

MASTER OF ARTS EXAMINATION, 2023

(2nd Year, 3rd Semester)

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COURSE : IR/PG/3.4.10

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 - d) Write a short note on the New Strategic Arms Reduction Treaty (New START).
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