

## FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

B.A. III – Year (Regular) (New) Examination, March / April 2018

Subject : Political Science

Paper – III : Political Thought

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 100

Note : This paper contains three parts – Part A, B, C. Part - A Long Answers, Part – B Short Answers, Part – C Very Short Answers.

## PART – A (3x15=45 Marks)

Note: Answer any THREE of the following in about 30 lines.

- 1 Explain the nature and significance of Political Thought.
- 2 Critically examine Plato's theory of Ideal state.
- 3 Explain the nature and characteristics of Rousseau's General Will.
- 4 Discuss Jawaharlal Nehru's ideas on democratic socialism.
- 5 Write about Dr. B.R. Ambedkar's views on annihilation of caste.
- 6 Explain Hegel's theory of Dialectics.

## PART – B (3x10=30 Marks)

Note: Answer any THREE of the following in about 20 lines each.

- 7 Write about Aristotle's theory of classification of Governments.
- 8 Explain social ideas of Basava.
- 9 Explain Thomas Habbes theory of absolute sovereignty.
- 10 Write about Antonia Gramsci's theory of Hegemony.
- 11 Explain Thomas Aquinas theory of Law.
- 12 Explain Bentham's principles of Utilitarianism.

## PART – C (5x5=25 Marks)

Note: Answer any FIVE of the following in 10 lines each.

- 13 Saptang a Theory
- 14 Historical Materialism
- 15 New Democratic Revolution
- 16 Dhamma
- 17 Natural Rights
- 18 Ahimsa
- 19 Varna Dharma
- 20 Civil Society
- 21 Philosopher King
- 22 Political obligation