

2015

**POLITICAL SCIENCE**

Paper : 305

**SOUTH ASIAN STUDIES**

Full Marks : 80

Time : 3 hours

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

1. Answer any two questions: 15 x 2 = 30
- (a) Make a critical observation on the geo-political importance of south Asia in world politics. 15
- (b) Discuss the post colonial ethnic movement in Bangladesh with special reference CHT region. 15
- (c) Analyze the ethnic assertion in North East India with special reference to Naga Movement. 15
- (d) Discuss the genesis of ethnic conflict in Sri Lanka? 15
2. Answer any two questions: 10 x 2 = 20
- (a) What do you mean by nation state system? Discuss the main characteristics of a nation state. 3 + 7 = 10
- (b) Comments on the social fabric of south Asia. Analyze the problems of minority in south Asian society. 5 + 5 = 10

(c) What are the factors that contributed to the military intervention in the politics of Pakistan or Bangladesh?

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3 Write short notes on any four of the following:  $5 \times 4 = 20$

(a) Corruption

(b) Pluralism

(c) AFSPA

(d) Look East Policy

(e) Autonomy Movement in NE India

4. Answer all the questions:  $2 \times 5 = 10$

(a) Mention four main objective of SAARC.

(b) When was AFSPA enforced in J&K.?

(c) Name the capital of Maldives and its present President.  
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(d) What do you mean by ethnicity?

(e) Name the present interlocutor between the ULFA and the GOI.

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