

M.A. 2nd Semester Examination, 2015

POLITICAL SCIENCE

(*Rural Society and Organisation in India*)

PAPER— PLS-201

Full Marks : 50

Time : 2 hours

The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable

GROUP—A

[*Marks : 20*]

1. Answer any *one* of the following : 10 × 1
- (a) Write a brief note on the nature and forms of inequality in Contemporary India.
- (b) Attempt an overview of the policies and strategies of rural development in India.

(*Turn Over*)

2. Answer any *two* of the following : 5×2

- (a) Point out the salient characteristics of the economy of rural India.
- (b) How is land ceiling related to land reforms ?
- (c) Write a short note on agrarian changes in contemporary India.

GROUP-B

[Marks : 20]

3. Answer any *one* of the following : 10×1

- (a) Examine the dependency theory of rural development with special reference to its relevance in India.
- (b) Attempt a synoptic view of the rural development bureaucracy in India.

4. Answer any *two* of the following : 5×2

- (a) What are the main objectives of rural development ?

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- (b) Identify the distinctive features of development administration.
- (c) Point out the main criteria for designing an appropriate organization.

[*Internal Assessment* : 10 marks]
