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**IV Semester B.A. Degree (CBCSS – Reg./Supple./Imp.)**

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**(2014 Admn. Onwards)**

**CORE COURSE IN HISTORY**

**4B05HIS : Kerala History and Culture in Pre-Modern Period**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 40

I. Answer **any two** of the following in essay form :

- 1) What are the sources for the study of Kerala History ?
- 2) Discuss the Devadasi System in Pre-Modern Kerala.
- 3) Explain the emergence and characteristics of the Feudal System in Kerala.
- 4) What were the effects of European contacts upon Kerala ? (2×7=14)

II. Answer **any four** of the following in short essay form :

- 5) Explain the mission of Vasco da Gama in Kerala.
- 6) Who were the Kolathiri kings ?
- 7) Explain the significance of Tuhaft ul Mujahiddin in the study of Kerala History.
- 8) What is meant by 'Koonan Kurisu Pledge' ?
- 9) Write about the Kalaries in Kerala society.
- 10) What is the Trippadi Dhanam incident ?
- 11) Examine the causes for the decline of Portuguese power in Kerala. (4×3=12)

III.12) Mark the following places in the outline map provided :

- a) Ezhimala
- b) Kozhikode
- c) Kollam
- d) Vizhinjam
- e) Purakkad

(1×5=5)

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IV. Answer any nine of the following in short note form :

- 13) Van Rheed.
- 14) Uralar.
- 15) The Terisappali Copper Plate.
- 16) Ettu Veettill Pillamar.
- 17) Granthavarikal.
- 18) Uddanda Sastrikal.
- 19) Muziris.
- 20) Kanthalur Salai.
- 21) Kulachal Battle.
- 22) Koodiyattam.
- 23) Kunjan Nambiar.
- 24) Sheik Zainudhin.

(9x1=9)

