

ENGLISH (IBPS CLERK 19 NOVEMBER 2018)

1. The Reserve Bank of India's biannual Financial (1)/ Stability Report has once (2)/ again flagged the fact that risk to (3)/ the banking sector remain worry high. (4)/ No error (5)

Answer - (3) use 'risks' instead of 'risk'
(4) remains worryingly high

2. Some measures have been initiated and others (1)/ are in the pipeline, including a draft Finance Resolution (2)/ and Deposit Insurance Bill to (3)/ addressed bankruptcy situations in banks and other financial entities. (4)/ No error (5)

Answer - (2) Use 'Financial' instead of 'finance'
(4) Use 'address' not 'addressed'

3. The government has declared incentive package (1)/ to encourage non-cash payments for fuel, (2)/ new insurance policies from public sector firms, (3)/ train tickets and highway toll, among other things. (4)/ No error (5)

Answer - (1) use 'an' before incentive

4. A major fire broke out at the top floor of the (1)/ five-storey Times of India building in central (2)/ Delhi ITO area with scores of firemen (3)/ and 25 fire tenders pressed into service. (4)/ No error (5)

Answer - (1) use 'on' instead of 'at'
(3) Delhi's ITO area

5. A plane carrying 35 Russian diplomats, (1)/ expelled from the United States over Moscow's alleged (2)/ interference in the president election, (3)/ took off from Washington, Russian news agencies report. (4)/ No error (5)

Answer - (3) use 'presidential' instead of 'president'
(4) Russian news agencies reported

6. A team of doctors lead by chief medical officer (1)/ have rushed to the accident (2)/ site for monitoring the treatment (3)/ of the rescued passengers. (4)/ No error (5)

Answer - (1) use 'led' instead of 'lead'
(2) rushed / has rushed

7. An assailant believed to have been dress in a Santa Claus (1)/ costume opened fire at a crowded nightclub in Istanbul (2)/ during New Year's celebrations, killing at least 35 people (3)/ and wounding 40 others in what the province's governor described as a terror attack. (4)/ No error (5)

Answer - (1) use 'dressed' instead of 'dress'

8. The UN Security Council has unanimously adopted (1)/ a resolution supporting efforts by Russia and Turkey to end the near six-year (2)/ conflict in Syria and jump-start peace negotiations, (3)/ as a fragile country-wide cease-fire wavered. (4)/ No error (5)

Answer - (2) use 'nearly' instead of 'near'

9. Finance Minister should double the basic income tax (1)/ exemption limit to Rs 5 lakh per year and raise the ceiling (2)/ for claiming deduction under Section 80C to Rs 2.50 lakh, (3)/ according to a survey by tax consultant Deloitte. (4)/ No error (5)

Answer - (5) No error

10. For credit and debit card transactions (1)/ up to Rs.2,000, the Reserve Bank of India has relaxed (2)/ its stringent two-factor authentication requirement, (3)/ and service tax stands waved. (4)/ No error (5)

Answer - (4) use 'waived' instead of 'wave'