Government Degree College, Baramulla (Autonomous)

Term End External Examination 4th Semester (Session- July 2024) Subject: Political Science

Course No and Title: PLSC2422M/Perspectives on Public Administration
Time: 2.15 hours Max Marks:100 Min. Marks:40

Section A: Objective Type Questions Q1. Choose the appropriate Answer: (8x1.5=12)i. Who said, "Politics has to do with policies or expressions of the state will while administration has to do with the execution of these policies". A Woodrow Wilson **B** L.D White Frank J. Goodnow **D** W. F. Willoughby ii. One of the following actions by the governments in developing societies is meant to uplift the deprived sections: Conservative Action B Affirmative Action Α \mathbf{C} Classical Action D Derivative action iii. According to Max Weber, Which among the following is not the ideal characteristic of the bureaucracy? B Impersonal order Monocratic type C Hierarchy D Informal method iv. Which among the following is the principle of Taylor's Scientific Management? Individualism B Discord Accountability D Science Which among the following isn't the part of Hawthorne experiment? Illuminating Experiment B Relay Assembly Test Room study D Mass Interview programme Interview Schedules vi. Which among the following is the characteristic of "Prismatic Sala" model given by Riggs? Heterogeneity B Formalism Α C Overlapping D All of these

vii. First Public service commission of India was established in:

B 1935

D 1945

1926

1942

A C

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viii. Which is the oldest known system designed for the redressal of citizen's grievance?

A Lokpal B Ombudsman System C Lokayukta D None of the above

Section-B: Descriptive Type Questions (Short Type) Q2: Answer all the Questions $(8 \times 4 = 32)$

- i. Briefly explain the principle of "Unity of Command".
- ii. What is delegated legislation?
- iii. Describe the classification of government enumerated by Aristotle.
- iv. What is "Piece-Rate system" given by F.W Tailor?
- v. Mention three stages of "Decision-Making" categorized by Herbert Simon.
- vi. What are the features of Rigg's "Diffracted" model?
- vii. Discuss the role of training for civil servants in India.
- viii. Describe the main features of the Right to Information Act, of 2005.

Section – C: Descriptive Type Questions (Medium Type) Answer all the questions: (4 x 7=28)

Q 3. Discuss the Meaning and scope of public Administration.

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Explain the meaning and importance of "Span of Control".

Q 4. Characterise Indian society on the basis of three types of authority enumerated by Max Weber.

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Discuss the principles of "Scientific Management" theory given by F.W Tailor?

Q 5. Explain the concept of "Bounded Rationality" given by Herbert Simon.

OR

Describe the principle outcome of the Hawthorne Studies.

Q6. Describe the components of good governance initiatives in India

OR

Review the impact of reforms under LPG on India.

Section – D: Descriptive Type Questions (Long Type) Answer any two of the following: (2 x 14=28)

- **Q7.** Explain the meaning of evolution. Discuss in detail the stages of evolution of Public Administration.
- **Q8.** Discuss in detail the major characteristics of ideal type of bureaucracy as illustrated by Max Weber.
- **Q9.** What do you mean by Ecological approach to administration? Describe the features of "Fused Model" enunciated by F.W Riggs?
- Q10. Explain the meaning of administrative reforms. Discuss the need to introduce reforms in Indian Administration.