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IV Semester B.A. Degree (C.B.C.S.S. – O.B.E. – Regular/Supplementary/
Improvement) Examination, April 2025
(2019 to 2023 Admissions)

COMPLEMENTARY ELECTIVE COURSE IN POLITICAL SCIENCE FOR
HISTORY, B.A. SOCIAL SCIENCES (Optional History)
4C04POL : Dynamics of Indian Political System

Max. Marks : 40

Time : 3 Hours

PART – A

I. Short Answer. Answer **all** the questions **each** in **one** or **two** sentences. **Each** answer carries **one** mark.

- 1) Seventh Schedule.
- 2) Fraternity.
- 3) District Planning Committee.
- 4) Planning Commission.
- 5) Block Panchayath.
- 6) Constitutionalism.

(6×1=6)

PART – B

II. Answer **any six** questions **each** in a paragraph. **Each** answer carries **two** marks.

- 7) Write a brief note about NITI Aayog.
- 8) Discuss the factors that make Indian federalism unique.
- 9) What is the significance of the 42nd Amendment ?
- 10) What are Fundamental Rights ?
- 11) What is the importance of the Rajya Sabha ?
- 12) Write a short note on Ashok Mehta Committee.
- 13) Explain difference between cooperative and competitive federalism.
- 14) Write a note on Election Commission of India.

(6×2=12)

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PART – C

III. Answer **any four** questions **each** in **120** words. **Each** answer carries **three** marks.

- 15) Discuss the provision for 'equal pay for equal work' in Indian Constitution.
- 16) How do Urban Local Bodies (ULBs) function under the 74th Amendment ?
- 17) How does the Indian Constitution define justice ?
- 18) Define the concept of "reasonable restrictions".
- 19) What is the role of the Chief Minister in the State Government ?
- 20) Explain the functions of the Gram Sabha under the Panchayati Raj system.

(4×3=12)

PART – D

IV. Essay Questions. Answer **any two**, **each** answer carries **5** marks.

- 21) How does the Indian Constitution ensure a balance between flexibility and rigidity ?
- 22) Analyze the impact of Article 356 (President's Rule) on the federal structure of India.
- 23) Discuss the role of the Supreme Court of India as the guardian of the Constitution.
- 24) Discuss the composition, powers and functions of the Finance Commission.

(2×5=10)