

**H.P.BOARD OF DEPARTMENTAL EXAMINATION
DEPARTMENTAL EXAMINATION OF OTHER GAZETTED OFFICERS/
OFFICIALS OF HIMACHAL PRADESH SESSION SEPTEMBER, 2008**

**PAPER-3 (THEORY AND PRACTICE OF COOPERATIVE FOR
COOPERATIVE DEPARTMENT)**

**Time Allowed:3 Hours.
100**

Maximum Marks:

Note:- 1. Attempt any five questions.

Q.No.1 "Cooperatives were said to have acted as a balancing factor between the public Private enterprises," Critically examine the statement. **(20 Marks)**

Q.NO.2 To compete with the emerging market forces, the Cooperatives are going in For diversification of their activities. How far will they succeed in protecting Their future? Briefly explain. **(20 Marks)**

Q.No.3 The Audit of Co- operative Societies, is being outsourced to Chartered Accountants. What effect will it have on the financial administration in a Society? Discuss in detail. **(20 Marks)**

Q.No.4 Explain the merits and demerits of periodic loan waivers/ Debt Relief given by The Govt. to the defaulters of the Co- operative Societies and Banks, Especially keeping in view the interest of good pay masters. **(20 Marks)**

Q.No.5 The Primary Marketing Cooperative Societies have ended up merely as Forwarding agents for marketing of agriculture/ horticultural produce of their Members. Critically examine the present day functioning of these societies in Relation to their objectives. **(20 Marks)**

Q.No.6 To what extent "HIMCOFED" has been effective in imparting Co- operative Education to the co- operatives of the State? Critically examine the Performance of the institution. **(20 Marks)**

Q.No.7 Suggest policy initiatives that the State Government should take to provide a Conducive environment for strengthening of:-
a) Labour Construction Co- operative Societies.
b) Hydel Power Generation Co- operative Society. **(20 Marks)**

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PAPER-4 COOPERATIVE DEPARTMENT (COOPERATIVE LAW)

**Time Allowed: 3 Hours.
Marks:100**

Maximum

Note:- 1. Attempt any five questions

2. All questions carry equal marks. Do quote relevant law in support of your

Answer.

3. Books allowed: Bare Acts & Rules- HP Cooperative Societies Act, 1968 (Act No-3 of 1969) and Himachal Pradesh Coop. Societies Rules, 1971.

Q.No.1 Describe briefly the concepts for registration of Cooperative Societies as laid Under the Himachal Pradesh Coop. Societies Act, 1968. What do you mean by

Limited liability? Which cooperative Societies can be registered with Unlimited liabilities? **(10 + 6+ 4= 20**

Marks)

Q.No. 2 Describe the power of Registrar to direct amendments of bye- laws of a Cooperative Society. What is the procedure laid for amendment of bye- laws Of a Cooperative society in routine course. Elaborate with relevant sections/ Rules of Himachal Pradesh Coop. Societies Act, 1968 and Rules made Thereunder. **(8+ 12= 20 Marks)**

Q.No.3 Write short notes on the following with special reference to Himachal Pradesh

Cooperative Socs. Act & Rules.

- a) Cancellation of registration certificate of a Cooperative Society in certain cases.
- b) Restriction on transfer of shares or interest in a Cooperative Society under the Act.
- c) Appointment and functions of a Managing Director in a Cooperative Society.

(8+ 5+ 7 = 20

Marks)

Q.NO.4 What are the privileges of a Cooperative society under the Act and Rules

Made thereunder. Discuss in detail.

(20

Marks)

Q.No.5 What do you understand by supersession of committee by Registrar? What are

committee
Grounds laid under the Act, to appoint administrator in a Cooperative Society ? What are legal prerequisites under the Act to supercede a

By Registrar? Elaborate.

(5 + 8 + 7 = 20

Marks)

Q.No.6 How profits are appropriated in a Cooperative Society? Describe provisions of The Act in relation to investment of funds by a Cooperative Society.

(12 + 8 = 20

Marks)

Q.No.7 Describe special provisions relating to Audit of a Cooperative Society under The Act and Rules. What are the important aspects under the Act & Rules that

Auditors are required to consider at the time of audit? Discuss.

(8 + 12 = 20

Marks)

Q.No.8 Explain the main grounds to put a Cooperative Society under liquidation. Describe in detail the procedure to be adopted to wind- up a Cooperative Society by the liquidator.

(8 + 12 = 20

Marks)
