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M A DEGREE (CSS) EXAMINATION , NOVEMBER 2020

Second Semester

M A HISTORY

CORE - HY010202 - SOCIAL FORMATION OF KERALA AD 1200-1800

2019 Admission Onwards BEA560B3

Time: 3 Hours Weightage: 30

Part A (Short Answer Questions)

Answer any **eight** questions.

Weight **1** each.

- 1. Svam
- 2. Marumakkathayam
- 3. Izhavar
- 4. Tribal economy
- 5. Kovilakam
- 6. Kuzhikkanam
- 7. Oath of Coonan Cross
- 8. Albuquerque
- 9. Perumchellur
- 10. Varrier

(8×1=8 weightage)

Part B (Short Essay/Problems)

Answer any six questions.

Weight 2 each.

- 11. Trace the economic and political life of Swarupams?
- 12. Briefly describe the social stratification and caste formations of medieval Kerala.
- 13. Explain the production process in medieval Kerala.
- 14. Explain the tribal economy in medieval Kerala.
- 15. Evaluate the influence of geography and forest in Kerala History
- 16. Briefly discuss the different sources of revenue during Medieval Kerala



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- 17. Explain untouchability in medieval Kerala.
- 18. Give an account of the life and works of Sri Sankaracharya

(6×2=12 weightage)

Part C (Essay Type Questions)

Answer any **two** questions.

Weight **5** each.

- 19. Examine the Historiographical positions taken by various historians on Swarupam
- 20. Examine the socio-political background of Kerala during the penetration of colonial powers?
- 21. Elucidate different occupational groups and their pattern of settlement in Medieval Kerala
- 22. Explain the features of Bhakthi Movement in medieval Kerala.

(2×5=10 weightage)

