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IV Semester M.A. Degree (CBSS – Reg./Supple. - (One Time Mercy Chance)/Imp.) Examination, April 2024 (2014 Admission Onwards) PHILOSOPHY

PHI4C15: Renaissance Philosophers of Kerala

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 60

## PART - A

Answer any one question. Answers should not exceed 800 words. Each answer carries 15 marks.

- 1. Elucidate the important characteristics of Neo-Vedanta.
- Examine the contributions of Sree Narayana Guru as social reformer committed to the eradication of untouchability and superstitions in the Kerala society. (1x15=15)

PART - B

Answer any three questions. Answers should not exceed 400 words. Each answer carries 10 marks.

- 3. Discuss the social and philosophical importance of Western Renaissance.
- 4. Briefly explain the central teachings of Darsanamala.
- Examine the relevance of Vedhadhikara Nirupanam in the field of knowledge, power and authority.
- 6. Explain briefly the method Raja yoga expounded by Brahmananda Sivayogi.
- 7. Discuss the contributions of Vagbhatananda towards Kerala Renaissance. (3×10=30)

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## PART - C

Answer any three questions. Answers should not exceed 200 words. Each answer carries 5 marks.

- 8. 'Jati Mimamsa is a critique of Casteism'. Explain.
- 9. Write a short note on Kerala Renaissance.
- 10. Analyse the view of Chattampi Swamikal on Chathurvarnyam.
- 11. Give an account of Atma Vidya Samgham founded by Vagbhatananda.
- Briefly explain the significance of Ananda matha of Brahmananda Sivayogi in maintaining the gender justice. (3x5=15)