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Time Allowed: 3 hr.

Max. Marks: 250

Instructions to Candidate

- · There are EIGHT questions. Candidate has to attempt FIVE questions in all.
- Question no. 1 and 5 are compulsory and out of the remaining, THREE are to be attempted.
- Answers must be written in the medium authorized in the Admission certificate which must be stated clearly on the cover of this Question-cum-Answer (QCA) booklet in the space provided. No marks will be given for answers written in medium other than the authorized one.

Attempts of questions shall be counted in chronological order. Unless struck off, attempt of

· Word limit in questions, wherever specified, should be adhered to.

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SECTION-A

Attempt all questions:

1. Answer the following questions in about 150 words each:

 $(12.5 \times 4 = 50)$

- (a) Electoral Function of Religion in Post Independent India. Discuss.
- (b) Ideological Trends in Indian Environmentalist movement.
- (c) The Dalit question and the women's movement in India. Examine.
- (d) Green Revolution: Short term remedy and long-term tragedy

Religion / has tion of mobilisation of munity for votes; especially in porison after country like India. (a) / Rudolph / and Rudolph the to a dition alisation arigue that of modernity/means that modern democratic propoceses are frighjacked to a ditiobal means of mobilisation Scholaus like Bypan Usandra are of view that Divide , Rule policy of com British encouraged elites to be communal in their voting. Ecsentialists like permont argue that muslims and Hisolu are inhountly centergonistic for centurius (Fg: Aurom gfel vs Shivaji) 6.3

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that competition for various state benigits (education, political patronege) makes elutoral politics. communatived. Scholaces like town Showen beilicies vote boarst polities and pseudo se ularism of parties. It can be noted that Veis elutoral meters in stope Notice elutoral mattres. This can white when the Clash of Civilisation of Scholouse and Civilisation whole NEnd of Schology post rold wish steen of Hindu nationalism marfalis mandal polities. Housever, scholaus like Ashish worndy/ believe that falignois is being med to builture of secular agunda an ideology. Thus it shows the shows the Incocaring pleabean is atton of Indian politics.

(b) The Indian envisor mentalist movement started in pre-colonial India with protests against communicalisation by Ponitish of Gorast selsowers (Eg Santhal, Munda subillion). Post-independence, it has bocured on a duellopmental variative. It has arigued you toibal rights (Kavel Vasak 3rd gen sights) and for collective ownership. Notable bentos de in voluement of NOIOs. Guba treve identified bollowing ideological toends, (a) bousading yandhicms who suly ar a moral/suliquous approach (b) Ecological/marxists - who argue for a class-based passerative

(c) Approopriate technologists who argue for developing sustainable

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tubnology (d) Wildumies enthusiate (Jim Loubett) (e) Scientific concornationists concorned yeth efficiency e management (3) Eco-ferninists like Vandama Deminism de décen à gendir-value connection. Medeul Stranma in Dulite and Nature" argue that present ideological bunds are of Brahmanical conjuptions. He gives term eco/consters to explain know Dalite narratuer is excluded from conceptions of nation. The Indian state thous seemstly Jollowed of reco- liberal approach (Eg EIA changes). In rusponse, judicial activism (NOIT, SC) have kept radical changes

at very.

(c) The Dalit question occose during Ray as educated Dalits (Phule, And leedle are) and rippers caste leadure (Gandhi) bought against untouchability. It leading to soud justice measures in Constitution (Asticle 17, 15, 16) alised within party polities. managifications and no real change // Belight voagsaurce led to a very consciougness and radical elembent (palet / Panthous). It led to Second Democratic Upringe (Yogunda yadaw) with /BSP as main agusay. a caste-pride and sequition of managinal approach. PB mehta in "New Palit challenge" looks at new Dalit / imagination. Thres, it has started and counter- beginning now (& g fignest metani)

Women's movement was historically lead by uppers coaste appro clais neonen (Raykum avii Annit Kawe), Post - independence, the state played a major vole in legal-statutory expansion of righte ty: - Hindu lock Bill, Iddress Dowey Act. Offend 1970s. with Novos like SEWA and missority growns knowline It shifted from institutionalis Win's Decade of women. They advocated for result title ray Of recommend bearing cond

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The for sack of chierrists. John Book stack of opinimism. Critical Meeron (Neeron Legislation than legislation than society (madhing for stately three how teens growth for society (madhing that there has teen growth that society (media) Heavelkon (d) Green Revolution decommatically increased prooduction and ended shortages. However, it resulted us imbalanted goweths, depeasinstisation and regional divide Remedy: Ite is prairied for high growth of agriculture (3-50/0) by economists like Ois Bhalla. This strengthined Jacumer bargaining power. It also led to high CISOP por coepita economies like Panjab and Harryana. Ley VR Row for incurating inequality. Hey arrapely that it bour led to de-precisantisation as smaller bermus gave up land to beiggur ones. Vandama Elma criticises the effect on enjoyersment and insustainable / legio agricultural practices.

