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How did the 1814 Constitution of Norway influence the transition of European monarchies from absolute rule to constitutionalism? Explain with suitable historical examples.

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Discuss in the light of ecological boundaries how cooperative federalism can address the challenges of managing trans-boundary wildlife corridors spanning across multiple states.

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Critically examine how judicial intervention can expedite ecological notifications without overstepping into executive domains or compromising the due process of forest rehabilitation.

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Q4.

Underline the constitutional differences between the ceremonial powers of the Indian President and those of a hereditary monarch in European parliamentary democracies. Comment.

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Q5.

Critically analyse how China's CPPCC functions as a consultative body to legitimise the CPC's "United Front" strategy without holding actual legislative power.

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How does the regulation-making power under Article 240 differ from the ordinance-making power under Article 123? Examine its impact on asymmetric federalism in India.

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Q7.

Discuss in the light of recent developments the constitutional challenges of establishing common High Courts for geographically disjointed territories. How can executive-judicial friction be resolved?

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Critically discuss how the restructuring of National Sports Federations (NSFs) can resolve issues of nepotism and improve administrative transparency in Indian sports.

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Q9.

Critically analyse how the transition from star-rating systems to interpretive front-of-pack labeling can reshape consumer choices and prevent the rise of non-communicable diseases in India.

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Q10.

Critically analyse how unilateral energy pacts secured post-regime change undermine the rules-based international order. Why does this create long-term legal vulnerabilities for resource sovereignty in developing nations?

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Q11.

Estimate the efficacy of Strategic Petroleum Reserves (SPR) in mitigating geopolitical energy shocks. How does immediate emergency drawdown differ from securing long-term foreign concessions in the ground?

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Q12.

Estimate the role of data analytics and sports science in enhancing Indian athletes' competitive edge in international tournaments like the Olympics.

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Underline the scientific challenges in harmonizing FSSAI's warning thresholds with the ICMR-NIN dietary guidelines while catering to diverse regional dietary habits and single-ingredient food exemptions.

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Explain how non-border cooperation, such as the Trans-border Rivers Expert-Level Mechanism, serves as an essential tool for ecological diplomacy and flood mitigation between riparians.

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Underline the security significance of sector-specific military hotlines and explain how field-level communication mechanisms prevent localized patrol confrontations from escalating.

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Q16.

Why did China transition to integrated Theatre Commands like the Western Theatre Command? With suitable examples, discuss its structural implications for India's border defense.

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Q17. Comment on the ethical dilemma between ecocentric habitat preservation and anthropocentric forest rights. How can the State balance wildlife protection with human rights?

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Q18. How do multi-team cooperative game formats alter the traditional ethical dynamics of sportsmanship and competitive integrity? Examine.

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Q19. "Justice delayed is justice denied." Critically discuss the ethical implications of geographic and financial barriers to judicial remedies for marginalized populations living in remote frontiers.

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Q20. Critically discuss the ethical dilemma of regulatory capture when food safety policies are influenced by corporate commercial interests over the fundamental right to health of citizens.

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