**MODEL QUESTION PAPER**

**(I YEAR) (M.A\_SOCIOLOGY)**

**MASOC11 – THEORIES AND THINKERS IN SOCIOLOGY**

**TIME : 03 HOURS MAX.MARKS : 90**

**GROUP A : Answer any three questions.**

Q.1 Examine the contributions of Talcott Parsons to the field of sociological thought. (15)

Q.2 Analyse the strength and weaknesses of Max Weber’s Thesis of Protestant Ethic and the sprit of Capitalism. (15)

Q.3 Explain the “Law of Three Stages” as propounded by Auguste Compte. (15)

Q.4 Discuss Suicide as a social fact as viewed by Emile Durkheim. (15)

Q.5 “The history of all hitherto existing society is the history of class struggles”. Discuss. (15)

**GROUP B : Answer any three questions.**

Q.6 “Human society has evolved through militant, industrial and ethical stages”. (10)

Q.7 Describe the stages of human society as viewed by Franklin H. Giddings. (10)

Q.8 Narrate the features of Gemeinschaft and Geselschaft. (10)

Q.9 Define Bureaucracy and explain its characteristics. (10)

Q.10 Explain the views of Ralf Dahrendorf on Conflict. (10)

**GROUP C : Answer any three questions.**

Q.11 Explain the conflict perspective of C. Wright Mills. (05)

Q.12 Write a note on Ideal type. (05)

Q.13 What is Sociological Theory? (05)

Q.14 Define Ethnomethodology. (05)

Q.15 Examine ‘Society as a system in equilibrium’, according to Vilfredo Pareto. (05)

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