M.A. 2nd Semester Examination, 2023 HISTORY

(Global Indian Migration and Diaspora)

PAPER - HIS-205

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

GROUP - A

Answer any four of the following:

 5×4

- 1. Mention the major channels of internal migration.
- 2. Write a note on the Indentured system.

(Turn Over)

- 3. Discuss the social composition of migrants.
- 4. How did the Vedanta Society influence the cultural identity of the Indian diaspora?
- 5. Explain the importance of the Immigration and Nationality Act of 1965.
- 6. Mention three major contributions of the Swaminarayan movement in Gujarati diasporic identity.

GROUP - B

Answer any **two** of the following: 10×2

- 7. Critically trace the patterns of migration in overseas countries during 19th and 20th centuries.
- 8. Discuss the pull and push factors responsible for migration of Indian both in India and outside.
- 9. How would you explain the transitions in the Sikh diasporic movement in the United States in 20th century?

10. What role did Taraknath Das and Dr. Sudhindra Bose play in the Indian independence movement in North America?

[Internal Assessment — 10 Marks]