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MASTER OF ARTS (PUBLIC POLICY)

Term-End Examination

July, 2013

MPP-006 : DECENTRALISED GOVERNANCE

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 100

Note : Attempt any five questions by selecting at least two questions from each section in about 500 words each.

SECTION-A

1. Discuss the economic and social rationale for decentralisation in Govt. at this juncture of social upheaval. 20
2. 'Decentralisation in India is natural process of moving from 'Raja' to 'Raj' to 'Swaraj'. Comment. 20
3. How can decentralisation stimulate dialogue between National Level Govt. and local citizens? Discuss. 20
4. Assess the decentralization process in various states in the country and compare with social and economic development of the states. 20
5. Write a note on Equal Distribution of Benefits of Development. 20

SECTION-B

6. "Decentralisation will help achieve MDGs at a faster pace for India". Comment. 20
 7. "Decentralisation fundamentally leads to better accountability of Governance apparatus". Elaborate. 20
 8. 'Autonomous District Councils in VIth schedule areas are one of the best examples of Decentralisation in India'. Illustrate. 20
 9. 'Decentralisation needs to be synchronised at the fiscal and political level for better effectiveness'. Examine. 20
 10. Write a note on Capacity Building of Grassroots Functionaries. 20
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