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**2020**

**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) Who is the present Cabinet Secretary of India?

(b) Who appoints the Chief Secretary of State's administration in India?

(c) Mention one All India Services there in India.

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- (d) Who is the present Chairperson of Assam State Public Service Commission?
- (e) How many types of ministers are there in Union Council of Ministers? What are these?
- (f) The Head of the Government in India has been the
- Prime Minister
  - President
  - Cabinet Secretary
  - Vice President
- (g) The Prime Minister's Office of India is a
- Line Agency
  - Staff Agency
  - Both Agencies
  - None of the above
- (h) Who chairs the meeting of the State Cabinet in India?
2. Write short notes on the following (**within 150 words** each) : 4×4=16
- Administrative role of the President of India
  - Working relationship between the Chief Minister and State Secretariat in regard to administrative functions

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- (c) Basic challenges before the district administration in India during the 2nd decade of 21st century
- (d) Advisory functions of Union Public Service Commission
3. Make an attempt to critically discuss the socio-cultural base of Indian administration. 6+6=12

Or

Do you think that Indian administration is just the continuation of the British legacy? Substantiate your answer with proper arguments. 12

4. Highlight the principal characteristic features of the Union administration of India. What are the major drawbacks, according to you, in this regard? 7+4=11

Or

Write a note on the role of Cabinet Secretariat in Union administration of India. 11

5. Explain the major functions of the Chief Secretary of States in State administration in India. 11

Or

Assess the relationship between the State Secretariat and the field departments in State administration in India. 11

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6. Critically examine the role of the Deputy Commissioners in district administration in India. Do you have any suggestion in this regard for smooth functioning of the Office of Deputy Commissioner? Explain. 7+4=11

Or

Highlight the composition of the district administration in India. Explain the role being played by the Divisional Commissioners in district administration in India. 4+7=11

7. Write a note on the All India Services in India incorporating their compositions, powers and functions. 3+8=11

Or

Make an attempt to critically address the basic issues of public services in India. 11

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