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Schemes like "Per prop more loop and Sempada Majana are examples of judirected focus.

- 3. Answer the following questions:
 - (a) Governor has been described as the linchpin of the constitutional apparatus of the State having key role in Union-State relations. Examine. (300 Words) (25)
 - (b) Changing socio-economic profile of Legislators and its impact on functioning of Parliament. (300 Words) (25)

DE -JURE Governor is the (a) heard in the states constitutional appropriated by un tre 5 year teghn under pleasure (150 toficle) President. Goremor Tis described as Ho linelspir loccause of marpdate. As per toticle expueses pouver us accordence/ with constitution. adura of/com of states. But Solis oution any / powers 163(1) and (2) listorts (Eq: Asticle 358 imposition, everoration of ville for pecesidenstial (assent) Duke to threat of/secession ixeluded Constitution frameros yournor assured

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Sarkaria Commission resported that yournor was council to sabequard unity, and was agereed to ley Parach on Commission. It rescommended non-partisan appointments, consultation of and limiting use of Asticle 365 356. The Judiciary has also limited gabornatorial interprense. Bornwai lase ruling opened yournor's decisions to judicial pelview. It ruled that thange in party at untok cargonot be a beiers for/change of Gorginson. In Arouna chal Practish 2016 laye, sx sustoned legislative dessembly that nous dissolved. SI also aergyled for barmonious copstouction of Adicles 152 and 163. Further, sc interested in recent of subjection of marks

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Locio-economic probile of Legislators are unical to seeing superison tatuetiness of parliament as "em Godinsent of nation". 30 1st Lok Sabba, the major occupation vous lawyous. Those was a predominance of Boalsmins (Chuyuhill called it Constituent Assembly of Porcelingins) and upper castes. Fuerther, three was less than 3% of women suprusentation Ilsere was predominance of Conques members/ major occupation is agriculture bom more than 42%. Women supeusentation has improved to 1/2 leut lags behind BRICS wimbries. OB(s are single laugust caste group

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years. Karnataka bous higher asset uze of pol legislators (1) Caste and suligious mobilis attois remains rampoint (CSOS Sherrey). (d) Women superintentation is 60% in clumbping Rypanda. The 73°d & 74ts ombendment. mandate of 33% bassit

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resulted in upward push of women leadues. Impart on Parliament There are accusations of increaired corporate influence. Prabbat Patraik augues Hat Indian right and corporates (Eg: electoral bonds). even prompted be intercention They ruled on frew quicklines for disclosure of commal cases enforcedble from 2020 Bihar elections on wards. Ihrore is a lack of raparity building of Pauli amen taviams which leads to flack of technical expretise engriced to change adequately scoutinise bills.

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SECTION-B

Attempt all questions:

Answer the following questions in about 150 words each:

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- (a) Social media as a political communication platform. Discuss.
- (b) Caste as the determining factor in Indian politics. Comment.
- (c) Discuss Voting behaviour and Determinants of voting Behaviour in India.
- (d) 'The 'Nehruvian Consensus' was mix of principle and pragmatism. Substantiate with examples

a) Political communications is a two-neary made of interactions of political values and positions (a) between institutions and people is a belsaurouralist term. Jechnology has too eight (a verd (Doump's Twitter Diplomary) Latin Kaleboly Justinois) and solving grievanus (late EAM Syshma Swaraj interest aggregations and Interest auticulation. It Mas used as prospagamela

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(post- touth and bake news). Big data pewill with social media has influenced elutions like 2016 US Prusiclintial 000 elution (Combonidge Abaly tica). Datas as ven oil. Cotiums: Origital exclusion and usban sweal internet penetration divide is a legition ate consum, as tiberal state pushing for e-governme. and societal direide are noted in secular pourtoies (Eg: - Junkey & India - Symantra Bose). It has also executed in the sightward shift of the political Overton Window from pre 2008 neolibroal consumers. Thre, a balanced approach for political truse of social media is required (Eg: Twitter's)

