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Fifth Semester B.A. Degree Examination, December 2019 First Degree Programme under CBCSS

Economics

Core Course IX

EC 1544: INDIAN ECONOMY

(2015 Admission Onwards)

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 80

PART - I

(Answer in one or two sentences attempt all questions)

- 1. Demographic dividend
- 2. Density of population
- 3. Globalisation
- 4. Evergreen revolution
- 5. MSMEs
- 6. Human Poverty
- 7. Labour force participation

- Sustainable development
- 9. Product market
- Social infrastructure.

 $(10 \times 1 = 10 \text{ Marks})$

PART - II

(Answer any eight questions not to exceed one paragraph. Each questions carries 2 marks.)

- 11. What is Inclusive development?
- Explain the institutional reforms in agriculture.
- 13. Point out the objectives of industrial policy resolution of 1991.
- 14. What is Green revolution?
- 15. Point out the strategic role of PSUs.
- 16. Explain the concepts of LPG.
- 17. Explain the importance of MUDRA.
- 18. Write a short note on NITI Aayog.
- 19. Critically explain the impact of WTO on Indian agriculture.
- 20. What are important causes of Poverty and Inequality in India?
- 21. What are the reasons for shifting Cropping pattern in India?
- 22. Explain the extent and magnitude of Unemployment in India.

 $(8 \times 2 = 16 \text{ Marks})$

PART - III

(Answer any six questions, not exceeding 120 words. Each questions carries 4 marks.)

- 23. Briefly explain the performance of agriculture during the pre-reform and post reform period.
- 24. Analyse the rate and pattern of industrial growth during the last two decades of liberal economic policy regime.
- 25. Discuss recent fiscal and financial reforms in India in detail.
- 26. Write a note on Demographic characteristics of India.
- 27. Explain salient features of Census 2011.
- 28. Is Universal Basic Income (UBI) a correct way to attain inclusive growth? Comment it.
- 29. Explain the challenges of Urbanisation in India.
- 30. Explain the role and performance of service sector in Indian economy.
- 31. Write a short note on New Agricultural Policy 2000.

 $(6 \times 4 = 24 \text{ Marks})$

PART - IV

(Answer **any two** questions, not exceeding four pages. Each questions carries **15** marks.)

- 32. Critically evaluate the Indian planning process and sketch an overview of five year plans in India.
- 33. What are the highlights of National Population Policy 2000?

- What are the reasons for introducing Economic reforms 1991 and explain in detail the Second Generation of Economic reforms.
- 35. Explain the role of MSMEs in Indian Economy.

 $(2 \times 15 = 30 \text{ Marks})$