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## M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2014.

First Year — Non-Semester

Sociology — (DD & CE)

## SOCIOLOGY OF INDIAN SOCIETY

(For those who joined in 2007–2008 onwards)

Time: Three hours Maximum: 100 marks

PART A —  $(5 \times 5 = 25 \text{ marks})$ 

Answer any FIVE questions out of Eight.

- 1. Mention the religious composition of Indian society.
- 2. What is unity in diversity?
- 3. What are the salient features of PCR Act?
- 4. What do you mean by caste system?
- 5. What are the characteristics of small scale industries?
- 6. What are the characteristics of cottage industries?

- 7. What is westernization?
- 8. Give an example for Sanskritization.

PART B — 
$$(5 \times 15 = 75 \text{ marks})$$

Answer any FIVE questions out of Eight.

- 9. Explain the problems of demographic aspects of Indian society.
- 10. What are the problems due to cultural diversity?
- 11. Explain the positive aspects of caste system.
- 12. Explain the marriage practices among Muslims.
- 13. Indian rural economy is changing Explain with examples.
- 14. Discuss the significance of agricultural in Indian economy.
- 15. Explain the causes and impact of westernization.
- 16. Explain the patterns of social change in India.

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