

PRESIDENT OF INDIA

1. What is the minimum age for the eligibility to be a Presidential candidate?

Ans: 35

2. Who is regarded as the head of the Indian State?

Ans: President (First Citizen, Nominal Head)

3. The executive actions of the government are carried out under whose name?

Ans: President

4. Who is not directly participating in the Election of the President?

Ans : Both elected and nominated members of State Legislative Council.

5. What is the official term of the President's office?

Ans : 5 years

6. What is the maximum number of term that a person can hold for office of President?

Ans : No limit

7. Who has the power to declare an area as a schedule area?

Ans: President

8. Money bills can originate in Lok Sabha only. It must be introduced on prior recommendation of the President.

9. What is the meaning of the word 'veto'?

Ans: Forbid

10. The President can deliver an absolute veto to which bills?

Ans: Private member bill.

ABSOLUTE VETO: When President can reject a bill directly.

POCKET VETO: Pending

SUSPENSIVE VETO: After sending back when the bill comes back, he has to pass the bill.

11. Which article of the Constitution of India empowers the President to promulgate ordinances?

Ans: Article 123

12. Who addresses the Parliament after the commencement of the first session after each general election?

Ans: President

13. On whose behalf are the International treaties conducted?

Ans: President

14. Which among the following Presidents died during his term of his office?

Ans: Dr. Zakir Hussain.

15. By which Amendment Bill is President's assent to Constitutional Amendment Bill made obligatory?

Ans: 24th Amendment Act, 1971.

16. Who appoints the Chief of Navy, army and air force?

Ans : President

17. Who can appoint a commission to investigate into conditions of SC's, ST's, OBC's?

Ans: President

18. President can nominate how many members of Rajya Sabha?

Ans: 12

19. What does 'respite' mean?

Ans : In presence of a special circumstances, like physical disability, the President can award a lesser sentence than the one that was originally granted.

20. What does 'Reprive' mean?

Ans: A temporary stay on the execution of the sentence, allowing some time for the convict.

21. First President of Independent India?

Ans: Dr. Rajendra Prasad

22. Who was the longest serving President of India?

Ans: Dr. Rajendra Prasad(12 years), only President of India to serve two terms.

23. Muhammad Hidayatullah : Served as Chief Justice of India. He served as Acting President of India until the Election of Giri as the President.

24. V. V. Giri : Only person to serve as both acting President and President of India. He

functioned as Indian Minister of Labour and High Commissioner to Ceylon(Sri Lanka).

25. Fakhruddin Ali Ahmed : Second President to die in office. He was also President during Emergency.

26. First President to die in Office?

Ans : Zakir Hussain

27. Only President can summon Joint sitting in both houses in certain cases : Article 108

28. Speaker of Lok Sabha to President : N. S. Reddy (First CM of Andhra Pradesh)

29. Pratibha Patil was the first woman to become the President of India. She was also the first female Governor of Rajasthan.

30. The President is the foremost, most empowered and prompt defender of the Constitution : Article 60.

31. Article 54: Election of President

32. Article 55: Manner of Election of the President

33. Article 56: term of office of the President

34. Article 60: oath and affirmation of the President

35. Article 61: procedure for impeachment of the President

36. Article 86: right of President to address and send message to Houses.

37. Article 111: assent to bills

38. Article 143: Power of President to consult Supreme Court

39. Article 72: Power of President to grant pardon and to suspend, remit or commute sentences in certain cases.

40. Ram Nath Kovind (born 1 October 1945) is the 14th and current President of India, in office since 25 July 2017.