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Consider the following statements regarding the Bureau of Energy Efficiency (BEE):

1. It is a statutory body under the Ministry of New and Renewable Energy (MNRE).

A

1 and 2 only

B

2 and 3 only

Correct

C

1 and 3 only

D

1, 2 and 3

Correct Answer: B

Full Detailed Explanation

Correct Answer: B - 2 and 3 only

Quick Concept Explanation The Bureau of Energy Efficiency is a statutory body created under the Energy Conservation Act, 2001 and operates under India's Ministry of Power. It coordinates national energy-efficiency programmes and administers major initiatives including Perform, Achieve and Trade for energy-intensive designated consumers. Key relation: PAT sets specific energy-consumption targets and enables trading of Energy Saving Certificates subject to scheme rules. Exam focus: BEE belongs to the Ministry of Power, not MNRE. Common trap: Do not confuse BEE with the renewable-energy ministry/agency structure.

Statement-wise Verification

Statement 1 - Incorrect. It is a statutory body under the Ministry of New and Renewable Energy (MNRE). BEE is under the Ministry of Power.

Statement 2 - Correct. It coordinates with designated consumers and agencies to recognize and utilize energy effectively. It coordinates national energy-efficiency programmes and administers major initiatives including Perform, Achieve and Trade for energy-intensive designated consumers.

Statement 3 - Correct. The "PAT" (Perform, Achieve and Trade) scheme is a flagship program of BEE for energy-intensive industries. It coordinates national energy-efficiency programmes and administers major initiatives including Perform, Achieve and Trade for