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CORE COURSE IN PHILOSOPHY
6B12 PHI : Applied Political Philosophy
(2014 Admn. Onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 40

PART – A

Choose the most appropriate answers. Answer **all** questions. **Each** answer carries 1 mark.

1. The idea of 'Philosopher King' was given importance in the philosophy of
a) Aristotle b) Plato c) Socrates d) Karl Marx
2. _____ is a system of government in which one person reigns.
a) Democracy b) Aristocracy c) Monarchy d) Oligarchy
3. The method propounded by Gandhi to bring about economic equality in society was
a) Trusteeship b) Swaraj c) Panchayati Raj d) Ramarajya
4. The philosophy of _____ is known as Neo Vedanta.
a) Sankara b) M. N. Roy
c) Buddha d) Swami Vivekananda **(4×1=4)**

PART – B

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

5. What is meant by Dictatorship ?
6. Give a brief account of Anarchism.
7. Examine the concept of *Gram Swaraj* in Gandhian thought.
8. Discuss the concept of economic determinism in the philosophy of Karl Marx. **P.T.O.**

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9. Briefly explain the concept of nation state in the modern world.
10. Analyse the concept of Sovereignty.
11. Write a short note on the city state of Ancient Greek.
12. Examine the importance of *Sarvamukti* in Gandhian thought.
13. Highlight the importance of decentralised economy in the philosophy of M. N. Roy.
14. What was the aim of Trusteeship according to Gandhi ? (7×2=14)

PART – C

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

15. Examine the importance of *Sarvodaya* in the philosophy of Gandhi.
16. Why do we call the philosophy of Communism a revised version of Marxism ?
17. Discuss the relevance of class struggle in the establishment of a classless society according to Marx.
18. Expound the Gandhian concept of *Panchayati Raj*.
19. Briefly explain Thomas Hobbe's concept of sovereignty.
20. Give a brief account of the requirements of the best practicable state according to Aristotle. (4×3=12)

PART – D

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

21. Explain the nature and scope of Political philosophy.
 22. Discuss the relevance of Ahimsa in the philosophy of Gandhi.
 23. Examine the nature of Ideal state according to Plato.
 24. Explain the important features of Partyless democracy of M. N. Roy. (2×5=10)
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