

**Ex/IR/PG/1.3/13/2017**

**MASTER OF ARTS EXAMINATION, 2017**

**(1st Year, 1st Semester)**

**POLITICAL SCIENCE WITH  
INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS**

**Course : IR/PG/1.3**

**(Politics in India)**

Full Marks : 30

Time : Two Hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks.*

1. Answer any *three* of the following : 5×3=15

- (a) Distinguish between caste by varna and caste by jati.
- (b) Comment on the role of media in contemporary politics of India.
- (c) Assess the challenges faced by Internally Displaced Person (IDPs) in India.
- (d) Briefly discuss the importance of Non-Resident Indians as a pressure group in Indian Politics.
- (e) Point out the characteristics features of party system in India.

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2. Answer any *one* of the following : 15×1=15

- (a) Analyse the steps taken to facilitate minority representation in India.
  - (b) Comment on the nature of secularism in contemporary Indian Politics.
  - (c) Examine the nature of coalition politics in India.
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