

CSM – 61 / 15
Political Science & International Relations
Paper – II

Time : 3 hours

Full Marks : 300

The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks.

*Candidates should attempt Q. No. 1 from Section – A and Q. No. 5 from Section – B which are compulsory and **three** of the remaining questions, selecting at least **one** from each Section.*

SECTION – A

1. Comment on / explain / answer any **three** of the following in about **200** words each : $20 \times 3 = 60$
 - (a) Concept of modern state.
 - (b) Role of ideology in foreign policy making.
 - (c) Cuban missile as an issue of world politics.
 - (d) Gender justice as a global concern.

2. Analyse the decision-making theory in International Politics. 60
3. What were the causes of Cold War ? Discuss how it evolved and impacted international politics. 60
4. "The contemporary quest for world order requires a coherent strategy to establish a concept of order within the various regions and relate these regional orders to one another." (Henry Kissinger) — Examine the statement in analyzing the New World Order. 60

SECTION – B

5. Comment on any **three** of the following in about **200** words each : 20×3 = 60
 - (a) India's foreign policy in relation to Pakistan contains both continuity and change.
 - (b) Composition and role of SAARC.
 - (c) Indo-Nepalese relations : main issues.
 - (d) India-China relationship : Issues and tension areas.

6. Analyse India's contribution to NAM. 60
7. Critically examine India's nuclear policy with particular reference to its stand on NPT and CTBT. 60
8. Discuss, how since 1974, the struggle for New Economic Order sprouted and analyse its stages of growth and development. 60

