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POLITICAL SCIENCE

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(Human Rights)

Full Marks : 80

Pass Marks : 32

Time : Three hours

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

1. Choose the correct answer : **(any six)**
1×6=6
- (a) Which of the following is the Charter of Human Rights ?
- (i) Bill of Rights
 - (ii) Constitution of media
 - (iii) The Cyrus Cylinder
 - (iv) Magna Carta

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- (b) The UDHR was adopted under whose chairmanship ?
- (i) Eleanor Roosevelt
 - (ii) Franklin D. Roosevelt
 - (iii) Woodrow Wilson
 - (iv) Trygve Lie
- (c) Who introduced the concept of three generation of Human Rights ?
- (i) Tullius Cicero Jeremy
 - (ii) Bentham
 - (iii) John Finnis
 - (iv) Karel Vasak
- (d) "Human Rights are those rights which are inherent in our nature and without which we cannot live as human beings". Who gave this definition of Human Rights ?
- (i) UDHR
 - (ii) UN Centre for Human Rights
 - (iii) Indian Constitution
 - (iv) African Constitution

- (e) Which day is celebrated as Human Rights day in South Africa ?
- (i) 21st January
 - (ii) 26th January
 - (iii) 21st March
 - (iv) 26th November
- (f) Who is the author of the book *Dwikhandito* ?
- (i) Salman Rushdie
 - (ii) M. F. Hussain
 - (iii) Malala Yousafzai
 - (iv) Taslima Nasrin
- (g) How many articles are there in ICCPR ?
- (i) 30 articles
 - (ii) 27 articles
 - (iii) 26 articles
 - (iv) 20 articles

- (h) What does CEDAW stand for ?
- (i) Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination Against Women
 - (ii) Covenant on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination Against Women
 - (iii) Commission on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination Against Women
 - (iv) Convention to Eliminate Discrimination Against Women
- (i) Which generation of rights is "right to peace" ?
- (i) 1st generation
 - (ii) 2nd generation
 - (iii) 3rd generation
 - (iv) 4th generation
- (j) *Apartheid* term came to be linked with a practice of discrimination in which of the following country ?
- (i) India
 - (ii) China
 - (iii) South Africa
 - (iv) USA

2. Answer the following questions : **(any five)**
2×5=10
- (a) What do you mean by surveillance ?
 - (b) Mention *two* differences between the First Generation and Second Generation of Human Rights.
 - (c) Write *any two* causes of caste related violence in India.
 - (d) Mention *any two* types of censorship.
 - (e) Mention *two* rights mentioned in second generation rights.
 - (f) When was the second optional protocol to the ICCPR adopted and when it came into force ?
 - (g) What do you mean by terrorism ?
3. Write short notes on **any six** of the following questions :
5×6=30
- (a) International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights
 - (b) Human Rights Council
 - (c) Importance of Human Rights
 - (d) Differences between Surveillance and Censorship in India and China

(e) Constitutional Safeguard against Torture in India.

(f) CEDAW

(g) Dowry Prohibition Act, 1961

(h) Significance of UDHR

(i) Right to Constitutional Remedies

(j) Vienna Conference on Human Rights

4. Answer **any two** of the following questions :

10×2=20

(a) What is caste ? Elaborate the caste related violence in India.

(b) What is gender based violence ? Discuss constitutional and legal provisions against gender based violence in Pakistan.

(c) Is there **any** relationship between minority community and terrorism ? Give your opinion.

(d) What is race ? Discuss the causes of racial violence in South Africa.

5. Answer **any one** of the following questions :

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(a) Explain the six Fundamental Rights of the Indian Constitution.

(b) Who are considered as minorities in USA ? Discuss the Constitutional and legal provisions to protect their rights.

(c) What do you mean by torture ? Critically examine the cases of torture and custodial death in India.