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**MAHATMA GANDHI UNIVERSITY, KOTTAYAM**  
**FIRST SEMESTER MGU-UGP (HONOURS) REGULAR**  
**EXAMINATION NOVEMBER 2024**

**First Semester**

**Discipline Specific Core Course - MG1DSCJMC101 - CONSTITUTIONAL LAW**

(2024 ADMISSION ONWARDS)

Duration: 2 Hours

Maximum Marks: 70

**Remember (K), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C), Interest (I),  
Appreciation (Ap), and Skill (S)**

*Students should attempt atleast one question from each course outcome to enhance their overall  
outcome attainability.*

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**Part A**

**Multiple Choice Questions**

Answer all questions. Each question carries 1 mark

- 1      What was the primary objective of the Constituent Assembly of India?      [U]    [1]  

a) To elect the President

b) To draft the constitution

c) To amend the existing laws

d) To form new states
  
- 2      Which Article of the Indian Constitution provides for the termination of      [K]    [1]  
         citizenship?  

a) Article 7

b) Article 11

c) Article 9

d) Article 15
  
- 3      which Article of the Constitution guarantees right to life and personal liberty      [U]    [2]  
         ?  

a) Article 20

b) Article 22

c) Article 21

d) Article 23

- 4 Which of the following is not a fundamental duty under Article 51A? [U] [2]
- a) To promote harmony and the spirit of common brotherhood      b) To protect and improve the natural environment
- c) To defend the country      d) To pay taxes honestly
- 5 What is the main purposes of Article 19(2) of the Indian Constitution? [K] [3]
- a) To promote absolute freedom of speech      b) To protect individual privacy
- c) To outline reasonable restrictions on freedom of speech and expression      d) To guarantee the right to assembly
- 6 The Directive Principles of State Policy are: [U] [4]
- a) Justiciable      b) Non-justiciable
- c) Enforceable by law      d) Mandatory
- 7 Who is the head of the State Executive in India? [K] [5]
- a) Governor      b) chief Justice
- c) Chief Minister      d) Speaker
- 8 The Concurrent List is mentioned in which schedule of the Constitution? [U] [6]
- a) Second Schedule      b) Seventh Schedule
- c) Fifth Schedule      d) First Schedule
- 9 Which amendment added the word "secular" to the Preamble of the Indian Constitution? [U] [7]
- a) 42nd Amendment      b) 44th Amendment
- c) 45th Amendment      d) 46th Amendment
- 10 Which of the following is the appropriate description of the relationship between religion and the state in India? [An] [7]
- a) Only citizens of India      b) Religious governance
- c) Dominance of one religion      d) Mutual respect and coexistence

(10 × 1 = 10)

### **Part B**

#### **Short Answer Type Questions ( 100 Words )**

Answer any ten questions. Each question carries 3 marks

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|----|--|------|--------|
| 11 | Describe the basic structure of the Constitution.  | [U]  | [1]    |
| 12 | Distinguish between single and dual citizenship  | [U]  | [1]    |
| 13 | Analyse the importance of Article 32 and 226 of the Indian Constitution.                             | [An] | [2]    |
| 14 | Fundamental rights are available against the State and not against private individuals. Explain.     | [U]  | [2]    |
| 15 | Fundamental duties are considered as a code of conduct for the citizens of India. Examine            | [An] | [2]    |
| 16 | Freedom of speech and expression guaranteed under the Constitution is not an absolute right. Explain | [U]  | [3]    |
| 17 | Analyze how the Directive Principles reflect the ideals of the Indian Constitution.                  | [An] | [2, 4] |
| 18 | Describe the Constitutional provisions relating to service conditions of High Court Judges           | [U]  | [5]    |
| 19 | Identify the role of Vice-President of India   | [U]  | [5]    |
| 20 | Distinguish between Union list and State list.   | [U]  | [6]    |
| 21 | Enumerate the rights of the members of the legislature with respect to freedom from arrest           | [U]  | [7]    |
| 22 | Analyse the role of Governor for the declaration of state emergency.                                 | [An] | [7]    |

(10 × 3 = 30)

### **Part C**

#### **Essay Type Questions**

Answer any two questions. Each question carries 15 marks

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| 23 | Discuss in detail, the salient features of the Indian Constitution  | [U]  | [1] |
| 24 | Analyze the scope of Public Interest Litigation in the context of the remedial measures provided by Article 32 of the Indian Constitution.                  | [An] | [2] |
| 25 | The freedom of speech and expression guaranteed by the Constitution is subject to limits. Analyse.  | [An] | [3] |
| 26 | "The Supreme Court is the highest court of appeal in the country". Discuss the statement with special reference to the appellate jurisdiction of the court. | [U]  | [5] |

(2 × 15 = 30)

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