C.S.E. (MAIN) POLITICAL SCIENCE AND INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

PAPER – 1 - 2004

Time Allowed: Three Hours

Maximum Marks: 300

Candidates should attempt Questions 1 and 5 which are compulsory and any three of the remaining questions selecting at least one question from each Section.

SECTION A

- 1. Comment on any three of the following in about 200 words each: $20 \times 3 = 60$ (a) Four Purusharthas in Indian tradition.
 - (b) "Hobbes starts as an individualist but ends as an "absolutist".
 - (c) "Mill was the prophet of an empty liberty and anabstract individua1." (Barker)
 - (d) "Society is federal, authority must be federaL" (Laski)
- Plato's theory of education 'is the logical result of his conception of justice'. Discuss.
- 3. Explain Hegel's theory of dialectical idealism. 60
- 4. Is Gramisci a theoretician of super-structures? Give reasons n support of your answer. 60

SECTION B

- 5. Comment on any three of the following in about 200 words each: 20 x 3 = 60
 (a) Surat Split (1907)
 - (b) The Government of India Act, 1919
 - (c) Fundamental Duties in the Indian Constitution
 - (d) Parliamentary Committees in India.
- 6. Highlight Mahatma Gandhi's role in the Indian National Movement. 60
- Explain the main principles embodied in the Preamble to the Constitution of India. What is their significance? Do you think that they are the political horoscope of the country? Discuss.
- How does the Supreme Court of India function as the "Guardian of the Constitution" and" protector of the rights of the citizens"?

PAPER - II - 2004

Time Allowed: T11ree Hours

Maximum Marks: 300

Candidates should attempt Questions 1 and 5 which are compulsory and any three of the remaining questions selecting at least one question from each Section.

SECTION A

- 1. Comment on any three of the following in about 200 words each: $20 \times 3 = 60$
 - (a) The importance and limitations of the Political Economy Approach.
 - (b) The realist vision of 'national interest'.
 - (c) Impact of the collapse of the Soviet Union on international politics.
 - (d) The need for, and the hindrances to the development of a common global approach to ecological concerns.
- 2. Discuss the Systems Approach to the Study of International Relations. 60
- 3. Analyse critically the Cuban Missile Crisis of 1962 as an instance of super-power relations during the Cold War period. 60
- 4. How did the European Union emerge as a successful case of regional organization? Is it replicable in other regions? 60

SECTION B

- 5. Comment on any THREE of the following in about 200 words each: $20 \times 3 = 60$ (a) Pre-independence origins of India's foreign policy.
 - (b) Distinguishing features of Indo-Nepal Relations.
 - (c) Prospects and problems of India's relations with South-East Asia.
 - (d) India and the WTO.
- 6. What were the major determinants of India's Foreign Policy of Non-alignment? Indicate the changes in India's Foreign Policy since the 1990's. 60
- 7. Give an account of the major contending issues in Indo Bangladesh relations. Assess the prospects for greatercooperation between the two countries.

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 Describe, explain and suggest improvement in the state of India's relationship with Latin America.