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Second Semester FYUGP Degree Examination, April 2025

Multi-Disciplinary course

POLITICAL SCIENCE

UK2MDCPOS100 - Women's Rights in India

Academic Level: 100-199

Time: 1 Hour 30 Minutes(90 Mins.)

Max. Marks: 42

Part A. 6 Marks.Time:6 Minutes.(Cognitive Level:Remember(RE)/Understand(UN)) Objective Type. 1 Mark Each.Answer all questions

Qn No.	Question	CL	CO
1	Article 21	RE	1
2	Dowry Prohibition Act 1961	RE	2
3	Triple Talaq	UN	1
4	Women's Reservation Act	UN	2
5	Reproductive Rights	UN	2
6	Human Trafficking	UN	2

Part B.8 Marks.Time:24 Minutes.(Cognitive Level:Understand(UN)/Apply(AP))Short Answer. 2 marks each.Answer all questions

Qn No.	Question	CL	CO
7	Explain the significance of DPSP in protecting women rights?	UN	1
8	State any two reasons for increasing violence against women?	UN	2
9	Explain the reasons for the rise of domestic violence in India?	AP	2
10	Why is the Vishaka Guidelines significant in Indian law?	AP	1

Part C. 28 Marks.Time:60 Minutes (Cognitive Level:Apply(AP)/Analyse(AN)/Evaluate(EV)/Create(CR)) Long Answer.7 marks each.Answer all 4 Questions choosing among options * within each question

Qn No.	Question	CL	CO
11	A) Demonstrate how the National Commission for Women (NCW) can be used to seek redressal in cases of gender-based violence and discrimination. OR B) Analyze the practical implications of Articles 14, 15, and 16 of the Indian Constitution in addressing gender inequality in India. Provide examples of judicial interventions and policy measures.	AP	4, 5
12	A)	AN	3, 3

Qn No.	Question	CL	CO
	Assess the role of the Protection of Women from Domestic violence Act(2005) in upholding the dignity of Women. OR B) Examine the significance of Article 14 in ensuring equality before the law and interpret its impact on judicial decisions in India.		
13	A) Evaluate the impact of Shayara Bano v. Union of India (2017) on personal laws and gender justice in India. Assess whether it has led to meaningful legal reforms. OR B) Examine the role played by judicial institutions in India in ensuring the protection of women, with special reference to Vishaka v. State of Rajasthan (1997) and Shayara Bano v. Union of India (2017).	EV	3, 4
14	A) Formulate an action strategy for strengthening the impact of One Stop Centres (OSC) in providing immediate assistance, medical aid, legal help, and counselling to women in distress. OR B) Arrange a discussion on the extent to which the Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace Act, 2013, empowers women to address such issues openly	CR	4, 3