

## Ch-2 CONSTITUTIONAL DESIGN

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1) Name of the chairman of the drafting committee of the Constitution of India?

Ans) Bhimrao Ramji Ambedkar (B.R. Ambedkar) is the Chairman of the drafting committee of the Constitution of India.

2) What does the word secular mean according to the Indian Constitution?

Ans) → The word secular means citizens have complete freedom to follow any religion. But there is no state religion.

→ Govt. treats all religions, beliefs & practices ~~with~~ with equal respect.

3) Name the 1<sup>st</sup> ~~captain~~ captain of the Indian Hockey Team who was a member of the Constituent Assembly.

Ans) Jai Pal Singh is the 1<sup>st</sup> captain of the Indian Hockey Team who was a member of the Constituent Assembly.

4) Why is India called Republic?

Ans) India is called Republic because the head of the state is a elected <sup>person</sup> one not a hereditary one.

5) In which magazine did Gandhiji discuss his ideas about Constitution & its workings?

Ans) In Young India magazine Gandhiji discussed his ideas about Constitution & its workings.

6) What is meant by the term socialist?

Ans) → The term socialist means wealth is generated socially & should be shared equally by a society.

→ Govt. should regulate the ownership of land & industry to reduce socio-economic inequalities.

7) What is Preamble? Explain any five major ideals enshrined to the Preamble of the Indian Constitution.

Ans) → The Constitution begins with a short statement of its basic values. This is called the Preamble.

⇒ Five major ideals enshrined in the Preamble to the Constitution are :-

- i) Sovereign :- People have supreme right to make ~~decisions~~ decision on internal as well as external matters. No external power can dictate govt. of India.
- ii) Socialist :- Wealth is generated socially & should be shared equally by society. Govt. should regulate the ownership of land & industry to reduce socio-economic inequalities.
- iii) Secular :- Citizens have complete freedom to follow any religion. But there is no official religion. Govt. treats all religions beliefs & practices with equal respect.
- iv) Democratic :- A form of govt. where people enjoy equal political rights, elect their rulers & hold them accountable. The govt. ~~is~~ runs according to some basic rules.

v) Republic :- The head of the state is an elected person not a hereditary one.

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