

DEPARTMENTAL EXAMINATION FOR HAS OFFICERS

PAPER: 6

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION

APRIL, 2013

Max.Marks : 100

- Note :
- i) Attempt any five questions
 - ii) Time allowed : 3 hours

1. What is the difference between Fiscal Deficit & Revenue Deficit? What are the reasons for growing fiscal deficit of Government of India and what is its impact on the economy? (10+10 =20)
2. How will the enactment of the HP Public Services Guarantee Act, 2011 help in effective delivery of Public Services? What are the pre-requisites for its effective implementation? How many departments in H.P. have notified services under this act? Give names. (8+7+5 = 20)
3. What are the main provisions of Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education Act, 2009? How will this Act improve the quality of education in The Country in your view? What steps should be taken in Himachal Pradesh to improve the quality of Education? (10+5+5=20)
4. What is the role of Union Finance Commission and of Planning Commission? Discuss impact of 13th Finance Commission recommendations. Which recommendations of Finance Commission are favourable and which are not favourable to Himachal Pradesh. (10+5+5=20)
5. Co-operative societies can become vehicle of development of an area? Do you agree with the statement? If yes, explain with reference to the success story of co-operative in Himachal Pradesh. (5+5+10= 20)
6. What are the Constitutional provision to prospect the interest of Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes? What are the benefits given to these categories in the public employment? What are the provisions of 85th Constitutional Amendment? (5+5+10=20)
7. Elaborate the relationship of civil servants with the Political Executive, Legislature and Judiciary. What is the role of members of Legislative Assembly in the Administrative affairs? Do you think that they are exceeding their powers? (10+5+5=20)
8. What do you understand by public grievance? Explain the process and machinery involved in redressal of public grievances. What is the process of e-Samadhan in the State? (5+5+10=20)
9. What are the initiatives taken for ushering e-Governance? What more needs to be done? Please examine in the context of service delivery and responsive administration with at least 5 examples of initiatives of H.P.Government. (5+5+10=20)
