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Booklet No. **A**

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**2015**

( 5th Semester )

**POLITICAL SCIENCE**

**FIFTH PAPER**

( **Western Political Thought** )

*Full Marks : 75*

*Time : 3 hours*

( **PART : B—DESCRIPTIVE** )

( *Marks : 50* )

*The questions are of equal value*

**Answer all questions**

**UNIT—I**

**1. Critically examine Plato's concept of education.**

*Or*

**Discuss Aristotle's best practicable State.**

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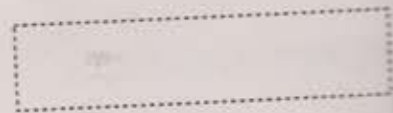
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To be filled in by the Candidate

DEGREE 5th Semester  
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INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

1. The Booklet No. of this script should be quoted in the answer script means descriptive type questions and versa.
2. This paper should be ANSWERED and submitted within 1 (one) hour of the commencement of Examination.
3. While answering the questions of this booklet, any cutting, erasing, writing or furnishing more than one answer is prohibited. Any rough work, if required, should be done on a separate sheet of paper and not on the main Answer Book. Instructions given in each question should be followed for answering that question only.

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UNIT—II

2. Discuss St. Augustine's statement on 'Two Cities'.

Or

Explain Machiavelli's view on religion and morality.

UNIT—III

3. Discuss Locke's views on limited government.

Or

Critically discuss the general will of Rousseau.

UNIT—IV

4. Analyze Bentham's political philosophy on utilitarianism.

Or

Examine the views of J. S. Mill on liberty.

UNIT—V

5. Discuss Hegel's concept of dialectics.

Or

Critically examine Marx's historical materialism.

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**POLITICAL SCIENCE**

FIFTH PAPER

**( Western Political Thought )**

( PART : A—OBJECTIVE )

( Marks : 25 )

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions*

Answer **all** questions

SECTION—A

( Marks : 10 )

Choose the most appropriate answer to the following by putting a Tick (✓) mark against it in the brackets provided :

1×10=10

1. Who believed that virtue was knowledge?

(a) Aristotle ( )

(b) Plato ( )

(c) St. Augustine ( )

(d) Karl Marx ( )

2. Aristotle justified the institution of slavery on the ground of

- (a) natural ( )
- (b) usefulness ( )
- (c) expediency ( )
- (d) All of the above ( )

3. The City of God was written by

- (a) Bentham ( )
- (b) Rousseau ( )
- (c) Hegel ( )
- (d) St. Augustine ( )

4. The Prince was written by

- (a) Hegel ( )
- (b) Machiavelli ( )
- (c) Plato ( )
- (d) Aristotle ( )

5. Who said, "Man is born free but everywhere he is in chains"?

- (a) Aristotle ( )
- (b) St. Augustine ( )
- (c) Rousseau ( )
- (d) Bentham ( )

6. Which philosopher believes the State of Nature is a 'war of all against all'?

- (a) Rousseau ( )
- (b) Hobbes ( )
- (c) Locke ( )
- (d) Rawls ( )

7. The principle of 'greatest happiness of greatest number' was advocated by

- (a) Jeremy Bentham ( )
- (b) J. S. Mill ( )
- (c) Machiavelli ( )
- (d) St. Augustine ( )

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8. "Over himself, over his body and mind, the individual is sovereign." Who said this?

- (a) J. S. Mill ( )
- (b) John Locke ( )
- (c) Karl Marx ( )
- (d) Rousseau ( )

9. Who wrote the *Communist Manifesto* with Karl Marx?

- (a) Hegel ( )
- (b) Joseph Stalin ( )
- (c) Lenin ( )
- (d) Friedrich Engels ( )

10. According to Marx, the history of all hitherto existing society is the history of

- (a) racism ( )
- (b) political problems ( )
- (c) class struggle ( )
- (d) exploitation ( )

SECTION—B  
( Marks : 15 )

Answer the following questions in 5 sentences each : 3×5=15

1. What is Justice according to Plato?

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2. Explain briefly Machiavelli's views on State.

( Marks : 12 )

3. Write a few words on Hobbes' 'State of Nature'.

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4. Write on Marx's theory of surplus value.

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5. Write down J. S. Mill's view on women.

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