P.G. 1st Semester - 2017

POLITICAL SCIENCE

Paper: MPOLCCT-104

Full Marks: 40 Time: 2 Hours

The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks. Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

GROUP-A

- 1. Answer any one of the following: $10 \times 1 = 10$
 - a) What is Duverger's Law? Highlight its corollaries and conversis with suitable illustrations. 5+5
 - b) What is Political Communication? How is it different from general communication?

5+5

- 2. Answer any two of the following: $5 \times 2 = 10$
 - a) Compare and Contrast Mill's Method of Similarity and Mill's Method of Difference.

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b) Distinguish between comperative politics and comperative government. 5

c) Identify the key parameters commonly used for classifying electoral system. 5

GROUP-B

(Marks : 20)

- 3. Answer any one of the following: $10 \times 1 = 10$
 - a) Define Party System. Explain the various types of parties.5+5
 - b) Examine the origin and features of totalitarianism.
- 4. Answer any two of the following: $5 \times 2 = 10$
 - a) Analyze the role and functions of political parties in the modern era. 5
 - b) Attempt a short note on New Social Movement.
 - c) Identify the distinguishing features between authoritarianism and totalitarianism following Paul C Sondrol. 5

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