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**End Semester Examination of Semester-II, 2016**

**Subject : HISTORY (PG)**

**Paper : HISPG-201**

**Full Marks : 40**

**Time : 2 Hrs**

*The figures in the margin indicate the marks corresponding to the question.*

*Candidates are requested to give their answers in their own word as far as practicable.*

*Illustrate the answers wherever necessary.*

**Answer all questions from Group A and Group B**

**Group A**

10x2=20

1. How did Mughal administration become an 'autocratic centralism'?

OR

How would you analyse status and position of the Zamindar under the Mughals?

2. Give a brief account of the different groups of Indian maritime merchants trading in the West Indian Sea from the 16<sup>th</sup> to 18<sup>th</sup> Century.

OR

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What was the role of the Jagat Seths in the mint administration at Murshidabad?

**Group B**

5×2=10

3. Comment on the evolution of the mansabdari System under Akbar.

OR

Write about the condition of peasants during the Mughal Period in view of high revenue demand from the state.

4. Write a brief note on the Mughal Currency.

OR

Do you think that the Farman of 1717 as granted by the Mughal Emperor, Farussh Shiyar, was a Magna Carta' to the English East India Company.

**Group C**

Answer any five out of ten questions:

2×5=10

5. What is iharokha darshan?
6. What is Dahsala system?
7. What is gaz-i-ilahi?
8. What do you mean by nasq?

9. What were the duties of amaluzars as instructed in Ain-i-Akbari?
  10. What is Cartaz System?
  11. Write a brief note on the Genija Trade of the Indian Ocean.
  12. What is dadni system?
  13. What was the purpose of the Declaration of 'Freedom of Trade' in 1772?
  14. Where the cotton Weavers of Bengal "Price workers or wage workers"?
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