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(2020 to 2023 Admissions)

CORE COURSE IN ISLAMIC HISTORY

4B 05 ISH : Sultanate of Delhi

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 40

PART – A
(Short Answer)

Answer **all** questions, **each** question carries **1** mark.

1. Qutubudin Kaki.
2. Firoz Zhah Tughlaq.
3. Parrot of India.
4. Silsila of Sufism.
5. Diwanul Barid.
6. Jiziya.

(6×1=6)

PART – B
(Short Essay)

Answer **any six** questions in **not less than 50** words **each**. **Each** question carries **2** marks.

7. Iltutmish and his militant reign.
8. Development of music under the sultanate.
9. Decline of the Delhi Sultanate.
10. Decentralisation of Delhi Sultanate.
11. Bhakti saints.
12. Persian influence in India.
13. Abolition of the Forty Corps.
14. Dahir and the Arab invasion of Sindh.

(6×2=12)
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PART – C
(Essay)

Answer **any four** questions in **not less than 150** words **each**. **Each** question carries **3** marks.

15. Shortly describe the features of the Lodhi rule under the Delhi Sultanate.
16. Comment on the administrative contributions of the Sayyed dynasty.
17. Assess the status of the women under the Delhi Sultanate.
18. Give an account of the three types of Markets introduced by Alauddin Khilji.
19. Sketch out the architectural features of Quwathul Islam complex of the Delhi Sultanate.
20. Differentiate the teachings and activities of the Sufi and Bhakti movements of medieval India.

(4×3=12)

PART – D
(Long Essay)

Answer **any two** questions in **not less than 300** words **each**. **Each** question carries **5** marks.

21. Compare and contrast the Indian invasions of Mahmud Ghazni and Muhammed Ghori.
22. Analyse the socio-political impact of the rule of the Delhi Sultanate in India.
23. Describe the unification of India under the Delhi Sultanate through the decentralisation.
24. Highlight the remarkable chapter of the Khilji dynasty among the other dynasties of the Delhi Sultanate.

(2×5=10)