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M. A. PHILOSOPHY (MAPY)

Term-End Examination June, 2023

MPYE-006: DALIT PHILOSOPHY

Time: 3 Hours Maximum Marks: 100

Note: (i) Answer all the **five** questions.

- (ii) All questions carry equal marks.
- (iii) Answers to Question Nos. 1 and 2 should be in about 500 words each.
- Establish the relation between the oppression of Dalits and the religious traditions.

Or

Explain the materialistic features of Dalit world view and compare them with the world views of the non-Dalits.

Analyse Ambedkar's philosophy of the liberation of Dalits and compare it with the approach of Gandhi.

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Enunciate the concept of social justice according to E.V.R. Periyar and the Self Respect Movement. Examine whether the strategies of Dalit-liberation be modelled after the above.

- 3. Answer any *two* of the following questions in about **200** words each:
 - (a) Analyse the impact of liberalization and globalization on Dalit life and development.
 - (b) Examine the scope of Buddhism in developing a Dalit philosophy of liberation.
 - (c) Demonstrate the richness and uniqueness of aesthetic traditions of Dalits. 10
 - (d) Evaluate the principles of advaita as inspiring means against segregation.10

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4.	Ans	Answer any $four$ of the following questions in		
	about 150 words each:			
	(a)	Explain the contributions of Bhak	ti	
	movement towards Dalit liberation.			
	(b)	Examine the contribution of Mahatm	ıa	
	Jyotirao Phule to Dalit movement.			
	(c)	Describe Dalit philosophy	of	
	reconciliation.			
	(d)	Explain the process of dehumanization	n	
	through exclusion. (e) What is Shramana tradition?			
	(f)	Describe Sri Narayana Guru's criticisi	m	
		against caste system.	5	
5.	Write short notes on any <i>five</i> of the following in			
	about 100 words each:			
	(a)	Harijan	4	
	(b) Enlightenment			
	(c)	Subaltern	4	

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(d)	Chakalatwam	4
(e)	Kancha Ilaiah	4
(f)	Communal award	4
(g)	Manu dharma	4
(h)	Purusharthas	4