## TB146510A Reg. No..... Name..... B. A. DEGREE (C.B.C.S.S.) EXAMINATION, MARCH 2017 **SEMESTER VI - HISTORY HIS6ICI - ISSUES IN CONTEMPORARY INDIA Time: Three Hours** Maximum Marks: 80 **PART A** I. Answer all questions. Each questions carries 1 mark. 1. Who granted the Communal Award? 2. Who Constituted the Mandal Commission? 3. When was the Indian Councils Act? 4. Who wrote 'the Life and Times of Pandita Ramabai? 5. Who was the first Muslim woman ruler in India? 6. Who was the first woman martyr of freedom struggle? 7. Who were the earliest settlers in India? 8. When is the World Environment Day was announced? 9. What was the earliest mass media? 10. When was the 'Right to Information Act was passed? (10x1=10)PART B II. Answer any eight questions. Each questions carries 2 marks. 11. What is Khalistan Movement? 12. What is Gender Identity? 13. Write a note on Dowry system. 14. Write a note on Nagas. 15. Sketch the origin of Bahujan Samaj Party. 16. Review the term 'Sanskritisation' 17. What is Communalism? 18. How ecology and human rights can be inter-connected. 19. Trace the Tribal Movements in India. 20. Briefly explain the peasant Movements in India. 21. What is Feminism? 22. What is Community? (8x2=16)PART C III. Answer any six questions. Each question carries 4 marks. 23. How did the communal electorates influence the electoral politics? 24. Trace circumstances that led to the abolition of Sati.

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25. Explain the characteristics of Feudalism.

26. Analyse the difference between feudalism and Capitalism.

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- 27. Describe the Socio-Religious movements in India.
- 28. Estimate the role of media in national and international development.
- 29. Analyse the Characteristics of Indian feudalism?
- 30. Estimate the role of regional parties in Indian politics.
- 31. Explain the State policies on Tribal welfare.

(6x4=24)

## PART D

- IV. Answer any two questions. Each question carries 15 marks.
- 32. Review the status of women in Indian Society through the ages.
- 33. Did the media succeed to promote the emancipation of women from the social evils like dowry?
- 34. How far Medias had succeeded in Promoting National interests? Discuss
- 35. Evaluate the role of regional parties in deciding the National Government.

(2x15=30)