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HISTORY

Paper : I

Time Allowed : 3 hours]

[Maximum Marks : 300

Note : (i) *Answers must be written in English.*

(ii) *Number of marks carried by each question are indicated at the end of the question.*

(iii) *Part/Parts of the same question must be answered together and should not be interposed between answers to other questions.*

(iv) *The answer to each question or part thereof should begin on a fresh page.*

(v) *Your answers should be precise and coherent.*

(vi) *Candidates should attempt Question Nos. 1 and 5 which are compulsory and any three out of the remaining questions, selecting at least one question from each Section.*

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SECTION – A
(History of India)
(Down to A. D. 750)

1. Write comments on any *three* of the following in about 200 words each. 25, 25, 25
 - (a) Trade and contacts of the people of Indus civilization.
 - (b) Political organization during the later Vedic period.
 - (c) Causes of the decline of Buddhism.
 - (d) Causes of the growth of Magadha's imperialism during the pre-Mauryan period.
 - (e) Art during Ancient India.
2. Critically analyse the causes of the fall of the Mauryan Empire. 50
3. Describe the Contribution of the Gupta Age to Literature. 50
4. Write a note on Huen Tsang's account. 50

SECTION – B
(Medieval India)
(India : 750 A. D. to 1785 A.D.)

5. Plot any fifteen of the following places on the outline map supplied to you and write short notes (in 50

words each) on the answer book only on the places marked on the map.

15 × 5 = 75

- (a) Agra
- (b) Ahmedabad
- (c) Ahmadnagar
- (d) Allahabad
- (e) Asirgarh
- (f) Bidar
- (g) Bijapur
- (h) Burhanpur
- (i) Chittor
- (j) Daulatabad
- (k) Delhi
- (l) Satara
- (m) Fatehpur Sikri
- (n) Golconda
- (o) Gulbarga
- (p) Jaunpur
- (q) Lahore
- (r) Madura
- (s) Panipat
- (t) Sahsaram
- (u) Multan
- (v) Surat
- (w) Talikota

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- (x) Vijayanagara
- (y) Warangal

6. Critically discuss the causes of the disintegration of the Delhi Sultenate. 50
7. Critically discuss Akbar's relations with the non-Muslims. 50
8. Write short notes on any *two* of the following in about 200 words each : $25 \times 2 = 50$
 - (a) Influence of Islam on Indian culture.
 - (b) Economic conditions in the Vijayanagara Empire.
 - (c) The First Battle of Panipat.
 - (d) Jagirdari system under the Mughals.