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PHILOSOPHY

(Theory Paper)

Paper : PHL 803C

(Political Philosophy)

Full Marks – 80

Time – Three hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks
for the questions.

1. Choose the correct one : 1×6=6
- (a) Who was the most known sophist of Greece ?
- (i) Gorgias (ii) Antiphone
(iii) Protagoras (iv) Prodicus
- (b) In which book did Plato illustrate his concept
of Justice ?
- (i) Symposium (ii) Republic
(iii) The trial of death of Socrates
(iv) Great Dialogues of Plato

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(c) "The state is the Supreme Association" said by

- (i) Protagoras (ii) Aristotle
(iii) Plato (iv) Socrates

(d) Which of the following is the famous book of Aristotle?

- (i) Republic
(ii) Symposium
(iii) The trial of death of Socrates
(iv) Politics

(e) Who did write "Communist Manifesto"?

- (i) Aristotle (ii) Karl Marx
(iii) Plato (iv) Rousseau

(f) "Treatises of Government was written by

- (i) John Locke (ii) Hobbes
(iii) Karl Marx (iv) Rousseau.

2. Give brief answer : 2×5=10

- (a). What was Socrates ideal form of Government?
(b) What do you understand by Plato's Concept of Philosopher King?

(c) Who is called the father of Political Science and why?

(d) What is the meaning of 'Leviathan'?

(e) What do you mean by Secularism?

3. Answer any six of the following : 5×6=30

(i) What are the three views of Justice, according to Plato?

(ii) Why did Aristotle State, "The state is the Supreme Association"?

(iii) Examine Hobbes view on Social Contract.

(iv) Write a short note on 'Social Contract theory of John Locke'.

(v) Why is India called a Secular State?

(vi) What are Rawl's two principles of Justice?

(vii) What are Robert Nozick's three principles of Justice?

(viii) What did Karl Marx mean by class struggle?

(ix) What are the main aspects of Liberalism?

4. Discuss any *two* of the following : $10 \times 2 = 20$

(i) State and criticise Plato's theory of Justice.

(ii) What is the state of Nature ? Distinguish between the views of Hobbes and Hocke regarding the state of Nature.

(iii) Discuss critically the main problems of Indian Secularism.

5. Evaluate John Locke's theory of social contract. What form of Government had Locke put forward through his theory ? $4 + 10 = 14$

Or

What is secularism ? What are the differences between Indian Secularism and Western Secularism ?