

**COURSE CODE – 2020802**

**PG DEGREE EXAMINATION – JAN 2009**

**M.A (POL.SCI)**

**INDIA: DEMOCRACY AND DEVELOPMENT**

**(For Candidate Admitted from Calendar 2007 Onwards)**

**Time: 3 Hours**

**Max.Marks:75**

**Section - A**

**Answer all the Questions:**

**15 X 1 = 15**

1. What is national movement?
2. What is meant by social transformation?
3. Distinguish between caste and class?
4. What is meant by devolution of powers?
5. What is the need for emergency powers?
6. What is meant by judicial review?
7. What is identity politics?
8. What is communalism?
9. What is meant by linguistic minority?
10. What is meant by regional imbalance?
11. What do you mean by migration?
12. What is relative deprivation?
13. Define 'nation-state.'
14. What is the basic principle of Hindutva?
15. What is primordial loyalty?

**Section - B**

**Answer any FIVE questions:**

**5 x 6 = 30**

**16. a) Discuss the nature of inequality in India**

**(Or)**

b) Trace out the origin of national movement.

**17. a) Bring out the features of the 73<sup>rd</sup> and 74<sup>th</sup> Constitutional Amendments.**

**(Or)**

b) How does social inequality affect the political process in India?

**18. a) What is parliamentary sovereignty? Explain.**

**(Or)**

b) Explain the role of the President in the parliamentary system.

**19. a) Examine the issue of gender development.**

**(Or)**

b) Discuss the problem of regional imbalance in Indian states.

**20. a) Examine the problems involved in promoting the religious politics.**

**(Or)**

b) Evaluate the achievements of democracy in India.

**Section -C**

**Answer any TWO questions:**

**2 x 15 = 30**

21. Discuss the working of Indian constitution and its achievements.
22. Examine the role of bureaucracy in relation to legislature and judiciary.
23. Discuss the relationship between media and politics in India.
24. Examine the need for sustainable development in view of scarce resources.
25. Make an assessment between democracy and development in India.