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**POLITICAL SCIENCE**

(Theory Paper)

Paper Code : PSC-309

**Comparative Public Administration  
(India, UK, Japan, France and USA)**

Full Marks - 80

Pass Marks - 32

Time - Three hours

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

1. Answer any *two* of the following :  $15 \times 2 = 30$ 
  - (a) 'What is meant by Approach to the study of Comparative Public Administration' ? Discuss theoretical assumptions of study of Comparative Public Administration. Also highlight some of the important causes of their acceptance.  $5+5+5=15$

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(b) Discuss the impact of Behaviouralism on Comparative Public Administration Studies. What are main points of criticism of Behaviouralism against traditionalists ? How far do you agree ? Comment. 6+6+3=15

(c) How far do you agree with the view that development administration and administrative development are two sides of the same coin ? How and in what way development administration and traditional (non-development) administration differ from each other ? 5+10=15

(d) Discuss the main features of Administrative systems of England and France. How and in what way both differ from each other ? 10+5=15

2. Answer any *two* of the the following questions : 10×2=20

(a) In your opinion, what are the important factors responsible for the growth of study of Comparative Public Administration in recent times ? Discuss each in brief. 10

(b) Critically evaluate the functioning of Treasury in England and Ministry of Finance in India. 10

(c) Discuss the organisation and nature of Local Government in USA and Japan. 10

(d) Critically examine Riggs views on Comparative Public Administration. 10

3. Write short notes on any *four* of the following : 5×4=20

(a) Ferrel Heady on Nature of Comparative Public Administration

(b) The Role of Comparative Politics Movement on CPA

(c) Recent Literature on Comparative Public Administration

(d) Composition of the House of Representatives of the Japanese Diet

(e) French Council of Minister

(f) Powers of U.S. Presidency

(g) French Prime Minister

(h) Budget Bureau in USA.

4. Choose the correct options of the following : 2×5=10

(a) Communes is

(i) the smallest French territorial division for administrative purposes.

- (ii) one unit of Japanese Local Administration
  - (iii) part of U.S. Local Administration
  - (iv) None of the above
- (b) Which of the following Commission proposed the use of performance rating in the U.S. Government for the first time ?
- (i) Second Hoover Commission
  - (ii) First Hoover Commission
  - (iii) U.S. Advisory Commission on Inter Governmental Relations
  - (iv) National Commission on Public Services
- (c) Which one of the following is not the qualification for the President of USA ?
- (i) He should be a national born US citizen.
  - (ii) He should have attained at least 35 years of age.
  - (iii) He should be a US resident for at least 10 years.
  - (iv) He should not have completed two terms of the Presidency.

- (d) According to F.W. Riggs, which one of the following shift does not denote the trends in Comparative Public Administration ?
- (i) From normative to empirical orientation
  - (ii) From ideographic to nomothetic orientation
  - (iii) From formal to informal orientation
  - (iv) From non-ecological to ecological orientation.
- (e) Arrange the following institutions of Local Government in U.K. in descending order. Use the given below :
- (i) Metropolitan District
  - (ii) Metropolitan country
  - (iii) Parish
  - (iv) Shine
- (A) (ii), (i), (iv) and (iii)
- (B) (ii), (iii), (iv) and (i)
- (C) (iv), (i), (ii) and (iii)
- (D) (i), (iv), (iii) and (ii).