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M.A. POLITICAL SCIENCE- I SEMESTER
PS 7214: PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION: THEORIES AND PROCESSES

Time: 1 ½ hours

Max Marks 35

This question paper has one printed page and three parts

Answer the following MANDATORY questions in 25 words

5X2= 10

1. Where and when did the term 'Good Governance' originate?
2. Fill in the blanks: Out of the many innovative ideas of Mary Follet four deserve special attention. They are social conflict, _____, group process and _____.
3. What is the full form of POSDCORB?
4. True or False: Public Administration being an inward looking discipline has only recently woken up to the pulls and pressures of globalisation.
5. Fill in the blanks: Postmodernism promotes _____ that de-privileges science.

Answer any TWO of the following three questions within 150 words

2X5=10

1. Why was the Human Relations theory unique in its time?
2. Briefly describe the features of New Public Management.
3. What do you understand by 'Good Governance'?

Answer any ONE of the following two questions within 450 words

1X15= 15

1. Critically analyse Weber's Bureaucratic theory in Public Administration.
2. Enumerate Fayol's principles and assess if the Classical theory of Management is relevant today.