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Consider the following statements: 1. 'The Climate Group' is an international non-profit organization that drives climate action by building large networks and runs them. 2. The International Energy Agency in partnership with the Climate Group launched a global initiative 'EP100'. 3. EP100 brings together leading companies committed to driving innovation in energy efficiency and increasing competitiveness while delivering on emission reduction goals. 4. Some Indian companies are members of EP100. 5. The International Energy Agency is the Secretariat to the 'Under2 Coalition'. Which of the statements given above are correct? (a) 1, 2, 4 and 5 (b) 1, 3 and 4 only (c) 2, 3 and 5 only (d) 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 Official key: B.

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Explanation

(a)

1, 2, 4 and 5. **EP100** was The Climate Group, not an IEA partnership as stated; IEA is not Under2's secretariat.

(b) Official key

1, 3 and 4 only. Climate Group exists; **EP100** is corporate energy-efficiency; some Indian firms have joined. 2 and 5 fail.

(c)

2, 3 and 5 only. 2 and 5 are the false parents.

(d)

All five. Two institutional tags are wrong.

Summary

Official key is (b) 1, 3 and 4 only. The Climate Group is an international NGO. **EP100** is its corporate energy-efficiency campaign; Indian companies have been members. IEA did not launch **EP100** with it, and IEA is not the **Under2 Coalition** secretariat.

Related possible facts

These can be asked in a future Prelims paper.

EP100

Climate Group; 100% energy productivity / efficiency firms.

Under2 Coalition

Subnational net-zero network; Climate Group as secretariat.

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