2017

M.A.

Part-II Examination

POLITICAL SCIENCE

PAPER-VII

Full Marks: 100

Time: 4 Hours

The figures in the right-hand margin indicate full marks.

Candidates are required to give their answers in their

own words as far as practicable.

Write the answers to questions of each half in separate books.

Answer any six questions taking three from each Half

First Half

- 1. Examine the characteristics of Sociological Theory.
- 2. Discuss the middle range theory of Robert K Merton.

- 3. Assess Durkheim's views on religion.
- 4. Comment on Karl Marx's theory of alienation.
- 5. Critically analyse Mosca's concept of the ruling class.
- 6. Discuss the importance of ideology.

Second Half

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- 7. Examine the changing status of women in contemporary Indian Society.
- 8. Analyse the role of religion in a society and evaluate its functionalist perspective in India.
- 9. Discuss, how the phenomenon of social inequality in human history has been analysed in Marxian theory.
- 10. Discuss the major approaches to the study of poverty.
- 11. What is meant by Social Control? Discuss the role of education as an agency of social control.

12. Exmaine the role of industrialisation and urbanisation as agencies of social change.