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II Semester M.A./M.Sc./M.Com. Degree (Reg./Supl./Imp.)
Examination, March 2014
(2014 Admn. Onwards)

HISTORY HIS 2 C06 : State and Society in Early Medieval India

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 60

SECTION - A

Answer any two questions (Essay):

 $(2 \times 12 = 24)$

- Critically evaluate the Golden Age concept of the Nationalist historians and the responses to it.
- 2. Assess the growth of trade and urbanization during Sultanat.
- 3. Discuss significant features of Revenue System under Delhi Sultanat.
- 4. Elucidate the theoretical formulations on the nature of the South Indian State.

SECTION-B

Part - I

Answer any four questions in one sentence or one word:

 $(4 \times 1 = 4)$

- 5. iqta system.
- 6. Allahabad Pillar Inscription.
- 7. The Ulema.
- 8. Gurjaras.
- 9. Chahalgani.
- 10. Chalukyas.



Part - II

Answer any three questions (short note):

 $(4 \times 3 = 12)$

- 11. Elaborate the features of local administration under Cholas.
- 12. Assess the market regulations of Alauddin Khalji.
- 13. Discuss the concept of Sultan.
- 14. Examine the process of proliferation of castes in early medieval India.
- 15. Highlight the administrative features of Palas.
- 16. Explore the emergence of Rajputs.

Part - III

Answer any four questions (short essay):

 $(4 \times 5 = 20)$

- 17. Discuss the debate on Indian Feudalism.
- 18. Discuss the nature of state under Delhi Sultanat.
- 19. Write a note on Rashtrakutas.
- 20. Examine the reforms of Muhammed bin Tuglaq.
- 21. Discuss the role and influence of nobility under Sultanat.
- 22. Examine the nature of royal land grants and agrarian expansion under Guptas.