

## **National Officers Academy**

## Mock Exams CSS-2023 November 2022(Mock-4) SOCIOLOGY

TIME ALLOWED: THREE HOURS PART-I (MCQS) MAXIMUM MARKS = 20 PART-I (MCQS): MAXIMUM 30 MINUTES PART-II MAXIMUM MARKS = 80

## NOTE:

- i. **Part-II** is to be attempted on the separate **Answer Book**.
- ii. Attempt ONLY FOUR questions from PART-II. ALL questions carry EQUAL marks.
- iii. All the parts (if any) of each Question must be attempted at one place instead of at different places.
- iv. Write Q. No. in the Answer Book in accordance with Q. No. in the Q. Paper.
- v. No Page/Space be left blank between the answers. All the blank pages of Answer Book must be crossed.
- vi. Extra attempt of any question or any part of the question will not be considered.

## **SUBJECTIVE PART — PART-II**

- **Q. No. 2.** Ibn-e-Khuldon's theory of Asabiyyah is a brilliant idea about social cohesion. How do you relate his thought in current scenario of the country? **(20)**
- **Q. No. 3.** Three schools of thought Ibne Khuldoon, August Comte and Spencer are staunch advocates of evolutionary perspective. What is the gist of law of three stages proposed by August Comet. (20)
- **Q. No. 4.** Conflict Theory, developed by Karl Marx, purports that due to society's never-ending competition for finite resources, it will always be in a state of conflict Karl Marx. Explain the theory with pros and cons in the current era. **(20)**
- **Q. No. 5.** What is research process? Draw a hypothetical research process to study the issues of flood affected areas to suggest policy paradigm to take precautionary measures in future. (20)
- Q. No. 6. An individual is the product of a culture. What is role of media in 21<sup>st</sup> century? (20)
- Q. No. 7. Society is undergoing a continuous socio-cultural change. What are factors of social change and what common theories discuss social change. Please discuss in the light of famous theories of social change. (20)
- Q. No. 8. Write a short note on any three topics:
  - a) Effects of Xenocentrism on our culture.
  - b) Difference between cultural innovation and cultural diffusion.
  - c) Gemeinshaft and Gesellschaft discussed by Ferdinand Tonnes.
  - d) The concept of Mechanical solidarity and organic solidarity.
  - e) Pros and cons of joint family or nuclear family.

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Best of Luck for CSS-2023