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**THIRD SEMESTER M.A. DEGREE (REGULAR/SUPPLEMENTARY)
EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2024**

(CBCSS)

Islamic History

ISH 3C 01—THE OTTOMAN TURKEY AND THE SAFAVID PERSIA

(2019 Admission onwards)

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 30 Weightage

*Answers should be written **either** in English **or** Malayalam.***Part A (Short Answer Questions)***Answer any **four** questions in not less than 50 words.**Each question carries 2 weightage.*

1. Mustafa The Impostor.
2. The Kapikulu army.
3. Battle of Zenta.
4. The Auspicious Event.
5. Millet system.
6. Shakulu Rebellion.
7. Qizilbash.

(4 × 2 = 8 weightage)

Part B (Short Essay Questions)*Answer any **four** questions in not less than 150 words.**Each question carries 3 weightage.*

8. Analyse the factors that facilitated the emergence of Mohammed I as the Ottoman sultan.
9. Examine how Bayazid II managed the Balkan problems during his regime.
10. Give an account of the palace institution of the Ottoman administrative system.

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11. Analyze the reforms of Murat IV to halt the decline of the Ottoman Empire.
12. Evaluate the career and achievements of Midhat Pasha as a statesman.
13. Trace the evolution of the Safavids and their transformation as a dynasty.
14. Examine the relation between the Safavid Persia and the Ottoman empire during the time of Shah Tahmasp.

(4 × 3 = 12 weightage)

Part C (Essay Questions)

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

Each question carries 5 weightage.

15. Examine how far the sobriquet 'Al Qanuni' matches to Sulaiman the Magnificent.
16. Critically evaluate the factors that led to the decline of the Ottoman Empire.
17. Review the significance of the Tanzimat reforms.
18. Write an estimate of the contributions of Shah Abbas to Safavid Persia.

(2 × 5 = 10 weightage)