Insurance Regulatory and Development Authority – Question Paper

- 1 Insurance works on the principle of
- a Trust
- b Sharing
- c Randomness
- d All of the above
- 2 Insurance is legitimate
- a when an adverse happening is likely
- b When an adverse happening is unlikely
- c When an adverse happening is certain
- d In all the above three situations
- 3 Insurance benefits replace
- a All physical losses, in full
- b All physical losses, partly
- c All monetary losses, in full
- d The monetary losses, but only to some extent
- 4 Which one of the following statements is correct?
- a People hesitate to buy life insurance because they are not aware of their needs
- b People hesitate to buy life insurance because they prefer to enjoy the present
- c Both the statements are correct
- d Both the statements are wrong
- 5 Which is the right time for taking life insurance?
- a When you are about to get married
- b Soon after you have got married
- c Just when you are joined a new job
- d All the three 'times' are right
- 6 Retention of risk may be done conveniently by
- a Large corporations
- b Small companies
- c Single individuals
- d None of the three
- 7 A valuation is done by a life insurer because
- a It is a statutory requirement
- b It is necessary to be able to declare dividends to shareholders
- c It tells the insurer how well it is managing the business
- d All of the above
- 8 The reason for charging level premiums is
- a Risk increases as age increases
- b It is convenient to the policyholder
- c It is convenient to the insurer
- d All the above reasons
- 9 What does a premium depend upon?
- a The place of worship visited by the person to be insured

- b The state of health of the policyholder c The decision of the underwriter d The report of the agent 10 State which one of the following statements is correct? a In group insurance, a single policy is issued covering many persons b A master policy covers servants of a master c Both the statements above are correct d Both the statements above are wrong 11 Which one of the following statements is correct? a In a limited payment policy, there is a maximum limit to the SA b In a limited payment policy, there is a maximum limit to the term c Both the statements above are wrong d Both the statements above are correct 12 Which one of the following statements is true with regard to Children's policies? a On vesting, the insured person has an option to change the term of the policy b On vesting the insured person has an option to increase the SA c Both the statements above are wrong d Both the statements above are correct 13 Which of the following could be the basis of the cover in a group policy? a Height of the life insured b Age of the life insured c Size of the insured's family d All the three above 14 Which one of the following statements is true with regard to Children's policies? a On vesting, the insured person has an option to change the term of the policy b On vesting the insured person has an option to increase the SA c Both the statements above are wrong d Both the statements above are correct 15 Which one of the following statements is correct? a Every plan of insurance is a combination of two basic plans b The name given to a plan indicates the benefits available under the plan c Both the statements above are correct d Both the statement s above are wrong
 - 16 Which one of the following statements is correct?
 - a Underwriting is done only when there is a medical examination
 - b Medical examination is necessary before a policy can be issued
 - c Both the statements above are correct
 - d Both the statements above are wrong
 - 17 Which one of the following statements is correct?
 - a The underwriter determines the premium to be charged
 - b The underwriter is an employee of the insurer
 - c Both the statements above are correct
 - d Both the statements above are wrong
 - 18 Which one of the following statements is correct?

- a If the underwriter feels that the risk is more, he will accept at OR b If the underwriter feels that the risk is more, he may impose a lien c Both the statements above are correct d Both the statements above are wrong 19 Which one of the following statements is correct? a The schedule of a policy is not altered after the policy is issued b Changes in the terms of the policy are made through endorsements c Both the statements above are correct d Both the statements above are wrong 20 The date of issue of the FPR indicates a The date when the risk effectively begins b The date when the next premium falls due c The date when the policy will commence d None of the above 21 Which one of the following statements is correct? a In the case of SSS policies, renewal premium receipts are issued b In the case of SSS policies, FPRs are issued c Both the statements above are correct d Both the statements above are wrong 22 Which one of the following statements is correct? a Assignee is free from the assignor's obligations under the policy b A nomination is automatically cancelled when a loan is taken under the policy c Both the statements above are correct d Both the statements above are wrong 23 Which one of the following statements is correct? a The beneficiaries under the MWP Act can be any member of the family b A policy can be taken under the MMWP Act for the benefit of parents c Both the statements above are correct d Both the statements above are wrong 24 Which one of the following statements is correct? a Foreclosure can be done only with the consent of the policyholder b Foreclosure can be done only after informing the policyholder c Both the statements above are correct d Both the statements above are wrong 25 Which one of the following statements is correct? a Revivals are not done unless the entire outstanding premium is paid b Revivals are not done unless the underwriter agrees
 - c Both the statements above are correct
 - d Both the statements above are wrong
 - 26 Which one of the following statements is correct?
 - a Foreclosure action cannot be taken till a notice is served on the policyholder
 - b When a foreclosure action is taken, nothing is payable to the policyholder
 - c Both the statements above are correct
 - d Both the statements above are wrong
 - 27 Which one of the following statements is correct?

