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## B.E. MECHANICAL ENGINEERING FIRST YEAR FIRST SEMESTER - 2023 HUMANITIES AND SOCIOLOGY

Time: 3 HOURS Full Marks-100

## Answer all the Questions from Section A and Section B

## Section A

Long questions (15 x 6 = 90)

- 1. Discuss how Science and Technology Studies (STS) is a Social Activity. (CO1)
- 2. Explain with the instance of Nuclearization how Science and Technology served as an instrument of domination for the State in Post-independent India. (CO2)
- 3. Elaborate the concept of Industrial Revolution and highlight its defining characteristics.
  (CO3)
- 4. Discuss how Industrial Revolution gave birth to modern science and technology. (CO4)
- 5. Discuss how women's contribution to Technology was hidden from history? (CO5)
- 6. Discuss the key characteristics of Daniel Bell's concept of Post-industrial Society. (CO6)

## Section B

Short questions:  $(5 \times 2 = 10)$ 

- 1. Write a short on Lewis Mumford's conception of Polytechnics. (CO1)
- 2. Briefly discuss the measures for promoting Gender Inclusivity in STEM. (CO5)