2022

(CBCS)

(1st Semester)

POLITICAL SCIENCE

(Honours)

Paper Code: POL/H/C-2

(Constitutional Government and Democracy in India)

Full Marks: 75
Pass Marks: 40%

Time: 3 hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

Write any one question from the options given below:

1. "Fundamental Rights have a negative connotation whereas Directive Principles have a positive connotation."

Elaborate the above statement with example. 15

Or

What are Fundamental Rights? Explain, in detail, the Writs, guaranteed in Article 32 of the Indian Constitution. 5+10=15

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2. Explain the difference between real and nominal executive. Discuss the powers and functions of the executive in India. 5+10=15

Or

What are the different types of legislatures? Explain the powers and functions of the Indian Parliament. 5+10=15

3. What is quasi-federalism? Explain the quasi-federal features of the Indian Constitution.

5+10=15

Or

What are the different kinds of emergency provisions? Discuss, in detail, the emergency powers of the President of India. 5+10=15

4. What is democratic decentralization? Elaborate the salient features of the 73rd Constitutional Amendment Act. 5+10=15

Or

What is Panchayati Raj system? Discuss the main powers and functions of the three-tier Panchayati Raj system. 5+10=15

5. Explain, in detail, the different types of amendment procedures found in the Constitution.

Or

Discuss the important amendments undertaken in the Constitution of India. 5+10=15

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