(b) Rajni Kothadu aregued that (aste determines politices (politicisation of caste). For him, caste associations influence/lechanous of courte members. / Christophe Jufferelot argued that caste bom's the mosain of Indian polities and it helped in democratic despening. Yogundsa Jadow's Democratic Upswogis are an example. Rajini Kothavii Jacques that caste in polities has secularised, formed coust consciousness. This has led to recrical (top-down), honizontal (bottom-up) and toansvouse (coste integration and caste Jussius) mobilisation (Rudolph and Rudolph) Aparet boom empowering the masses, ap Bhain bon argues that

economic benefits like education) receivation boads to castebased mobilisation. (suticism: laste mobilisation is not good in the long term according to Aghutosh Naustiney. PB Mehta Pyrat it would be estable argues

Pyrat that it coeates social ficewers.

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(c) Volting lubraviour is the lubravioural amalysis of trends and patterns of people's volting. It shows inteclinkages lectrous political issues / ideology and political | soud shown. Determinants of voting behaviour - Adeological commitment Eg:-Hindutva Issue-based factors like national security and economic growth / corruption Structural factors like Buzans "Se curi tisation of deletites" and social media post-touth Carripaigns money and muscle power of parties Eg:- R. Kottsavis politicisation of politics



Hat Indian voter is well informed and participatory. Percentage of voting has only esigni fyng mass gone up thus enthusiciem. Stationic (a) economic A CSDS 2014 Sweety noted Mayor factor in elutions wayor factor in elutions based suligions based solving is rempont solving is rempont waters less money poneur matters less news whom when you to take money lent of the for theirs choice of usome. Yogundra Yadan augus that governmen is also important along with identity politics. This along with identity politics. This stogens but Ramai Padhai Pawai Sinchai clusing Bibar elections.

(d) The Nehmeian Consussus was a conception of Indian social contract, with the commitment to values of, (Bhupest International Secularism (Shaged) Distant Planning, [

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in the set of the seconomic sec demo erany ic word economic to Rationalismo e Scientific temper Seculariem was for forincipled and equal recepent. Thus, social justice to respons religions Eg: A 25, spublik order, morality as suspections. was essential to to finis Joon India Joom a Judal Souty. G. Austin thus called constitution as primarily a document for a social suroliction. Scientific temper loces to seid India of ealigrous cothoclony

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and ensure Individual and noomen empouvourent Eg: - Hunglu code Bill, establishment of/117s. It was also to duellop India into an expromic powerhouse and sustains growth to exactivate poiently and improve living conditions a toileute to their do minant socialist ideology as well as peragradatic lecenuse por vate industry didn't have regulared schenge investment in capital intensive sutors (Eg Bailways, From & Steel, gement). Internationally, India under Nehm wanted to welcom his protect roleological interforence and neo- 60 wind elsower extraction (were-periphony). Thus, it was a mire of foragmatición jestad poron upli

- 7. Answer the following questions:
 - (a) India's policies towards fiscal federalism favours the power structure to be tilted (300 Words) (25) towards the centre. Comment.
 - (b) Discuss the various types of states control over PRIs in India. Also give suggestions to make decentralized governance more effective, responsive, and accountable.

(300 Words) (25)

The constitution sets the (a) table for fiscal pederalism as separate from political federalism

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It has also been seen in seestrictions of states to boorow Grom international markets. As of 2017, only Official Develop mental Assistand is allowed leg world Baroks Sirst Resilient (Kvoale). lefore its dissolution as a non-estatutory body had voist powers to determine grants to states ! With no-liberal paradigm, the state has rutogated to the role of a Jacilitator. States are encouraged to be aperating within been market weith a strict bescal olisiphine and a telmo-managerial approach. Since UST, states beeve incuasingly bookered from comply with FRBM norms of biscel discipline. Issue of cost

compensation delay is a ussue Fuerthur, Scholaves like 6100801 arque that Fibance Commission is "meansingleys e irrelevant as it overestimate state unenus and underestimates expenditures; robele states of do the apposite. Yadhoud to PRBM are penalised via non-devolution of additional antral grants. New 15th FC paremeters of 2011 consus has buothers seedings shave of states like Murala gind Koumataka. Competitive Jeducalism of N177 Aayog is gentlined by Balveer Arrora as to exacerbates eregional inequality/ and diminishes susponsiteility of union to ensure balanced growth

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model of cooperative bedrealism.

