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# SECOND SEMESTER M.A. DEGREE (REGULAR/SUPPLEMENTARY) EXAMINATION, APRIL 2025

(CBCSS)

Islamic History

#### ISH2C01—MUSLIM POLITY IN MEDIEVAL AGE

(2019 Admission onwards)

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 30 Weightage

#### Section A (Short Answers)

Answer any **four** questions in not less than 50 words. Each question carries 2 weightages.

- 1. Battle of Marj Dabiq.
- 2. Academy of Al-Azhar.
- 3. Nizamul Mulk.
- 4. Tahirids.
- 5. Chingiz Khan.
- 6. Siege of Akka.
- 7. The Zangids.

 $(4 \times 2 = 8 \text{ weightage})$ 

### Section B (Short Essay)

Answer any four questions in not less than 150 words.

Each question carries 3 weightages.

- 8. How did the Fatimids and the Ayyubids differ in their religious views?
- 9. Describe the salient features of the administrative development under the Ayyubids.
- 10. Jawhar al Siquili became the second founder of Fatimids. Explain.
- 11. Under Al Muizz North Africa attained highest pitch of civilization. Elucidate.

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- 12. Briefly describe the circumstances led to the establishment of Mamluk rule.
- 13. Explain the role of Salahudeen Ayyubi in the Third Cusade.
- 14. Explain the circumstances of Crusades.

 $(4 \times 3 = 12 \text{ weightage})$ 

## Section C (Long Essay)

Answer any **two** questions in not less than 450 words.

Each question carries 5 weightages.

- 15. Assess the literary and intellectual achievements under the Mamluk.
- 16. How did Baybars convert Egypt as the spiritual capital of the Muslim world? Discuss.
- 17. Ayyubid contribution in Africa had no parallel. Discuss.
- 18. Fatimids Empire reached its zenith during the period of Al Aziz. Explain.

 $(2 \times 5 = 10 \text{ weightage})$