

1 SEM TDC PSCH (CBCS) C 2

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(March)

POLITICAL SCIENCE

(Core)

Paper : C-2

**(Constitutional Government and Democracy
in India)**

Full Marks : 80

Pass Marks : 32

Time : 3 hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks
for the questions*

1. Answer the following as directed : 1×8=8

- (a) Is the preamble of the Indian Constitution integral part of the Constitution?
- (b) Whether Fundamental Rights of the Indian Constitution can be amended?
- (c) How many judges are there in the Supreme Court of India including Chief Justice?

(d) Mehta Committee was formed in the year ____.

(Fill in the blank)

(e) How many subjects are included in the union list of the Indian Constitution?

(f) The term of office of the judges of the Supreme Court of India is 62/65/70 years.

(Choose the correct option)

(g) Write an effect of national emergency.

(h) “Dr. Rajendra Prasad was the President of Constituent Assembly.”

(Write Yes or No)

2. Write short notes on the following : 4×4=16

- (a) Composition of the Constituent Assembly
- (b) Necessity of Bicameral Legislature at the Centre
- (c) Tension areas between Centre-State relations in India
- (d) Municipal Corporation

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3. Discuss the relevance of the Directive Principles of State Policy in evaluation of welfare State in India. 12

Or

Discuss the salient features of the Constitution of India.

4. Discuss the powers and functions of the Speaker of the Lok Sabha. 11

Or

Discuss the emergency powers of the President of India.

5. Examine the measures adopted in the Constitution of India to safeguard the independence of judiciary. 11

Or

Explain the jurisdiction and functions of the Supreme Court of India.

6. What do you mean by federalism? Discuss the federal features of the Indian Constitution. 4+7=11

Or

Discuss the relations between Centre and State in respect of financial procedure. 11

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7. Discuss the recommendations of Balwant Rai Mehta Committee. 11

Or

Discuss in detail the 74th Amendment Act of the Indian Constitution.

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