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UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

B.A. Honours 1st Semester Examination, 2022

CC1-POLITICAL SCIENCE (101)

UNDERSTANDING POLITICAL SCIENCE

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 60

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks.
Candidates should answer in their own words and adhere to the word limit as practicable.*

GROUP-A

1. Answer any **two** questions from the following: 12×2 = 24
- (a) Discuss the meaning, nature and scope of Political Science. 12
- (b) Critically discuss 'Behavioural Approach' to the study of Political Science. 12
- (c) What is sovereignty? Point out the differences between Monistic and Pluralistic theory of sovereignty. 4+8
- (d) Analyse the concept of Equality. How far liberty and equality are compatible with each other? 4+8

GROUP-B

2. Answer any **four** questions from the following: 6×4 = 24
- (a) Distinguish between State and Society. 6
- (b) Discuss the relationship between Political Science and History. 6
- (c) Discuss in brief the state of nature as depicted by Hobbes. 6
- (d) Discuss the main tenets of Idealist theory of state. 6
- (e) Examine the Marxist Theory regarding the functions of state. 6
- (f) Discuss the different types of Rights. 6

GROUP-C

3. Write short notes on any **four** of the following: 3×4 = 12
- (a) Relationship between Political Theory and Political Philosophy 3
- (b) Distinguish between State and Government 3
- (c) De-jure and De-facto sovereignty 3
- (d) Rousseau's concept of 'General Will' 3
- (e) "Withering Away of the State"— Explain 3
- (f) Concept of Justice. 3

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