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**UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL**

B.A. Honours 6th Semester Examination, 2023

**DSE-P3-POLITICAL SCIENCE (603)**

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 60

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks.*

**The Question paper contains DSE-603A and DSE-603B.  
The Candidates are required to answer any *one* from the *two* Courses.  
Candidates should mention it clearly on the Answer Book.**

**DSE-603A**

**INDIA AND HER NEIGHBOURS**

**GROUP-A**

**Answer any *two* questions from the following**

12×2 = 24

1. Examine the relationship between India and Pakistan with reference to Nuclear Policies and Nuclear Arms control policies. 12
2. Analyze the issues of concerns in Indo-Bangladesh Relations with special reference to developments in their bi-lateral relationship. 12
3. Write a note on areas of co-operation and conflict between India and Sri Lanka with reference to fisherman issues in Indian ocean. 12
4. Explain the ongoing Indo-Nepal Border dis-aggrement and describe the role of China in Indo-Nepal Relations. 6+6

**GROUP-B**

**Answer any *four* questions from the following**

6×4 = 24

5. Write a note on River-water issues affecting Indo-Bangladesh Relationship. 6
6. Discuss Major areas of co-operation and conflict between India and Pakistan. 6
7. Discuss the hydro-power project issue in India and Nepal relationship. 6
8. Write a note on several pillars of co-operation between India and Sri Lanka. 6
9. Write a note on India-Sri Lanka Free Trade Agreement [ISFTA] 2000. 6
10. Assess the joint efforts of India and Bangladesh for the Protection of the Sundarbans. 6

**GROUP-C**

11. Write short notes on any *four* of the following:

3×4 = 12

- (a) Doklam Border dispute
- (b) Simla Agreement

- (c) Treaty of Peace and Friendship, 1950 between India and Nepal
- (d) Article 370 — Past and Present
- (e) String of Pearls
- (f) The Tamil Question.

**DSE-603B**

**DEVELOPMENT PROCESS AND SOCIAL MOVEMENTS IN CONTEMPORARY INDIA**

**GROUP-A**

**Answer any *two* questions from the following**

12×2 = 24

1. What do you mean by Planning? Make a distinction between the Planning Commission and NITI Aayog in India. 4+8
2. Discuss the major economic reforms initiated under the New Economic Policy of 1991. 12
3. Examine the Agrarian crisis in India since 1990s and its impact on farmers. 12
4. Discuss critically the origin and causes of Tribal movements in contemporary India. 12

**GROUP-B**

**Answer any *four* questions from the following**

6×4 = 24

5. Discuss in brief the development priorities through the various five year plans in India. 6
6. What are the effects of privatisation on the organised and unorganised labour in India? 6
7. Make an estimate of the emergence of the new middle class in India. 6
8. Discuss in brief the major reasons for growing farmer's unrest in contemporary India. 6
9. Make a brief analysis of women's movement in India. 6
10. How has the state responded to the challenges posed by the Maoists in India? 6

**GROUP-C**

11. Write short notes on any *four*:

3×4 = 12

- (a) Five Year Plans
- (b) Concept of Mixed Economy
- (c) Concept of Privatisation
- (d) Dalit Movements
- (e) New Farm Laws
- (f) Civil Rights Movements.

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