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Fourth Semester B.A. Degree Examination, July 2019

First Degree Programme under CBCSS

Political Science

Core Course: IV

PS 1441 – DYNAMICS OF INDIAN POLITICS

(2017 Admission)

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

- I. Answer **all** the questions in **one** or **two** sentences. Each answer carries **1** mark.
1. Define federalism.
 2. What is the subject matter of article 370?
 3. What is meant by Pressure group?
 4. Define Casteism.
 5. Article 1.
 6. Write a short note on NOTA.
 7. Write on Quasi federalism.
 8. What is one party dominant system?
 9. Article 324.
 10. Write a note on National Development Council.

(10 × 1 = 10 Marks)

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II. Answer any **eight** questions each in a paragraph. Each answer carries **2** marks.

11. Write a note on Swachh Bharath Mission.
12. Explain the structure of NITI Aayog.
13. Write a note of Sarkaria Commission.
14. Discuss the major provisions in article 365.
15. Explain 'right to Information Act'.
16. Write a note on 10th Schedule of the Indian constitution.
17. What is meant by regionalism?
18. Write a note on 'code of conduct' during elections.
19. Write a short note on Lokpal.
20. Identify the major pressure groups in India.
21. What are the essential conditions for a party to be recognized as national party?
22. Write a note on VVPAT.

(8 × 2 = 16 Marks)

III. Answer any **six** questions each in 120 words. Each answer carries **4** marks.

23. Examine the role of Governor in the context of Indian federalism.
24. What is meant by Hung parliament?
25. Discuss the significance of seventh schedule in Indian federalism.
26. Elaborate the role of regional parties in Indian political system.
27. Give a brief account of criminalization of politics in India.

28. Discuss the nature of political corruptions in India.
29. Discuss the nature of coalition politics in India.
30. "Terrorism is a great threat to Indian state". Examine the statement in the context of recent developments in India.
31. Explain the role played by casteism in Indian politics.

(6 × 4 = 24 Marks)

IV. Essay question. Answer any **two** each carries **15** marks

32. "India is a Quasi Federal state". Critically evaluate the statement.
33. Discuss the development of party system in India in the post independence era.
34. Examine how far the mass media influence public opinion in India.
35. Evaluate the role of election commission of India in the maintenance of democracy.

(2 × 15 = 30 Marks)