

Popular Struggles and Movements

MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTIONS (MCQ)

NCERT Questions

Q.1. Which among the following is the special feature that distinguishes a pressure group from a political party ?

- (a) Parties take political stances, while pressure groups do not bother about political issues.
- (b) Pressure groups are confined to a few people, while parties involve larger number of people.
- (c) Pressure groups do not seek to get into power, while political parties do.
- (d) Pressure groups do not seek to mobilize people, while parties do.

Q.2. Match List I (organizations and struggles) with List II and select the correct answer using the codes given below the lists :

List I

- 1. Organisations that seek to promote the interests of a particular section or group
- 2. Organisations that seek to promote common interest
- 3. Struggles launched for the resolution of a social problem with or without structure organisational
- 4. Organisations that mobilize people with a view to win political power

List II

- A. Movement
- B. Political parties
- C. Sectional interest groups
- D. Public interest groups

- (a) C D B A (b) C D A B (c) D C B A (d) B C D A

Q.3. Match List I with List II and select the correct answer using the codes given below the lists :

List I

- 1. Pressure group
- 2. Long term movement
- 3. Single issue movement
- 4. Political party

List II

- A. Nannada Bachao Andolan
- B. Asam Gana Parishad
- C. Women's movement
- D. Fertilizer dealers, association

- (a) D C A B (b) B A D C (c) C D B A (d) B D C A

Q.4. Consider the following statements about pressure groups and parties.

- (i) Pressure groups are organized expression of the interests and views of specific social sections.
- (ii) Pressure groups take positions on political issues.
- (iii) All pressure groups are political parties.

Which of the statements given above are correct?

- (a) (i),(ii), and (iii) (b) (i) and (ii) (c) (ii) and (iii) (d) (i) and (iii)

Additional Questions

Q.5. "Third wave" country is used for which country in the chapter.

- (i) India (ii) Poland (iii) Nepal (iv) Bolivia

Q.6. The word MNC is related to which issue :

- (i) Nepal's popular struggle (ii) Bolivia water war
(iii) Environmental movement (iv) Narmada Bachao Andolan

Q.7. Observe the statement and choose the correct option.

- (i) Democracy evolves through popular struggle.
(ii) Pressure groups never influence people's movement.
(iii) Political parties exert pressure on the government.
(iv) Mobilisation and organisations shape the concept of democracy.

- (a) (i), (ii), (iii) and (iv) (b) (i), (iii), (ii) only
(c) (i) and (iv) (d) (ii) and (iv)

Q.8. Movement signifies :

- (a) An organisation that attempt to influence government policies.
(b) Entities that is not an organisation and depend on spontaneous mass participation.
(c) Groups which promote collecture good.
(d) An organisation seek to capture political power.

Ans. 1. (c)

2. (b)

3. (a)

4. (b)

5. (c)

6. (b)

7. (c)

8. (b)