

Group 2 Screening Test Notf. No. 18/2016 Objections - Final decision of the Commission on GS paper dated 28/03/2017

Question ID in Master Set	Description of the Question	Answer as per key as published on 28/02/2017	Final Key	Decision of the Commission
2	The annual real growth rate of GDP of India in 2014-15 is	1	0	The answer is pre-revised figure. The answer is revised to 7.2% in January, 2016. As there is no correct answer, the question is deleted
37	The bronze medal of Yogeshwar Dutt in Wrestling in 2012 London Olympics was upgraded to silver because the following wrestler failed dope test	4	0	There is an error in the framing of the question. Instead of "was upgraded", it should have been "was to be upgraded". The question is deleted
122	Budget of Government of India used to be presented as per tradition at 5 30 P M in the Lok Sabha. In which year, the time of presentation was shifted to 11 00 A M	4	1	The correct option is 1. It was in February, 1999, the then FM, Yashwant Sinha presented the budget at 11 AM.
141	Under the Pradhan Mantri Suraksha Bhima Yojana, what is the annual premium to be paid by the policy holder to get accidental insurance cover?	1	1	Upon detailed reexamination, it is decided that the option given in the original key is correct because the basic premium is Rs 12/- and this is exclusive of service tax (whether exempt or not)
149	As per Agricultural Census, 2010-11, small and medium holdings constitute about 85% of the total number of holdings in India but the operated area of these holdings out of the total operated area is only	2	0	The question is wrongly worded. Instead of "small and marginal", small and medium is used and there is no correct answer. Therefore, the question is deleted

Note: The other objections are not tenable and scaling is done from 147 to 150 marks as three questions are deleted