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- In which year was the Basic Law adopted at the session of the National People's Congress?
  - 1980
  - 1987
  - 1990
  - 1995
- With regard to the land and natural resources within the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region (HKSAR), which of the following does not fall within the responsibilities of the HKSAR Government?
  - Their management
  - Their use
  - Their lease or grant to individuals for use
  - Their cession to foreign countries
- When questions concerning acts of state such as defence and foreign affairs arise in the adjudication of cases, from whom should the courts of the HKSAR obtain a certificate on questions of fact concerning such acts?
  - The Chief Justice of the Court of Final Appeal
  - The Chief Executive
  - The President of the Legislative Council
  - The Chairman of the Committee for the Basic Law
- Which of the following is the obligation that residents of the HKSAR should fulfil?
  - To participate in the defence of Hong Kong
  - To depart from Hong Kong once a year
  - To abide by the laws in force in the HKSAR
  - To hold a religious belief
- What shall the Chief Executive, on assuming office, declare to the Chief Justice of the Court of Final Appeal and have it put on record?
  - Marital status
  - Assets
  - Academic qualifications
  - Relationship with members of the Legislative Council
- What can the Chief Executive do if he/she considers that a bill passed by the Legislative Council is not compatible with the overall interests of Hong Kong?
  - Can only consent to its passage
  - Can veto the bill arbitrarily within half a year
  - To return the bill to the Legislative Council within three months for reconsideration
  - To request the Central People's Government to make amendments
- Which of the following statements about the legal tender of the HKSAR is incorrect?
  - The Hong Kong dollar is the legal tender in Hong Kong.
  - The issue of Hong Kong currency must be backed by a 90 percent reserve fund.
  - The system regarding the issue of Hong Kong currency shall be prescribed by law.
  - The HKSAR Government may authorize designated banks to issue Hong Kong currency.
- According to the Basic Law, which of the following freedoms do secondary school students of the HKSAR enjoy?
  - To pursue their education outside the HKSAR
  - To recruit school staff
  - To revise the examination system
  - All of the above
- According to the Basic Law, what missions/institutions may those states not recognized by the People's Republic of China establish in Hong Kong?
  - Consular missions
  - Other official missions
  - Non-governmental institutions
  - Semi-official non-governmental institutions
- Which of the following courts/tribunal may seek an interpretation of the provisions of the Basic Law concerning affairs which are the responsibility of the Central People's Government, or concerning the relationship between the Central Authorities and the HKSAR from the Standing Committee of the National People's Congress?
  - The District Court
  - The High Court
  - The Court of Final Appeal
  - The Magistrates' Courts
- On which date was the Joint Declaration on the Question of Hong Kong signed by the Chinese and British Governments?
  - 13 March 1982
  - 19 December 1984
  - 20 September 1980
  - 10 June 1992
- According to the Basic Law, what kind of region shall the HKSAR be?
  - A fully independent autonomous region
  - A local administrative region enjoying a high degree of autonomy
  - An administrative region relying on finance as its main source of revenue
  - An autonomous region with a constitutional monarchy
- Which of the following authorities may add to or delete from the list of national laws in Annex III of the Basic Law?
  - The Standing Committee of the National People's Congress
  - The Committee for the Basic Law of the HKSAR
  - The Legislative Council
  - The Executive Council
- According to the Basic Law, what is meant by non-permanent residents of Hong Kong?
  - Persons who have resided in Hong Kong for seven years and have the right of abode in Hong Kong
  - Persons who are 18 years of age and born of permanent residents
  - Chinese citizens born in Hong Kong
  - Persons who are qualified to obtain Hong Kong identity cards but have no right of abode
- Which of the following is not a power or function of the Chief Executive of the HKSAR?
  - To call special sessions during the recess of the Legislative Council
  - To decide on government policies and to issue executive orders
  - To appoint or remove holders of public office in accordance with legal procedures
  - To handle petitions and complaints
- Which of the following economic indicators shall the budget of the HKSAR keep commensurate with?
  - Unemployment rate
  - Inflation rate
  - Per capita spending rate
  - Growth rate of its gross domestic product
- Which of the following is not the HKSAR's policy on science and technology?
  - Achievements in scientific and technological research shall be protected by law.
  - Discoveries and inventions shall be protected by law.
  - The SAR Government shall, on its own, decide on the technological standards applicable in Hong Kong.
  - Science and technology shall be actively used for national defence.
- Which of the following statements about "the relationship between the Constitution of the People's Republic of China and the Basic Law" is true?
  - They are not related.
  - The Constitution of the People's Republic of China and the Basic Law have the same constitutional status.
  - The Constitution of the People's Republic of China and the Basic Law form the constitutional basis of the HKSAR.
  - The Constitution of the People's Republic of China prescribes that the Basic Law can be amended arbitrarily.
- Which of the following statements regarding the power of amendment to the Basic Law is true?
  - The power of amendment shall be vested in the Court of Final Appeal.
  - The Chief Executive has the power to reject amendments.
  - The Legislative Council has the final power of amendment.
  - The State Council has the power to propose bills for amendments.
- Which of the following authorities may apply immigration controls on entry into, stay in and departure from the HKSAR by persons from foreign states or regions?
  - The Government of the HKSAR
  - The Legislative Council
  - The Executive Council
  - The Committee for the Basic Law of the HKSAR

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