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## MA DEGREE (CSS) EXAMINATION, OCTOBER 2024

#### **Third Semester**

### **CORE - HY010303 - STATE AND SOCIETY (CAD 1000-1800)**

MA HISTORY, MA HISTORICAL STUDIES
2019 ADMISSION ONWARDS
E5471ECB

Time: 3 Hours

Weightage: 30

#### Part A (Short Answer Questions)

Answer any **eight** questions.

Weight **1** each.

- 1. Arab conquest of Sindh.
- 2 Diwan-i-Wizarat.
- 3. Brahmadeya in South Indian Society.
- 4. Nanadesikal.
- 5. Tainat-i-Rakab and Sabajat.
- 6 Mahazar Decree.
- 7 Amaranayaka.
- 8 Hindu Polity of Vijayanagara.
- Mughal Sanad of 1719.
- 10 Miraz and Inam land in Maratha State.

(8×1=8 weightage)

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#### Part B (Short Essay/Problems)

Answer any **six** questions.

Weight **2** each.

- 11. Analyze the social composition of the ruling class in the Sultanate of Delhi.
- 12. Critically examine the secular footing of the polity of the Sultanate of Delhi.



- Analyze the colonial historians understanding regarding Indian polity with special reference to the South Indian states.
- 14. Examine the feasibility of pyramidical structure of society and subinfeudation in pre Colonial South India.
- 15. Analyze the development of revenue administration system under Akbar.
- 16. Examine the nature of Mughal empire on the basis of the writings of François Bernier.
- 17. Analyse the strategic significance of amaram tenure of land in Vijayanagra polity.
- 18. Examine the revenue administration mechanism of the Maratha state.

(6×2=12 weightage)

# Part C (Essay Type Questions)

Answer any **two** questions.

Weight **5** each.

- 19. Trace the development of urban centers and role of political authority in urbanization in the Northern part of the sub-continent during the Sultanate of Delhi.
- 20. Critically evaluate the logic of Nilakanta Shastri's centralized model on Chola Polity.
- 21. Examine the political institutions and organizational structures evolved during the Mughal period.
- 22. Explain the role of temples in the development of the agriculture in the Vijayanagar empire.

(2×5=10 weightage)