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SECOND SEMESTER M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, AUGUST 2013

(CUCSS)

History

HIS CSS 2C 106—PROBLEMS OF KERALA HISTORY

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 36 Weightage

Section A

*Answer all the following questions in a paragraph each
Each question carries a weightage of 2 only.*

1. Geographical entities in the Chera Country ?
2. Reliability of *Keralolpatti* as a source of history.
3. Emergence of Venadu from the Aii Nadu.
4. The Mapillas.

(4 x 2 = 8 weightage)

Section B

*Answer any five the following in short essays.
Each question carries a weightage of 4 only.*

5. Differentiate between the *Manipravala* and the *Grantha*.
6. Explain the need for the installation of the *pattini* Culture.
7. Debate on the Cheraman Perumal Nayanar's conversion to Islam.
8. Write a note on the trading guilds of *Anjuvannam—Anjuman*.
9. Eleven year's Chola tyranny in the Perumal land—Explain.
10. Sketch the socio-economic and political overtures of the *Janmi-Kudiyan* practice.
11. What led to the Abstention movement ?

(5 x 4 = 20 weightage)

Section C

*Answer any one the following in essay form
The question carries a weightage of 8 only.*

12. Examine the contribution of the Chera and the Perumal Kingdoms to the 'cultural symbiosis' of South India.
13. Assess the impact of the advent of the trading Portuguese on the socio economic political and religious history of South India.

(1 x 8 = 8 weightage)