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

(CBCSS)

History

### HIS 4C 01—PROBLEMS AND DEBATES IN CONTEMPORARY INDIA

(2019 Admission onwards)

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 30 Weightage

Answers can be written **either** in English **or** Malayalam. Only one language should be used throughout the Answer script.

#### Section A (Short Answers)

Answer any **four** questions from the following. Each question carries 2 weightage.

- 1. Mixed Economy.
- 2. Potti Sri Ramulu.
- 3. Khalisthan.
- 4. Naxalbari Movement.
- 5. Operation Bluestar.
- 6. Kothari Commission.
- 7. Self Employed Women's Association (SEWA).

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

## Section B (Short Essays)

Answer any **four** questions from the following. Each question carries 3 weightage.

- 8. Elaborate the concept of secularism in the Indian context.
- 9. Review the work of State Reorganisation Commission.
- 10. Assess the impact of nationalisation of banks.

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- 11. Examine the importance of Chipko movement.
- 12. Write on the formation of Janata Party.
- 13. Evaluate the effects of Emergency on Indian democracy.
- 14. Trace the growth of Hindutva politics.

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

# Section C(Long Essays)

Answer any **two** questions from the following. Each question carries 5 weightage.

- 15. Do you consider Nehru as the architect of Independent India? Substantiate your argument.
- 16. 'Communalism poses a serious threat to our nation'- Comment.
- 17. Explain the political economy of LPG.
- 18. Assess the working of Panchayati Raj institutions in India.

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