

**M.A. 2nd Semester Examination, 2023**

**HISTORY**

*(Contemporary World)*

PAPER – HIS-204(CBCS)

*Full Marks : 50*

*Time : 2 hours*

*The figures in the right hand margin indicate marks*

*Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable*

*Illustrate the answers wherever necessary*

**GROUP – A**

Answer any two questions : 10 × 2

1. Briefly evaluate Martin Luther King's role in the Civil Rights Movement.
2. Write in brief note about the main concept of Women Technology Park.

*( Turn Over )*

3. What is Nelson Mandela famous for ?
4. Do you think that the China threat has been playing an important role in the changing Indo-Myanmar relations since 1990s ?
5. Discuss the background of the Iraq war of 2003. Highlight its global ramifications.
6. Examine the nature and characteristics of the Chechen crisis highlighting Russia's role in this regard.

**GROUP – B**

Answer any **four** questions : 5 × 4

7. Trace the growth of the abolition movement. How did it turn into an instrument of the civil war in the USA ?
8. Discuss the features that characterize contemporary Third World.
9. Review the importance of the Indian Ocean in India's foreign policy.

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10. Explain the causes of the South-China Sea dispute. Analyse the role of India in this regard.

**[ Internal Assessment – 10 Marks ]**

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