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DAILY CURRENT QUIZ FOR UPSC

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EXPLANATION

**Qn. 1**

**Answer: c. 1 and 3 only**

**Explanation:**

- Statement 1 is correct. Amnesty International won the Nobel Peace Prize in 1977 for its work against torture.
- Statement 2 is incorrect. Amnesty primarily focuses on human rights issues, not economic and trade policies.
- Statement 3 is correct. Amnesty operates independently to avoid conflicts of interest and ensure neutrality.

**Qn.2**

**Answer: (a) 1 and 3 only**

**Explanation:**

- **Statement 1:** Correct. Lake-Effect Snow occurs when cold air moves over warmer lake water, causing the air to warm, rise, and form clouds, leading to snow.

- **Statement 2:** Incorrect. The phenomenon is more likely in early winter or late fall when the lakes are not frozen and can provide moisture to the air.
- **Statement 3:** Correct. Lake-Effect Snow typically results in heavy, localized snowfall in areas downwind of the lake.

**Qn. 3**

**Answer: a**

**Explanation:**

**Friendshoring** involves relocating supply chains to countries that share close political or economic ties, often referred to as "friends" or "trusted partners." It aims to reduce risk by choosing allies over nations with geopolitical tensions.

**Qn. 4**

**Answer: b**

**Explanation:**

**Reshoring** is the process of bringing manufacturing and production activities back to the home country after they were previously outsourced to foreign nations. This helps reduce transportation costs and dependence on foreign suppliers.

**5. Answer: b)**

**Correct Answer: B)** It allocates resources based on performance and evolving priorities.

**Explanation:**

**PRAM** involves adjusting resource allocation based on the performance of different sectors or initiatives. It allows for continuous adaptation to emerging needs and evolving priorities, ensuring that resources are directed toward the most impactful areas over time.