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FIFTH SEMESTER B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2018

(CUCBCSS—UG)

Open Course

POL 5D 02—HUMAN RIGHTS IN INDIA

[2014 Admissions]

Time: Two Hours

Maximum: 40 Marks

Answer all the **three** sections.

Answers may be written **either** in English **or** in Malayalam.

Section A (Short Answer Questions)

Answer any **five** questions in about 50 words each. Each question carries 3 marks.

- 1. Natural Rights.
- 2. Convention on the Rights of Child.
- 3. Right to Education.
- 4. State Human Rights Commission.
- 5. Human Rights Law.
- 6. Habeas Corpus.
- 7. Kerala State Human Rights Commission.
- 8. Fundamental Duties.
- 9. Judicial Review.

 $(5 \times 3 = 15 \text{ marks})$

Section B (Short Essay Questions)

Answer any three questions in about 100 words each.

Each question carries 5 marks.

- 10. Elucidate the Liberal Approach to Human Rights.
- 11. Critically examine the role of media in the protection of human rights.
- 12. Examine the significance of Universal Declaration of Human Rights.

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- 13. Discuss the constitutional provisions for the protection of minorities in India.
- 14. Elucidate the major challenges of Human Rights in India.

 $(3 \times 5 = 15 \text{ marks})$

Section C (Essay Questions)

Answer any one of the following in about 300 words.

The question carries 10 marks.

- 15. Write an essay on the origin and development of Human Rights.
- 16. Discuss the composition, powers and functions of National Human Rights Commission.

 $(1 \times 10 = 10 \text{ marks})$