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Subject: Social Science

Chapter name: Power sharing

Core concept: power sharing among different countries

Learning outcome: resolve the conflict between different social groups

Typology: MCQ

1. The word ethnic signifies:

- A) Different religions
- B) Social division on shared culture
- C) A careful calculation of gains and losses.
- D) Violent conflict between opposite groups

Answer--B

Core concept: power sharing among different organs of government

Learning outcome: people can take part in decision making

Typology: MCQ

2. Power sharing is desirable because it helps :

- A. Increase pressure on government
- B. Reduce possibilities of conflict
- C. Generate awareness among people
- D. Increase percentage of voters

Answer--B

Core concept: horizontal distribution of power

Learning outcome: to analyse the differences between horizontal and vertical distribution of power

Typology: MCQ

3. System of checks and balances means

- A. Horizontal distribution of powers
- B. Separation of powers
- C. Put a check on the exercise of unlimited powers of the organs of government by maintaining a balance of power.
- D. Federal division of power

Answer--C

Core concept: different levels of government or different tiers of government

Learning outcome: to understand the duties of different levels of government

Typology: MCQ

4. Who clearly lay down the powers of different levels of government in India..
 - A. Union government
 - B. State government
 - C. Federal government
 - D. The constitutionAnswer--D

Core concept: story of Sri Lanka

Learning outcome: Realize the importance power sharing in Sri Lanka

Typology: MCQ

5. Sinhala was recognized as the only official language:
 - A. Act of 1948
 - B. Act of 1956
 - C. Act of 1970
 - D. Act of 1980Answer--B