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**FIRST SEMESTER M.A. DEGREE (REGULAR/SUPPLEMENTARY)  
EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2023  
(CBCSS)**

Islamic History

ISH 1C 03—HISTORY OF THE CALIPHATE

(2019 Admission onwards)

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 30 Weightage

**Part A ( Short Answers)**

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

1. Musa bin Nusyr
2. The Aqsa Mosque
3. Mawalis
4. Hunayn Ibn Ishaq
5. Abul Hasan Al Ash'ari
6. Al Ghazzali
7. Shi'ah

(4 × 2 = 8 weightage)

**Part B (Short Essay)**

*Answer any **four** questions in not less than **150** words.  
Each question carries 3 weightage.*

8. Assess the role of Hajjaj ibn Yusuf in the consolidation of Umayyad dynasty.
9. Discuss the military organization under the Umayyads.
10. Give an account on the fall of the Umayyad dynasty.
11. Harun al-Rashid considered as the most brilliant among the Abbasid caliphs, Elucidate.
12. Highlight the forces that worked behind the Muslim intellectual awakening.

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13. Explain the role of the Qarmatians in the fall of Abbasid dynasty.
14. Bring forth the status of Dhimmis in the Abbasid society.

(4 × 3 = 12 weightage)

**Part C (Long Essay)**

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

*Each question carries 5 weightage.*

15. Describe the Islamic conquests during the reign of Walid ibn Abdul Malik.
16. Write an essay on the administration of the state under the Umayyads
17. Examine the causes that led to the establishment of the 'Abbasid Dynasty.
18. Review the main features of arts and architecture under the Abbasids.

(2 × 5 = 10 weightage )