 6 Youth addiction to drugs, alcohols.

# Economie factors

- Derverty: 40% Indians below poverty line, thus reducing expenditure on health
- Asound 60% health is out of podcet expenditure, thus distincentivising people
- 3 Increasing work stress at offices
- (9) Government spends only 1.27. on health, leading to poor health infrastructure. like hospitals, screening centres

Aychmon Bharat has an NCD IT Job Hon

PNotional Health photile direct reducing premature MCD mostality by 25%.

India traffied WHO Global Monitoring and Prevention framework for NCDs

-) Government Emplementing
National Program for Bevention
and Londhol of Concer, Strokes
and Cardio rascular disease
(NPCDCS)

Ending NCD should be our tanget through further steps like yoga healthy foods awareness etc to achieve our SDG on health

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Q.17) Unhealthy competition between self-help group (SHG) and Panchayat Raj Institutions (PRI) reduces the effectiveness of both. Discuss. How can creating a synergy between the two help in addressing development challenges at the sub-district level? (15 Marks, 250 Words)

Self Health Groups include a paoup of 15-20 members who come together for social uplifment of members.

PRI are took of local governance introduces through 73rd and 74th amendment

> plifting out of poverty /> Insurance against shocks

-> Rural entrepreneuship

Women empowerment (90% SHG

-) Granstoot democracy Address regional/local issues need 1 337. women reservation

(political justice)

-) Rural development

/ Unhealthy competition

- (1) Competition for finances from State government
- (2) SHGs often out as a premuse groups on local government, thus obstoucting their functioning
- (3) Competition for control over individual resources like land.

Unhealthy competition has ledto:

- → overlopping juris dictions → obstauctionist tendencies
- -) financial such
- -) social breakdown
- -) less fous on rural uplitment
- -) misplaced priorities

Hence, it has reduced the effectiveness of SH4 and PRI as took of local empowerment.

-) Women empowerment through participation r) Lonvagence of plans by SH4 and BEI PRI strengthen financial resources of both combined -) boadinated approach \_ Better targeting of local problems Better scheme implementation Blue MNRECA Hence steps like > AR ( recommends capacity luilding > SHG-Bank Unkage Programme This will help us truly achieve our vision of decentralized governance. Feedback (For OFFICE use only) Structure Content Question Interpretation Total:

Q.18) The provisions of the Fifth and Sixth Schedule of the constitution has given some essential powers to the lower levels of government in order to cater to the needs of the tribal community. Discuss while examining the modern-day challenges faced by the institutions set up under the fifth and the sixth schedule.

(15 Marks, 250 Words)

5th and 6th Schedule of constitution has been framed to provide more contanomy

5th schelule

- & Applies to Schedule Areas
- · Some essential powers like
  - -> Provision of Tribal Advisory
  - -> Governor can declare that certain laws of centre and State do not apply
  - -> Governot has special responsibility for Governance
  - Tribes Advisory Council con malce certain law for protecting local culture.

(6th Achelule)
'Applies to areas like Assom, Tripura,
Meghalaya and Mizoram

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· Special powers like -> Awtonomous district Council (ADC) for Total governance -> Governol to have special responsi lilities -) PDC son mole lows related to failed lending, taxes, land related etc. r, such councils lacks expertise to take developmental initiatives > States do not devolve enough powers and find Modern day -> High Governor intereference Challenges against autonomy I've whether he should act independity or on odvice of Council of Ministers -> Councils suffer from mismarragement, fund misappropriation

Challenges

Underrepresented, some tribes lack representation Buseaucratic hus des.

More autonomy -> bodification of tribal laws Juidelines for objectifying Governor's hole

for the 5th & 6th schedule areas

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Q.19) Regional Comprehensive Economic Partnership (<u>RCEP</u>) becoming a reality will help in furthering the aims and objectives of India's own <u>Act-East Policy</u>. Analyse. Also, enumerate the challenges that had hindered the formation of RCEP.

(15 Marks, 250 Words)

RCEP in a FTA between ASEAN and nation like India, China, Japan, South Korea, New Zeoland and Australia.

Help further our Act East :

- Development of North Fast

  RCEP will lead to letter investment,

  connectivity in North Fast states, Hus

  promoting economic development
- ASEAN expertise in monutacturing and global market linkages can help India.

  Also, ASEAN will help our export sector like Textiles, Services, IT etc.
- 3) Softpower ASE RCEP helps India expand it's

softpower through without contacts, tourism

- 9 Countering China.

  RCEP con help counter Chino's BRI
  and debt trop diplomacy
- 5) Indus-Pacific convergence

  RCEP can help India assume leading hole in Indo Pacific. by collaborating with like minded nations like Japan
- Miscallaneous areas like Blue economy, energy security (DNGC in Vretnam), polymetallic nodule from Indian Oceans, fisheries sector etc
- F) Stagnatic SAARC and bodies like WTO requires India to look further to RCEP and be part of Asian Century

Issues

1) Issue of China's role, as most nations have opproved of BRI

- (2) Connectivity Pesues with ASEAN, delays in IMT highway
- 3 Issue over services deal, where India
  is demanding free movement of
  our service sector profesionals while
  nest are opposing
- (a) Issue of terrorism, Rohingys crisis
- (3) Towst deficit between nations like Chino-Vietnam over South China sea
- 6 Difference in status, like Japan and China are major conomies unlike many ASEAN
- Findials huge trust deficit with ASEAN, threat to its MSME from cheap imports etc. has been a roadblock.

RCFP should be strengthened through confidence building measures, diplomatic meets, transparent deals to improve economic prosperity of region

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Q.20) Elaborate on the contribution of Atal Bihari Vajpayee and Sushma Swaraj towards India's foreign policy. Also, discuss the changing dynamics of India's foreign policy over the years.

(15 Marks, 250 Words)

Atal Bihari Vaypayee and our former PM and Bush me swaraj (External Affairs Minister) had various contributions to our foreign policy

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-> lontidence lui lding measure in kashmir through kashmiriyat, slogen

-> Conducted Pokharan test for Nuclear determence

Compassionate Diplomacy Like helping Pakistanis get medical Visa

-) Better diplomatic relations

· Held 1st India-Central Asia Lialogue

· Invited to Olement despite Palaiston objection

though steps like MADAD,

Phavosi Bharatiya Yojana

# Changing Lynamics

- 1) Policy of NAM to mountain distance with superpowers during Cold was
- @ Better relation with uss R through friendship treety
- 3 India's nuclear fast led to sanctions by the west
- (4) Gradually, USA-India signed strategic Girlian Nuclear deal
- (3) Dehyphenation Policy between Israel and Jews. Palestine
- 6 Toking China into confidence through Whon Spirit Hence, China supported our Masood Azhar han
- Flowing strategic alliances like Guad, Molobar exercise, enlike our earlier NAM
- 8 Policy of offensiveness against Pakistan like Surgical strikes, Balakot au strike over earlier con defensive approach

With changing foreign policy India has been aiming for un permanent seat, thus becoming a global power

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