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SUBJECT:- Political Science
Class IX
CHAPTER:- What is Democracy? Why Democracy?
REVISION ASSIGNMENT

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Q1. Correct the right answer:

1. Democracy is based on the fundamental principle of

- a. Secularism
- b. Socialism
- c. Capitalism
- d. Equality

2. The existence of democracy in India made the Indian government respond to food security in a way that the government did not.

- a. Russian
- b. Nepal
- c. Chinese
- d. French

3. The parliament of China is known as the

- a. National People's Congress
- b. Congress
- c. Duma
- d. Communist House

4. Is the real source of power in a democratic country.

- a. People
- b. Judiciary
- c. Aristocrats
- d. The Parliament

5. The full form of PRI is

- a. People's Republic of India
- b. People's Republic of Indonesia
- c. Institutional Revolutionary party
- d. Per Capita Resource Index

Q2.Fill in the blanks

- a.In, the vote of an indigenous citizen has more value than that of migrants from other countries.
- b..... led a military coup in October 1999 in Pakistan.
- c..... was the President of Zimbabwe.
- d.....democracy is the most common form that democracy takes in our times.
- e..... is the organ of the government required to protect the rights of the citizens.

Q3. Short answer type questions;

- a. Mention any one drawback of democracy.
- b. With what motive did General Pervez Musharraf issue a "Legal Framework Order " in August 2002?
- c. What is peculiar with ZANU-PF of Zimbabwe?
- d. State any two freedoms that are usually taken away when a democracy is overthrown by a military regime.
- e. Give one reason as to why democracy is considered the best form of government.

Q4.State whether true or false.

- a. People who do not accept the country's official religion ,do not have a right to vote is a necessary condition for democracy.
- b. The parliament cannot pass a law reducing the powers of the judiciary in a democracy.
- c. Democracies resolve conflict in a better way than others.
- d. In a democratic set up,army is the most disciplined and corruption -free organisation in the country.Therefore, army should rule the country.
- e. Referendum is a direct vote in which an entire electorate is asked to either accept or reject a particular proposal.