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OPEN COURSE - PS5OPT04 - HUMAN RIGHTS IN INDIA

2017 Admission Onwards

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Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

*Instructions to Private candidates only: This question paper contains two sections. Answer **SECTION I** questions in the answer-book provided. **SECTION II**, Internal examination questions must be answered in the question paper itself. Follow the detailed instructions given under **SECTION II***

Part A

*Answer any **ten** questions.*

*Each question carries **2** marks.*

1. Give the meaning of red rights.
2. Describe briefly about Magna Carta.
3. Just name few approaches to human rights.
4. Define Civil Rights.
5. Give examples of political rights guaranteed by the Indian Constitution.
6. Give a summary of International Bill of Rights for Women.
7. Identify various parts in the Indian Constitution that deal with human rights.
8. Define Public Interest Litigation.
9. Comment on the significance of the Protection of Human Rights Act, 1993?
10. Give a brief introduction about Amnesty International.
11. Give a summary of Human Rights Watch in India.
12. Write about the composition of National Commission for Scheduled Castes.

(10×2=20)





Part B

Answer any **six** questions.

Each question carries **5** marks.

13. Examine the liberal approach to human rights.
14. Examine the feminist views on human rights.
15. Discuss the problems faced in the democratic states while implementing the international covenants.
16. Assess the significance of labour rights in the International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights.
17. Analyse the Right to Equality as given in various parts of the Constitution.
18. Distinguish between Fundamental Rights and Directive Principles of State Policy.
19. Analyse the current realities of Human Rights in India.
20. Give a brief account of human rights movements in the West.
21. Make an analysis of the condition of dalits in India.

(6×5=30)

Part C

Answer any **two** questions.

Each question carries **15** marks.

22. Discuss the role of Indian Judiciary in the protection of human rights in India.
23. Critically analyse the role and shortcomings of UDHR in the protection of human rights.
24. Examine the provisions and democratic relevance of Right to Information Act, 2005.
25. A strong democracy needs human rights movements, NGOs and a strong civil society. Analyse with examples.

(2×15=30)

