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MA 3rd Semester (New) Exam., 2019 (W)

POLITICAL SCIENCE

[PGPS S3-03]

(Human Rights : Institutional Arrangements)

Full Marks : 80

Time : 3 hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

1. *(a)* Answer the following questions : 1×8=8

(i) In which year did the Second Optional Protocol come into force?

(ii) Write the meaning of the term 'refugee'.

(iii) Who was the first Indian to be the President of UN General Assembly?

(iv) State the meaning of the term 'indigenous people'.

(v) What is the first Human Rights Declaration adopted by the United Nations?

(vi) State the meaning of Public Interest Litigation.

(vii) Which Article of the Indian Constitution prohibits human trafficking?

(viii) What is Protracted Social Conflict?

(b) Fill in the blanks : 1×4=4

(i) The Universal Declaration of Human Rights has a total of _____ Articles.

(ii) The Vienna Declaration on Human Rights was adopted in the year _____.

(iii) The Madrid Plan of Action focuses on _____ priority areas.

(iv) The Convention on the Rights of the Child (CRC) was adopted on _____.

(c) Choose the correct option from the following questions : 1×4=4

(i) The Education For All (EFA) Movement was launched in the year

(1) 1980
(2) 1990
(3) 2000
(4) 2010

(ii) The Headquarters of the ILO is situated in

(1) America
(2) England
(3) Geneva
(4) China

(iii) The Human Rights Watch get the Nobel Peace Prize in the year

(1) 1987
(2) 1997
(3) 2007
(4) 2017

(iv) The Fundamental Rights of the Indian Constitution are mentioned in Part

(1) II
(2) III
(3) IV
(4) IX

2. Answer any *five* from the following questions (each within *50* words) : 2×5=10

(a) State the meaning of Human Rights.

(b) Mention any two rights incorporated in the Declaration on the Rights of the Indigenous People.

(c) What was the goal of the decade of the world's indigenous people?

(d) Mention any four functions of the National Human Rights Commission.

(e) Write the main causes of conflict between the indigenous groups and immigrants in BTAD area of Assam.

(f) Write briefly about Johan Galtung's views on conflict resolution.

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3. Answer any *four* from the following questions (each in around *150* words) : 3×4=12

(a) Write a note on Universal Declaration on Human Rights.

(b) Write the main functions of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR).

(c) Write a note on the Declaration of the Rights of the Child.

(d) Explain in brief about the Human Rights Movements during colonial period.

(e) Write a short note on the Directive Principles of State Policy in India.

4. Answer any *three* from the following questions (each in around *250* words) : 6×3=18

(a) Discuss the various world conferences regarding women's rights.

(b) Examine the role of the ILO in promoting and protecting Human Rights.

(c) Explain the role of the NGOs in promotion and protection of Human Rights.

(d) Examine the problem of child labour in India. What are its main causes?

5. Answer any *three* from the following questions (each in around *300* words) : 8×3=24

(a) Examine the activities of the UN Human Rights Council.

(b) Discuss the Human Rights Education.

(c) What do you understand by elder abuse? Discuss the problems of elderly population. 2+6=8

(d) What are the constitutional safeguards for women's right in India?

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