

**2017****M. Phil.****2nd Semester Examination****ANTHROPOLOGY****PAPER — CCANT-126***Full Marks : 50**Time : 2 Hours**The figures in the right-hand margin indicate full marks.**Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.**Illustrate the answers wherever necessary.***Group - A**

1. Answer any *two* questions from the following : 2×10
- (a) Give a brief account of the geographical distribution of Indian tribes with suitable examples. 10
- (b) Discuss the reservation policy followed by the Government of India. What are the problems faced in its implementation? 6+4
- (c) What is meant by 'Mervalistic' movement? Discuss in brief the *Santal resurrection* of 1855-56. 2+8

*(Turn Over)*

- (d) Write about the importance the problems in preservation of the tribal cultural heritage. 6+4

**Group - B**

2. Write any *four* questions from the following : 4×5
- (a) What are the major problems faced by the 'Particularly Vulnerable Tribal Groups' (PVTGs) of India? 5
- (b) What are the effects of positive discrimination? 5
- (c) What are the major differences between tangible and intangible cultural resources? 5
- (d) What is a messianic movement? 5
- (e) What are the main features of Tribal sub-plan? 5
- (f) What is the importance of folklore study in anthropology? 5
- (g) How is marginalization defined in the Indian context? 5
- (h) Write in brief the process of class formation among the tribes of India. 5

**[Internal Assessment — 10 marks]**

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