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POLITICAL SCIENCE

(Major)

Course : 604

(Indian Administration)

Full Marks : 80

Pass Marks : 32/24

Time : 3 hours

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

1. Choose the correct option/Answer the following : 1×8=8

(a) 'Article 123' of the Indian Constitution provides for

- (i) the ordinance making power of the President
- (ii) advisory jurisdiction of the Supreme Court
- (iii) special status of Jammu and Kashmir

(2)

- (b) Which of the following statements is incorrect regarding Prime Minister's Office of India?
- It is a statutory body.
 - It is a staff agency to the Prime Minister.
 - It has no attached and subordinate body under it.
- (c) As per the Constitution of India, a new All India Service can be instituted with only on the initiative of which among the following?
- Lok Sabha
 - Rajya Sabha
 - Interstate Council
- (d) Who is the present Chairperson of the Union Public Service Commission of India?
- (e) The Cabinet Secretariate functions directly under the Prime Minister of India.
- True
 - False
- (f) Which of the following does not fall under the assigned responsibilities of Deputy Commissioners in India?
- Maintenance of law and order
 - Supervisions of police and jail
 - State budget

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(3)

- (g) Which of the following is not a constituent of All India Services (AIS)?
- Indian Administrative Service (IAS)
 - Indian Forest Service (IFS)
 - Indian Foreign Service (IFS)
- (h) How is the Governor of a State appointed in India?
2. Write short notes on the following (**within 150 words** each) : 4×4=16
- Politician and Civil Servant relationship in India
 - Working tie-up between the secretariate and field departments in State administration in India
 - Distinct features of district administration in India
 - Committed vs. Neutral bureaucracy

Answer the following questions (**within 500 words** each) :

3. Make an attempt to discuss the political environment of Indian administration. 12

Or

Critically assess how constitutional environment shaped Indian administration. 12

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4. Compare and contrast the administrative* role of the President and the Prime Minister of India. 11

Or

Write a note on Minister-Secretary relationship in union administration of India. 11

5. Explain the composition and basic functions of the State Secretariate in Indian States. 11

Or

Elaborately discuss the role of Council of Ministers in State administration of India. 11

6. Critically examine the working and role of district administration in India. 11

Or

Discuss the functions and role of the Divisional Commissioners in Divisional administration. 11

7. Discuss how the Union Public Service Commission (UPSC) plays its role in Indian administration. 11

Or

Highlight the composition and functions of State Services in India. 11