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- 28 Which one of the following statements is correct?
- a A presumption of death is not the same as proof of death
- b Presumption of death allows inheritance of property
- c Both the statements above are correct
- d Both the statements above are wrong
- 29 When does a claim arise under an insurance policy?
- a Whenever the policyholder feels the need for money
- b When the insured events happen
- c When a premium is not paid
- d Whenever any of the three things mentioned above happen
- 30 Which one of the following statements is correct?
- a Maturity claim cheques are paid to the trustees in a MWP Act case
- b Maturity claim cheques are paid to the beneficiaries in a MWP Act case
- c Both the statements above are correct
- d Both the statements above are wrong
- 31 If a claim is made in January 2007 under a policy, which commenced in May 2002, stating that the life insured had died in April 2004,
- a Section 45 of the Act will not apply
- b The claim can be treated as an early claim
- c Foul play must be suspected
- d All the three statements above are correct
- 32 Which one of the following statements is correct?
- a A policy reported to be lost, may actually have been assigned
- b A policy has no value after the payment of survival benefits
- c Both the statements above are correct
- d Both the statements above are wrong
- 33 Which one of the following statements is correct?
- a The foreign exchange regulations apply if the life insured is a non-resident
- b The foreign exchange regulations apply if the claimant is a non-resident
- c Both the statements above are correct
- d Both the statements above are wrong
- 34 State which of the following statements is correct
- a ULIPs provide for flexibility
- b ULIPs are better than traditional policies
- c Both the above statements are correct
- d Both the above statements are wrong
- 35 State which of the following statements is correct
- a In ULIPs, the offer bid spread is the difference between the two prices
- b In ULIPs, the offer bid spread, will in some cases be zero
- c Both the above statements are correct
- d Both the above statements are wrong

- 36 State which of the following statements is correct
- a In ULIPs the insurance cover must be a minimum multiple of the premium
- b ULIPs can be surrendered after two years
- c Both the above statements are correct
- d Both the above statements are wrong
- 37 State which one of the following statements is correct
- a Life insurance is the best savings scheme for all persons
- b Life insurance is the best investment scheme for young persons
- c Both the statements above are correct
- d Both the statements above are wrong
- 38 Which of the following statements is correct?
- a An insurance agent has fixed working hours
- b An insurance agent has to mark his attendance in office every day
- c An insurance agent works according to his schedule
- d An insurance agent cannot do any other work
- 39 State which one of the following statements is correct
- a When vital information is not disclosed, the policyholder is benefited
- b When a claim is repudiated, the agent's trustworthiness is affected
- c Both the statements above are correct
- d Both the statements above are wrong
- 40 State which one of the following statements is correct?
- a The social sector is not only in the urban areas
- b The social sector includes the unorganized sector
- c Both the statements above are correct
- d Both the statements above are wrong
- 41 State which one of the following statements is correct?
- a The Ombudsman's authority is limited to claims matters only
- b The Ombudsman is not a judicial authority
- c Both the statements above are correct
- d Both the statements above are wrong
- 42 State which one of the following statements is correct?
- a The tax provisions are the same for all kinds of savings
- b The tax provisions are included in the Constitution
- c Both the statements above are correct
- d Both the statements above are wrong
- 43 A proposal for SA of Rs. 10 lakhs with DAB for monthly mode under SSS. Proposer had a previous policy of Rs. 5 lakhs with DAB. Proposal was accepted with health extra of Rs. 2.75 per thousand SA premium for DAB Re 1 per thousand. 5% extra for monthly mode. large SA rebate of Rs 2/- per thousand for 1 lakh and above. Tabular premium Rs. 48.20 maximum total SA on which DAB is allowed is Rs.

Find monthly (SSS) premium, rounded off to the next higher rupee

a 4102

10/- lakhs.

- b 4121
- c 4183
- d 4195

44 Find out surrender value on the basis of following data (the answer to be rounded off to the next lower rupee). SA Rs.30, 000 DOC- 15.6.1992, Endowment with profit - 30 years

Due date of last premium paid 15-06-2007 mode half yearly

Accrued bonus Rs.750/- per thousand SA. SV factor 23%
a 3670
b 3765
c 8740
d None of these

45 A money back policy for SA. of Rs.50,000/- Matured after 25 years. Survival benefits of 15% each had been paid at the end of 5th, 10th, 15th, and 20th years. Bonus had accrued at Rs.965/- per Rs.1000/- SA. Interim bonus @ Rs.25/- per thousand SA is payable. What is the maturity claim amount? a 68250 b 69500 c 98250 d 99500

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