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Reg. No. :

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VI Semester B.A. Degree (CBCSS – OBE – Regular/Supplementary/
Improvement) Examination, April 2023
(2019 and 2020 Admissions)

DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE IN HISTORY

6B16HIS-C : History of Contemporary Kerala (1956 – 2000)

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 40

Instruction : Answers may be written either in **English** or **Malayalam**.

PART – A

(Short Notes)

Write short notes on the following **10** questions in around **30** words. **Each** question carries **1** mark.

1. Joseph Mundassery.
2. K.R. Gouri Amma.
3. C. Achuthamenon.
4. LDF.
5. Gulf Boom.
6. P.N. Panikkar.
7. Mavoor Gwaliyor Rayon Factory Strike.
8. Chengara Land Strike.
9. Mayilamma.
10. Transition from Chayakkada to Fast food centres. (10×1=10)

PART – B

(Short Essay)

Answer **any 6** out of nine questions in around **200** words. **Each** question carries **3** marks.

11. Write a note on Liberation Struggle.
12. 'The State of Kerala is often characterised as a political laboratory' – Analyse the statement on the basis of the nature of Coalition politics in Kerala.

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13. Discuss the impact of peasant migration from Travancore to Malabar.
14. Write a note on Kerala Literacy Movement.
15. Briefly sketch the role played by Kerala Sasthra Sahithya Parishad in the Silent Valley Movement.
16. Describe the Endosulfan issue in Kasaragod.
17. Briefly evaluate the importance of Muthanga struggle in the Adivasi Land Rights Movements.
18. Analyse the impact of migrant workers as labour force in Kerala.
19. Describe the role of tourism in rural development. (6×3=18)

PART – C

(Essay)

Answer **any two** out of four questions in around **400** words. **Each** question carries **6** marks.

20. Critically analyse the reforms introduced by first Communist Ministry under E.M.S. Namboothirippad.
21. Discuss the peculiarities of Kerala Model Development.
22. Critically evaluate Madhav Gadgil and Kasthuri Rangan Reports on Western Ghats.
23. Discuss the impact of globalisation on farmers, small scale merchants and industrialists. (2×6=12)