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## DAILY CURRENT QUIZ

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## EXPLANATION

**Qn. 1 Answer:** c) 1 & 2

**Explanation:**

- Statement 1 is correct: iForest is a non-profit organization that works on promoting environmental sustainability through the use of science, technology, and policy solutions.
- Statement 2 is correct: iForest actively works on issues like climate change, air pollution, and sustainable resource management.
- Statement 3 is incorrect: iForest engages with projects at multiple levels—international, national, regional, and local—to address environmental issues. Therefore, it also has a local/regional impact.

**Qn. 2:** a) 2 & 3

**Explanation:**

- Statement 1 is incorrect because the Just Energy Transition goes beyond reducing carbon emissions. It also addresses social equity, economic justice, and the inclusion of marginalized groups.
- Statement 2 is correct as the Just Energy Transition includes protecting vulnerable communities that may lose jobs or face hardships due to the transition from fossil fuels.
- Statement 3 is correct because a key component of the transition is retraining workers from traditional energy sectors to ensure they have opportunities in the clean energy sector.

**Qn .3 Answer:** b) Only 1 and 2 are correct

**Explanation:**

(Statement 1 is correct-The Global Commission on the Economics of Water was launched to address the interlinkages between water, climate change, and biodiversity .

(Statement 2 is correct -It emphasizes reshaping global water governance and ensuring sustainable water usage However, it is not specifically initiated by UNEP but is a collaborative effort by multiple institutions and thought leaders, hence **Statement 3 is incorrect.**

- It was launched in **May 2022 with a two-year mandate.**
- It presented the evidence and the pathways for changes in policy, business approaches and global collaboration to support climate and water justice, sustainability, and food-energy-water security.
- The Commission is convened by the **Government of the Netherlands** and facilitated by the **Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD).**

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