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ST. JOSEPH'S COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), BANGALORE-27
I SEMESTER BA-EJP: END-SEMESTER EXAMINATION: OCTOBER 2019
WRITING FOR JOURNALISM & CREATIVE WRITING-JN 118

Time- 2 ½ HOURS

Max Marks- 70

Instructions:

- 1. This paper is set for I BA EJP students**
- 2. It contains TWO SECTIONS and TWO printed pages.**
- 3. Please provide word counts following every response that you make.**

I. Read the following article and answer the questions below.

Karnataka on Thursday became the latest State to join the others keen on implementing Assam-like National register of Citizens (NRC). Speaking to reporters here on Thursday, Home Minister Basavaraj Bommai said Karnataka was seriously considering NRC. "We are one of the states where people from across the border have come and settled down. We are discussing the issue with Union Home Ministry and will take a call," he said.

The minister added that a large number of people have come from other countries, particularly Bangladesh, and settled in Bengaluru and other cities of the state. "Some of the immigrants have even been involved in criminal and other illegal activities. This has come to our notice," he said. "After discussing the pros and cons, we will take up the issue of NRC with the Union Home Ministry," he said.

Karnataka's proposal comes close on the heels of Union Home Minister Amit Shah's pitch for NRC across the country. The State governments of Uttarakhand, Haryana, Uttar Pradesh, and Jharkhand, all led by the BJP, have also expressed interest to implement NRC in their States.

- 1. K'taka talks NRC as Bommani says govt studying law**
- 2. Will the NRC wave come to K'taka? Yediyurappa regime 'considering'**
- 3. State considering NRC says Home minister**

I.A Answer the following questions in 100-150 words : (3x10=30)

- 1. Which of the above-mentioned headlines is better suited for the article? Explain your choice.**
- 2. What does the last paragraph of the article add to the piece? If this piece is going to the front page of a newspaper, what else would you add here?**
- 4. Edit and rewrite the following headlines and explain your choices.**

NRC coming in Karnataka too

Citizenship bill: protests in NE and now in K'taka

- B. Write a short note on the newspaper you enjoyed reading for your portfolio in 70-100 words. (5 marks)**
- C. Write an analytic account comparing and contrasting the manner in which you have received information and formed opinions about the following topics. Answer in about 150-200 words. (2x10=20)**
1. Article 370
 2. Metonym 2019
- D. Write about the strangest encounter you've had with someone's eating habits in no more than ten sentences. (15 marks)**

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