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M.A.

2nd Semester Examination

SOCIOLOGY

PAPER – SOC-201(NEW)

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.

(Turn Over)

Answer any four questions:

2x4

- 1) What is “negative freedom” according to Dahrendorf?
- 2) What does Merton mean by “anomie”?
- 3) Who are the power elite according to C. W. Mills?
- 4) What is external conflict ?
- 5) What for Homans’ is “elementary social behavior”?
- 6) Write two functions of social exchange?
- 7) Define ethnomethodology.
- 8) Write the three basic premises of Blumer’s perspective on symbolic interactionism.

Answer any four questions:

4x4

- 9) What according to Coser is the functions of conflict?
- 10) Write a short note on imperatively Co-ordinated Association (ICA).
- 11) Sociological imagination according to Mills is “grasp history and biography and the relations between the two within society” – Discuss.
- (12) Discuss the major arguments of Jeffrey Alexander’s Neo-functionalism.

- (13) Write a short note on latent and manifest action.
- (14) Write a short note on AGIL.
- (15) How does 'self' develops according to Mead?
- (16) What does Goffman mean by total institutions?

Answer Any Two questions:

2x8

- 17) Critically discuss Dahrendorf's theory of conflict group.
- 18) Discuss the major arguments of Blau's exchange theory.
- 19) Elaborate the contribution of Alfred Schutz to phenomenological perspective.
- 20) Define functionalism. Briefly discuss Merton's dysfunction . (3+5)

[Internal Assessments: 10 Marks]