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CORE COURSE IN PHILOSOPHY
5B 09 PHI – Applied Social Philosophy

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 40

PART – A

Answer **all** questions. **Each** answer carries 1 mark.

1. 'Discourse on the Origin of Inequality' was written by
2. The famous school of 'Academy' was established by
3. The concept of 'Withering away of the State' is related to the philosophy of
4. _____ advocated the famous dictum 'One Caste, One Religion and One God for Humanity'. **(4×1=4)**

PART – B

Answer **any seven** questions. Answer should **not** exceed **50** marks. **Each** answer carries **2** marks.

5. Discuss the concept of Sovereignty in the philosophy of Hobbes.
6. Write a short note on the Evolutionary theory of Henry Bergson.
7. Give a brief account of the Varna system.
8. Examine the importance of Individualism in Hobbes' philosophy.
9. What was Rousseau's idea of the state of nature ?
10. What is the etymological meaning of the word Ashram ?
11. Why did Ambedkar insist on separate electorate for the depressed classes ?

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12. Discuss the relevance of Kerala Renaissance Movement.
13. Highlight the importance of Socialism in the philosophy of Marx.
14. Why do we call the philosophy of Swami Vivekananda as Neo-Vedanta ? (7×2=14)

PART – C

Answer **any four** questions. Answers should **not** exceed **100** words. **Each** answer carries **3** marks.

15. Distinguish between Varna and Caste.
16. Explain briefly the importance of Purushārthas in ancient Indian social thought.
17. Discuss the relevance of Hobbes Social Contract theory.
18. Bring out the relationship between Sociology and Social philosophy.
19. Briefly explain Herbert Spencer's Organic Theory.
20. Critically analyse the implications of Social Contract theory of Locke. (4×3=12)

PART – D

Answer **any two** questions. Answer should **not** exceed **250** words. **Each** answer carries **5** marks.

21. Examine the features of Social Philosophy. Explain the significance of it.
22. Analyse the significant features of the social reform movements initiated by Sree Narayana Guru in Kerala.
23. How does Rousseau arrive at his theory of General Will ? Bring out its features.
24. 'Dr. Ambedkar's humanism has been a movement for social freedom of the oppressed and exploited.' – Explain this statement analysing the Social Philosophy of Ambedkar. (2×5=10)