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TDC (CBCS) Odd Semester Exam., 2020 held in March, 2021

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ECONOMICS

(5th Semester)

Course No.: ECOHCC-501T

(Indian Economy–I)

Full Marks: 70
Pass Marks: 28

Time: 3 hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

SECTION—A

- 1. Answer any ten of the following questions: $2 \times 10 = 20$
 - (a) What does economic development mean?
 - (b) What constitutes the primary sector in Indian economy?
 - (c) State any two features of national income in India.

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- (d) Write any two features of Indian agriculture at the time of Independence.
 - (e) What does human development mean?
 - (f) What is population explosion?
 - (g) State two important sources of human capital.
 - (h) Write any two causes of poor human capital in India.
 - (i) What is disguised unemployment?
 - (j) Write any two causes of educated unemployment in India.
 - (k) Write any two causes of low female workforce participation in India.

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- (l) Suggest any two measures to remove the problem of child labour in India.
- (m) Define the term 'poverty'.
- (n) What does 'below poverty line' mean?
 - (o) Write any two causes of inequality of income of the people in India.
 - (p) Suggest any two measures to reduce the inequality of income of the people in India.

(c) State any two features of national

- (q) What is balance of payments (BOPs)?
- (r) Write any two objectives of the New Economic Policy, 1991.
- (s) State any two reasons behind the adoption of the New Economic Policy, 1991 in India.
- (t) Write any two demerits of privatization in Indian economy.

9. Write notes on NRLM and MGNREGA.

11. Discuss the arguments for and against

SECTION—B

Answer any *five* of the following questions: $10 \times 5 = 50$

- 2. Discuss the basic features of the Indian economy at Independence.
- 3. Explain the different constraints the Indian economy facing for its growth since Independence.
- **4.** Discuss the important demographic features of India's population.
- **5.** Suggest important measures to control the high rate of growth of population in India.
- **6.** Discuss the various causes of rural and urban unemployment in India.

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- 7. Discuss very briefly important employment generation programmes undertaken by the Government of India to tackle unemployment problem in the country.
- 8. Discuss the various causes of poverty in India.
- 9. Write notes on NRLM and MGNREGA.
- 10. Discuss the features of the New Economic Reforms introduced in 1991 in India.
- 11. Discuss the arguments for and against the New Economic Reforms, 1991.

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