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1. Architectural monuments from Arab and Ottoman times can still be seen in Cairo, an ancient city in which country?
2. The Royals play baseball in Kansas City in which state that borders the Mississippi River—Missouri or New Hampshire?
3. An ostrich's eye is bigger than its brain. This bird can be found in the Kalahari and Namib Deserts on which continent?
4. Demi Lovato performed the smash hit "Let It Go" at a concert in Buenos Aires, a capital city located on the Río de la Plata in which South American country?
5. The world's largest swimming pool, in Chile, stretches for half a mile. This pool is located along the Pacific Ocean on which continent?
6. Some tarantulas are blue. The cobalt blue tarantula is native to Myanmar and Thailand on which continent?
7. Alligators are not native to which of the following states—Georgia, Wisconsin, or Alabama?
8. The Fever is a women's basketball team that plays in Indianapolis near the White River in which state—Kentucky or Indiana?
9. Which state does not have a large Asian population—South Dakota, Hawaii, or Washington?
10. Grand Teton National Park and Devil's Tower are physical features located in which state?

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Appendix C—SAMPLE QUESTIONS TO PROVIDE TO MEDIA

NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC BEE QUESTIONS

- Q.** Which state is known as the Peach State because peaches are one of its major crops—Hawaii or Georgia?
A. Georgia
- Q.** Which state is known as the Great Lakes State because it is bordered by four of the five Great Lakes—North Dakota or Michigan?
A. Michigan
- Q.** Which state, famous for its wealth and financial resources, is known as the Empire State—Idaho or New York?
A. New York
- Q.** A trumpet appears on the quarter of which state, known for its jazz music heritage—Louisiana or Pennsylvania?
A. Louisiana
- Q.** The first successful airplane flight, at Kill Devil Hills, is commemorated on the quarter of which state—North Carolina or Iowa?
A. North Carolina
- Q.** To walk in Lisbon’s Alfama district and to stay at a beach resort in the Algarve, you would travel to what country?
A. Portugal
- Q.** To bike around Stanley Park in Vancouver and see the northern lights near Yellowknife, you would travel to what country?
A. Canada
- Q.** To take a rain forest tour and to dance at Rio de Janeiro’s Carnival celebration, you would travel to what country?
A. Brazil
- Q.** To see an acrobatics show in Beijing and walk along the Great Wall, you would travel to what country?
A. China
- Q.** The threatened Canada lynx, which has large feet adapted for walking on top of deep snow, lives near Lake of the Woods in which state—Georgia or Minnesota?
A. Minnesota