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(NEP—2020)

(3rd Semester)

POLITICAL SCIENCE

(Multi-disciplinary Course)

(**Introduction to the Constitution of India**)

(Regular & Repeater)

Full Marks : 75

Time : 3 hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

(**SECTION : A—OBJECTIVE**)

(Marks : 10)

Tick (✓) the correct answer in the brackets provided :

1×10=10

1. The words 'secular' and 'socialist' were added by

- (a) 42nd Amendment ()
- (b) 43rd Amendment ()
- (c) 44th Amendment ()
- (d) 45th Amendment ()

2. Who was the Chairman of the Drafting Committee in the Constituent Assembly?

- (a) Jawaharlal Nehru ()
- (b) Mahatma Gandhi ()
- (c) Rajendra Prasad ()
- (d) Dr. B. R. Ambedkar ()

8. The Rajya Sabha is also known as
 (a) House of the People ()
 (b) Council of States ()
 (c) Lower House ()
 (d) None of the above ()
9. What is the minimum age to be a member of the Lok Sabha?
 (a) 18 ()
 (b) 25 ()
 (c) 30 ()
 (d) 21 ()
10. The members of the Election Commission of India include
 (a) only the Chief Election Commissioner ()
 (b) one Chief Election Commissioner and one Election Commissioner ()
 (c) one Chief Election Commissioner and two Election Commissioners ()
 (d) one Chief Election Commissioner and three Election Commissioners ()

(SECTION : B—SHORT ANSWERS)

(Marks : 25)

Answer *five* questions, taking at least *one* from each Unit :

5×5=25

UNIT—I

1. Why is the 42nd Amendment considered a mini Constitution?
2. Explain the meaning of secularism in the context of the Indian Constitution.
3. What do you mean by parliamentary form of Government?

UNIT—II

4. Write a short note on the differences between Fundamental Rights and Directive Principles of State Policy.
5. Write down five Fundamental Duties of the Indian citizens.
6. Write a note on the composition of the Supreme Court of India.