

2008

POLITICAL SCIENCE

Course - 6

Time - Two Hours

Full Marks - 50

The Figures in the margin indicate full marks.

Answer question no.5 and any two from the rest.

1. Examine the prismatic Sala model of Fred Riggs. Do you think that the model is helpful in understanding the administrative systems of developing countries? 12+8
2. Examine the process of selection for higher civil services in India. 20
3. Who do you mean by performance budgeting? Point out its advantages over the conventional system of budget making.
4. Evaluate the role of district collector as an agent of development administration vis-a-vis zilla parishad in India. 20
5. Write short notes on any two of the following: 5x2=10
 - a) Administration of Development and Development of Administration: Dichotomy or Corelation?
 - b) Grass-roots planning in India.
 - c) Central Social Welfare Board.
 - d) Committee on public-sector undertakings.

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Answer question no.5 and any two from the rest.

1. Discuss in brief the trends in the discipline of Public Administration from 1950-1970. What was the reason behind the "identity crisis" within the discipline? 12+8
2. Define 'hierarchy'. What are the relative advantages and disadvantages of hierarchy in an organization? 4+16
3. Define public policy. Discuss critically the rationalist model of public policy making. 4+16
4. Examine critically the role of the right to information in ensuring amountability of administration and redressed of citizen's grievances. 20
5. Write short notes on any two of the following: 5x2=10
 - a) POSDCORB.
 - b) How thorne experiment.
 - c) Line and Staff.
 - d) Legislative control over administration.