

**1/EH-18 (i) (Syllabus-2016)**

**2018**

( October )

**POLITICAL SCIENCE**

( Elective/Honours )

( **Political Theory** )

( PSc-01 )

Marks : 75

Time : 3 hours

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

Answer any **five** questions

1. Discuss the nature and significance of political theory. 7+8=15
2. "The State is a growth, not a make." In the light of this statement, examine the Evolutionary Theory of origin of the State. 15
3. Discuss the Marxist perspective on the nature of the State. 15

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4. Critically analyze Austin's Monistic interpretation of Sovereignty. 15
5. Define Rights. Critically examine the theory of Natural Rights. 3+12=15
6. Explain the meaning of liberty and discuss its relationship with equality. 5+10=15
7. Define Law. Critically examine the Marxian theory of law. 3+12=15
8. What is Political Obligation? Evaluate the prescriptive theory of political obligation. 3+12=15
9. Examine the nature and limitations of Liberal Democracy. 15
10. Write short notes on any three of the following : 5×3=15
  - (a) Positive Liberty
  - (b) Legal Sovereignty
  - (c) Rousseau's General Will
  - (d) Meaning of Equality
  - (e) Distributive Justice

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