If here brought fiscal federalism out of temples to isqueds tempo Anothur. Luciommendation is NITT tay og leeving green power for statutory grants based on the TNBERGEN RUKE (early policy parameter regnings separate policy tools). states have also set up weathy Junds (Eg Kiralas) KIIFB). Ilyus, three yeads to be a shift from nep-libral way of tulmo - managujalum and arstritoary imported bescal limits () soms EU is Mai FRBM At) towards a focus on good governme, capacity devolopment (A. Sen) and Remarks who start your solutions of integrated for Portnerick).

(b) PRIS neeve established under 13rd annendment runder Gandhian ponneiple of "Oceannic viscles of powers" and Micle 40 of DPSP.

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your sabba bus conscresus 3 Funds, functions and functionaries. States were reciponsible for devolution of 3Fs. Knodla is best work this best other states long behing (4) Area development - although 2nd are promoted the ponnaple of Subsidiality, states bare separated Junctions of planning and implementation. I hus, / Manni Shalpkau Aiyan Committee (2012) argued for circumt performs as "vio Panchayati Rej is better than kad / Panchayati Ray) Some/ sucomm endations auce. 1) Bruceautracy to forochie the method of devolution 3 lendre to draft modul Gram Sabha Jaw. to nudge states,

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bell to emulated nation wind. comprises of 40-150% devolution with significant powers of planning a implementation.

There also exists a strong state deweams any intertwined with PRIS for admissistrative execution. Throce is also an on bunden on for local govern ments.

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- 8. Answer the following questions:
 - (a) What do you understand by the term Identity Politics? Discuss its positive impact on democracies like India. (300 Words) (25)
 - (b) Even though, women are participating in electoral politics in India, there are several qualitative ways in which they are politically excluded. Comment.

(300 Words) (25)

Identity politics is a from of mobilisation that calls community/individual identities Identity politics inacactorised, negations of politics of reason and uplifturent indirei dual illentities to group (Collective Consciouses) exclusivest as complety Congidored natural. Scholers like thosowerts look at rise of ethiric polities since 1990s as due to duline

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been characterised by cloubs of _ civilisations. Ries of moral julations, post colonichem and multiculturale has influenced and expernded identity polities. Scholares like - Byithm Paruth argue you and. Sen argues it leads to Igho Hoisation" Three are also economic factores - Asgbar Ali Angenieve quotes competition for more state lounefits as a contributing factore Prismatie societies (Riggs) also have quator mobilisation of Jendal/ roadutional elements. Justher, multi-ethnic elseveneter along with competitive polities mined with social justice products
bull for identity positions.

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Impact in India (positive) fafferelote aggues that identity polities like faste dere mosair of Indian polities. It gas contributed to political empowerment and the deepening of democracy (Democratic upsweges - Yogundra Yaden) It bas led to peronounce upliftment of numberically dominant OBCs (gadews in UP, Muslims in Kayala). Fugither, it boses given / aspirations to athric groups (Eg Norgas) to fight for constitutional, socio- econo mic and development / rights. Sp Mushi dergus for any cecentialist perspective by saying that multi-layured identities of Indians expedes themselves as part of identity polities.

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(6) Women after independence overe part of invivousal subfrage opiens, which stanted their elutoral participation. a few soomen. Honour, India
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14010 women flegislators. Qualitation vays of exclusion The life on women ecesionation in Parliament and State aesternolies bors/bailed to pass 4 times. This would have quarens teed normers rusenation

Fuedhur, Penneheryati Raj suevoration model of 33% has not begin booadered by political parties in assembly a faciliament. / Structurally, Indian society continues to be duply pateriouchal and gundlesed, with gundle yap Anequality Inclus showing India romling 112th weith only 67% of gap / adduursed. Neerja Desga hour augued that state your done nothing but buestrys / bigaeore pieces of legis lation" forminists areged that class and class and class divide of women varies their experience of electoral exclusion, pati" whore husband continues to essercise power although

formally wife the occupies the seat. Gender inequality is economic emperoument (IFPR is half that of year) and Jerniniscetion of borevity coursed by ineffective state empoyoument. Ilrus, it is suggested to look at/ root course of social exclusion very structures (Newja Desai) and empower nomen via models like SHU Kudumbasan of Kerala / that in composates a, political empoyoument ongle - militarise gender wage gap via a missemum wage Statutory precisions like Women Reservation Bill adopt for intersectional Comingist cipalos o dich

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