Question on Indian Polity: Chief Minister of the State

1. Which of the following statement is false about the Chief Minister?

- (A). There is no special provision for appointment and election of Chief Minister in the constitution
- (B). Article 154 states that the Governor will appoint the Chief Minister
- (C). The Governor is free to appoint any person as Chief Minister
- (D). There is no such system in the Constitution that the Chief Minister should prove a majority before his appointment

Ans. B

2. What is the minimum age to be appointed as the Chief Minister of a state?

- (A). 25 years
- (B). 30 years
- (C). 35 years
- (D). 18 years

Ans. A

3. Which of the following post is hold by the Chief Minister?

- (A). Chairman of the State Planning Board
- (B). Member of National Development Council
- (C). Chief Spokesperson of the State Government

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(D). All of the above

Ans. D

4. Which of the following is not matched correctly?

- (A). Article 167: Duties of the Chief Minister
- (B). Article 163: sworn in of the Chief Minister
- (C). Article 164: Provisions related to State Ministers
- (D). Article 166: Operations by the State Government

Ans. B

5. Who determines the salary and allowances of the Chief Minister?

- (A). Governor
- (B). State Legislature
- (C). President
- (D). Parliament

Ans. B

6. Which of the following statements is false?

- (A). Chief Minister's tenure is not fixed (with some conditions)
- (B). If the Chief Minister resigns from his post then the entire Council of Ministers has to resign
- (C). The Governor is the President of the Inter-state Council
- (D). The collective responsibility of the Council of Ministers is to the State Legislature

Ans. C

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7. Which of the following power is not enjoyed by the Chief Minister?

- (A). The Governor appoints ministers only to those people who are recommended by the Chief Minister
- (B). Chief Minister shifts all the ministers' departments
- (C). Chief Minister can ask the governor to disassociate the Legislative assembly
- (D). Chief Minister appoints judges of the state's high court

Ans. D

8. The State Council is responsible to whom?

- (A). To the Governor
- (B). To the Legislative Assembly
- (C). To the Legislative Council
- (D). To the State Legislature

Ans.B

9. Who provide oath to other ministers of the state other than the Chief Minister?

- (A). Chief Minister
- (B). Speaker of the assembly
- (C). Chief Justice of the High Court
- (D). Governor

Ans. D

10. The Advocate General of the State is responsible to whom?

- (A). Governor
- (B). Chief Minister
- (C). Speaker of the Assembly

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(D). None of these **Ans. A**

