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(May/June)

POLITICAL SCIENCE

(Core)

Paper : C–9

(Public Policy and Administration in India)

Full Marks : 80

Pass Marks : 32

Time : 3 hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

1. Answer the following as directed :　　1×8=8

   (a) "Public Policy is whatever government chooses to do or not to do." Who said this?

   (b) Who used the term 'policy science' for the first time?

   (c) The grassroots level government of federalism is Central Government / Local Government/State Government/ Coalition Government.

   　　　　　　　(Choose the correct answer)

　　　　　　　(Turn Over)

(d) Who is regarded as the father of the local self-government in India?

(e) The Budget is presented to the Lok Sabha by the President / Finance Minister / Prime Minister / Speaker.

(Choose the correct answer)

(f) What is the French word of 'budget'?

(g) Who is the appointing authority of Lokpal?

(h) When was the National Rural Health Mission launched?

2. Write short notes on the following (within *150* words each) : 4×4=16

(a) Four characters of public policy

(b) Conditions for the success of local self-government

(c) Objectives of the Public Service Guarantee Act

(d) Challenges to food security in India

3. Define public policy. Discuss the role of bureaucracy in policy-making process. 3+9=12

Or

Discuss the models of public policy. 12

4. What is decentralization? Discuss the significance of decentralization in administration. 3+8=11

Or

Discuss the significance of people's participation in local self-government. 11

5. Discuss the various stages of budget preparation. 11

Or

What is budget? Discuss the various types of budgeting. 3+8=11

6. Explain the basic provisions of the Right to Information Act, 2005. 11

Or

What is e-governance? Discuss the challenges of e-governance in India. 3+8=11

7. What do you mean by social welfare administration? Discuss its nature. 11

Or

What are the objectives of NHM? Discuss the major initiatives of NHM. 3+8=11

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