Part 1: (Question 1 – 5)

Match the correct heading with each paragraph (A - E) from the passage.

A. Work – life challenges.
B. A design to support the unluckier.
C. Realistic facts despite some positive changes.
D. A modest change in Indian female workforce.
E. An idea that could create more occupations for female workers.

1. Paragraph 1.
2. Paragraph 2.
3. Paragraph 3.
4. Paragraph 4.
5. Paragraph 5.

Part 2: (Question 6 – 10)

Read the passage carefully. Choose the best word (A, B or C) for each space.

6. More than _____ of the student population in the country are women.
A. 40%
B. 50%
C. 60%

7. Many Indian women are choosing traditionally male-dominated careers in _____.
A. Education & medical
B. Engineering & technology
C. Construction & agriculture.

8. Worldwide, an average of _____ all participate in the workforce.
A. Women
B. Men
C. A&B

9. Singh grew up in New Delhi, where past _____ when she was young.
A. The city's slums.
B. The city's dumps.
C. The city's monuments.

10. Singh's first idea came to her when she learned about a new kind of:
A. Auto rickshaw
B. Tricycle
C. Bicycle rickshaw

Part 3 (Question 11 – 15)

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Do the following statements agree with the information given in the Passage?

In the boxes 11 – 15, write:

TRUE if the statement agrees with the information.

FALSE if the statement contradicts the information.

NOT GIVEN if there is no information on this.

11. Indian workforce situation is totally contradicting with the world tendency. _____
12. Many Indian women are quite content with their mission as not only employees but also housewives. _____
13. Singh founded a program that trains women to become rickshaw drivers before she got married. _____
14. Kohinoor was the first woman who drove electric rickshaw. _____
15. Singh bought the first electric rickshaw and employed drivers by herself. _____

Part 4 (Question 16 – 20)

Answer the questions with **NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS**.

16. How were the bicycle rickshaws electric – powered _____.
17. Why Ummeed ki Rickshaw was approved by Indian's ministers? _____.
18. What did Singh give women through the program beside their jobs? _____.
19. Who did Singh even earn the attention of? _____
20. What does "Ummeed" mean in Indian? _____

Part 5 (Question 21 – 25)

Complete the passage.

Write ONE word for each space.

Ummeed ki Rickshaw founded by Singh has created huge chances for women to claim their (21) _____. It helps them to fulfill (22) _____ and become more confident. Before that, there're (23) _____ of women that they could not be a wife and have jobs at the same time. The project has helped young (24) _____ to break these old-fashioned formulas and also gave them an (25) _____ to balance between these duties.

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