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**VIDYASAGAR UNIVERSITY**

**Question Paper**

**B.A. General Examination 2023**

**(Under CBCS Pattern)**

**Semester — II**

**Subject : POLITICAL SCIENCE**

**Paper : DSC-1BT/2BT**

**( Indian Government & Politics )**

**Full Marks : 60**

**Time : 3 hours**

*Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.*

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks.*

Answer from **all** the Groups as directed.

**( ENGLISH VERSION )**

**GROUP—A**

1. Answer **any ten** from the following questions :  
 $2 \times 10 = 20$

(a) What do you mean by secularism in Indian context?

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(b) What do you mean by one-dominant party system?

(c) Mention any two names of caste based political party in India.

(d) What is hung parliament?

(e) In what sense, India is a republic country?

(f) What do you mean by Preventive Detention Act?

(g) What do you mean by 'equality before the law' and 'equal protection by law'?

(h) Who wrote the book *Communalism in Modern India*?

(i) What is patriarchy?

(j) What do you mean by judicial review?

(k) Define communalism.

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(l) What are the essential qualifications of Judges of Supreme Court in India?

(m) Write any two features of Indian Constitution.

(n) What is mixed economy?

(o) How is the Lok Sabha formed?

### **GROUP—B**

Answer **any four** from the following questions :

**5×4=20**

2. Write the basic differences between Fundamental Rights and Directive Principles of State Policy in India.
3. What are the major causes behind emergence of multiparty system in India?
4. Write the major hindrances which stand in the way of secularism in India.

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5. Write a short note on Chipko Movement.
6. Discuss in brief, the limitations of women's movement in India.
7. Briefly discuss the relation between the Prime Minister and the Council of Ministers.

#### **GROUP—C**

Answer **any two** from the following questions :

$10 \times 2 = 20$

8. Discuss the Marxist approach to the study of Indian politics.
9. Write the basic features of Party system in India.
10. Discuss the power and position of the President of India.
11. Explain the role of caste in Indian Politics.