

## ENTRANCE EXAMINATION, 2014

M.Phil./Ph.D.

## SOCIAL SYSTEMS

[ Field of Study Code : SOCP (146) ]

Time Allowed : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 70

- Note :**
- (i) Answer **one** question each from Section—A, Section—B and Section—D, and write any **two** short notes from Section—C.
  - (ii) **All** questions do not carry equal marks.
  - (iii) The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions.

## SECTION—A

( Answer any one )

1. Formulate a research design describing the methods of data collection you will choose, the themes you will cover and the methods of data analysis you will adopt, for any *one* of the following topics : 15
  - (a) To understand the experiences of the first generation of children from tribal communities attending primary school
  - (b) To study the extent of women's unpaid work in the family, such as cooking, care-giving, cleaning, etc.
2. Discuss the key features of the survey method and the case study method. Which of the two methods is most suitable to study the impact of technology on folk music? 15

## SECTION—B

( Answer any one )

3. Examine Max Weber's concept of bureaucracy and the process of rationalization. 20
4. Explore the relation between culture, personality and society according to Symbolic Interactionism. 20
5. Discuss two social theories dealing with the relation between colonialism and capitalism. 20

SECTION—C

6. Write short notes on any *two* of the following :

10×2=20

- (a) Social capital
- (b) Suburbanization
- (c) Reference group theory
- (d) Text view and field view in the study of religion

SECTION—D

( Answer *any one* )

- 7. Critically discuss the impact of agitational politics on policy making in India with two examples. 15
- 8. Discuss the link between health status and economic development of a region with examples from any two regions. 15
- 9. Analyze three important consequences of economic liberalization on village society. 15

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