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B.A. DEGREE (C.B.C.S.S.) EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2022

Fourth Semester

Complementary Course—Political Science
POLITICAL THEORY
(2013 to 2016 Admissions)

Time: Three Hours

Maximum Marks: 80

Part A

Answer all the following questions.

Answer in a Sentence or two.

Each answer carries 1 mark.

- 1. Elites.
- 2. Kinship.
- 3. Terrorism.
- 4. Harold Laski.
- 5. Interest group.
- 6. Citizen Charter.
- 7. Political economy.
- 8. Political legitimacy.
- 9. Cross cultural study.
- 10. Political Communication.

 $(10 \times 1 = 10)$

Part B

Answer any **eight** from this part. Each question carries 2 marks.

- 11. What is Geo-politics?
- 12. Write a note on Civil society.

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- 13. Define Political Socialization.
- 14. What is Minority Representation?
- 15. What do you mean by Pressure Groups?
- 16. What is Structural-Functional Approach?
- 17. "Withering away of the state"? Examine the context.
- 18. Point out the significance of 'Public Interest Litigation'.
- 19. Differentiate between Liberal and Socialist Democracy.
- 20. Consider the relations between Rights and Duties in India.
- 21. Write a note on Traditional approaches in political studies.
- 22. Citizenship is essentially a political and legal concept, give your opinion.

 $(8 \times 2 = 16)$

Part C

Answer any **six** questions. Each answer carries 4 marks.

- 23. Marxist approach to the study of politics. Explain.
- 24. What is Delegated legislation? Examine its limitations.
- 25. Classify Social Systems on the basis of modernization.
- 26. Differentiate between Liberal and Socialist Democracy.
- 27. Behaviouralism is a subtle defence of status quo, critically comment.
- 28. Critically analyze the theory of liberalism with special reference to its concepts of liberty, democracy and justice.
- 29. Nation states will remain the most powerful actors in Globalization. Critically examine.
- 30. Define Authority in Political theory. Examine how it is different from Influence and power.
- 31. What is Communalism? Trace the origin of Communalism in India Politics.

 $(6 \times 4 = 24)$





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Part D

Answer any **two** questions. Each question carries 15 marks.

- 32. Post-behaviour stands for both an intellectual tendency and a concrete academic movement-Eastern David. Comment.
- 33. "The individual has but one right; the right of equal freedom with everybody else and state has but one duty, duty of protecting that right against fraud and violence". Comment.
- 34. Define Political Science. Examine the major trends in the study of politics.
- 35. What is Party system? Critically examine the changing trends in the party system in India.

 $(2 \times 15 = 30)$

