

2016

( 5th Semester )

POLITICAL SCIENCE

( Honours )

Paper No. : POL (H)-503

( **Local Self-Government in India** )

*Full Marks : 70*

*Pass Marks : 45%*

*Time : 3 hours*

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks  
for the questions*

1. Discuss the origin and nature of local self-government in India since independence. 14

*Or*

How far local self-government in India has mushroomed since 1992? 14

2. Explain the importance of 73rd Constitutional Amendment Act, 1992. 14

*Or*

Discuss the relevant points of 73rd and 74th Amendment Acts. 14

3. What are the organization and powers of the Panchayati Raj? 14

*Or*

What is Panchayat Samiti? Mention its organization, powers and functions. 4+10=14

4. Explain the functions of a Municipal Corporation. 14

*Or*

Critically examine the working of the institutions of urban local government. 14

5. What are the major challenges faced by local self-government despite the lack of participation by citizens? 14

*Or*

"Government control over urban local self-government has been playing an important role." In this statement, discuss the various controls exercised by the State Government. 14

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