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## Second Semester B.A. LL.B (Five Year Integrated) Degree Examination, April 2019

## Paper - II: WRITINGS ON CONTEMPORARY ISSUES

(2013 Admission)

Time: 3 Hours Max. Marks: 80

Answer any ten of the following each in a sentence or two:

- 1. Mention the key points in Jeremy Seabrook's article "Children of the Market".
- 2. Comment on "Unending Love" as a spiritual connection between two lovers.
- 3. Differentiate Prakriti and Sanskriti.
- 4. State how Kautilya's 'Arthashastra' emphasised on the importance of forest wealth.
- 5. How does the divine spirit protect the world according to Hopkins?
- 6. What does Wordsworth mean by 'the world'?
- 7. Differentiate between human rights and citizenship rights.
- 8. What are the two strongest desires that kept Gandhi alive?

- 9. Why did Appu want to gaze at Sakaran Nair?
- 10. Explain the cultural oppression that India faced under the British rule.
- 11. Who are the victims of industrialization in the poem 'London'?
- 12. What are Bretton Woods institutions?

 $(10 \times 2 = 20 \text{ Marks})$ 

Answer any five of the following each in 100 words:

- 13. Explain the concept of 'Second Enlightenment' as mentioned in Avinash Jha's essay.
- 14. Briefly explain the concepts of grama and aranya.
- 15. 'Man is so insensitive to nature and the presence of God in nature'. Explain with reference to the poem "God's Grandeur".
- 16. List out the challenges to human rights
- 17. What incident of childhood does Gandhi refer to in his speech regarding untouchables?
- 18. What role does 'symbolic hegemony' play in the caste issue in India?
- 19. What is the concept of 'knowledge society' in the essay 'The Globalized World'?
- 20. How according to the poet Iqbal Nath Sarshar did the West interpret the Upanishads?

 $(5 \times 6 = 30 \text{ Marks})$ 

Answer any two of the following each in 300 words:

- 21. Briefly narrate the different attitudes towards forests in Indian culture.
- 22. Throw light on the intellectual discussion between Iqbal Nath Sarshar and R.N. Bashir.
- 23. Explain the tragic plight of an unwed mother in the short story "Oppol" ("The Elder Sister").
- 24. Explain Sylvia Walby's approaches to the understanding of gendered subjectivity.

 $(2 \times 15 = 30 \text{ Marks})$