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Secondary School Category

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- What policies have been elaborated by the Chinese Government in the Sino-British Joint Declaration?
 - The basic policies of the People's Republic of China regarding Hong Kong
 - The nationwide population policies of the People's Republic of China
 - The specific policies of the People's Republic of China regarding the property market development in Hong Kong
 - The policies of the People's Republic of China regarding changes of the content of the Basic Law
- According to Article 55 of the Basic Law, who shall decide the appointment or removal of members of the Executive Council?
 - The President of the Legislative Council
 - The Chief Justice of the Court of Final Appeal
 - The Chief Executive
 - The Premier of the State Council
- According to Article 31 of the Constitution of the People's Republic of China, in what way shall the systems to be instituted in a special administrative region be prescribed by law enacted by the National People's Congress?
 - In the light of specific conditions
 - Based on socialism
 - According to the prevailing system practised in Guangdong Province
 - None of the above
- According to Article 45 of the Basic Law, how shall the Chief Executive of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region (HKSAR) be selected?
 - By election or through consultations
 - Through appointment by the previous Chief Executive
 - Through voting by members of the Legislative Council
 - By decision of the Court of Final Appeal
- According to Article 159 of the Basic Law, which authority shall first study the bill for amendment to the Basic Law and submit views on it before it is put on the agenda of the National People's Congress?
 - The Legislative Council
 - The Supreme People's Court
 - The Executive Council
 - The Committee for the Basic Law of the HKSAR
- A bill passed by the Legislative Council of the HKSAR may take effect only after it is signed by whom?
 - The Chief Justice of the Court of Final Appeal
 - The President of the Legislative Council
 - The Chief Executive
 - The Premier of the State Council
- Which of the following statements regarding the tax policy of the HKSAR is incorrect?
 - The HKSAR shall practise an independent taxation system.
 - The HKSAR shall enact laws on its own concerning types of taxes.
 - The Central People's Government shall not levy taxes in Hong Kong.
 - Tax reductions, allowances and exemptions shall be decided by the Central People's Government.
- What conditions or circumstances should Hong Kong take into account when formulating, on its own, policies on the development and improvement of its social welfare system?
 - Economic conditions and social needs
 - International opinions
 - The expenditure of the Hong Kong Garrison
 - National development and policies
- How shall international agreements be dealt with if the People's Republic of China is not a party to those agreements but they are already implemented in the HKSAR?
 - They shall not continue to be implemented.
 - They can be implemented with the consent of the Chief Executive.
 - They may continue to be implemented.
 - They can be implemented upon approval of the Legislative Council.
- Which of the following statements regarding the power of interpretation of and the power of amendment to the Basic Law is true?
 - The Legislative Council can interpret on its own the provisions of the Basic Law.
 - The power of interpretation of the Basic Law shall be vested in the Chief Executive.
 - The power of amendment to the Basic Law shall be vested in the National People's Congress.
 - The Executive Council has the power to propose bills for amendments to the Basic Law.
- Which of the following is the authority from whom the HKSAR may enjoy the other powers granted to it?
 - The United Nations
 - The Supreme People's Court
 - The Standing Committee of the National People's Congress
 - The People's Bank of China
- According to the Basic Law, permanent residents of the HKSAR do not enjoy which of the following freedoms?
 - Personal freedom to be inviolable
 - Subverting the Central People's Government
 - To form and join trade unions
 - To enjoy the right to vote and the right to stand for election
- What is the time allowed for a new Chief Executive to be selected if the office of Chief Executive becomes vacant?
 - Within six months
 - Within eight months
 - Within one year
 - Without a deadline
- In which annex of the Basic Law shall the specific method for forming the Legislative Council and its procedures for voting on bills and motions be prescribed?
 - Annex I
 - Annex II
 - Annex III
 - Annex IV
- Which of the following falls outside the powers and functions of the Legislative Council of the HKSAR?
 - To approve taxation and public expenditure
 - To conduct various administrative affairs
 - To receive and debate the policy addresses of the Chief Executive
 - To receive and handle complaints from Hong Kong residents
- Which authority shall have the right to conclude those air service agreements providing air services between other parts of the People's Republic of China and other states and regions with stops at the HKSAR?
 - The Airport Authority
 - The Central People's Government
 - The Immigration Department
 - The Police Force
- According to the Basic Law, which of the following is true about the laws and policies relating to labour in the HKSAR?
 - The HKSAR should on its own formulate the relevant laws and policies
 - All forms of strike are prohibited
 - The laws and policies relating to labour should be formulated in accordance with the instructions of the Central People's Government
 - Labour organizations should on their own formulate the relevant laws and policies
- Which authority's views shall be sought before a decision is made to apply those international agreements to which the People's Republic of China is or becomes a party to the HKSAR?
 - The National People's Congress
 - The Legislative Council
 - The Committee for the Basic Law
 - The HKSAR Government
- Which authority/authorities shall be authorized by the Standing Committee of the National People's Congress to interpret on its/their own the provisions of the Basic Law which are within the limits of the autonomy of the HKSAR?
 - The Legislative Council
 - The courts of the HKSAR
 - The Police Force
 - The Drafting Committee for the Basic Law
- Since the fifth term of the Legislative Council of the HKSAR in the year 2012, how many members are there in the Legislative Council in each term?
 - 100
 - 85
 - 70
 - 40

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