

H.P. BOARD OF DEPARTMENTAL EXAMINATION
OTHER GAZETTED OFFICERS
Rural Development Department

PAPER-5,
Time Allowed: 3 Hours.

DEC
November, 2017
Maximum Marks: 100

Note:-

- 1) Attempt any five questions.
- 2) All questions carry equal marks.
- 3) Bare Acts and Rules can be consulted.

Q. No. I	a) Write the Salient features of the 73 rd Constitutional Amendment Act. b) Write the Salient features of the 74 th Constitutional Amendment Act.	(10 marks) (10 marks)
Q. No. II	Write short notes on the following :- a) Functions of the Gram Panchayat b) Constitution and functions of the Standing Committees. c) Offences cognizable by the Gram Panchayats d) Levy of taxes and fees by the Gram Panchayats	(5 marks) (5marks) (5marks) (5marks)
Q. No. III	As per the Panchayati Raj General financial Rules, what is the manner of the execution of the works by the Panchayat.	(20 marks)
Q. No. IV	Write the Provisions relating to the reservation of the seats in Panchayats as per the Himachal Pradesh Panchayati Raj Election Rules, 1994.	(20 marks)
Q. No. V	As per the Panchayati Raj General financial Rules, write short notes on the following:- a) Stages for the inspection of works b) Final assessment and completion report c) Release of funds against works. d) Maintenance of the accounts of the works of Gram Panchayats e)	(5 marks) (5 marks) (5 marks) (5 marks)
Q. No. VI	Write short notes on the following:- a) Essential criteria for the Cooperative societies to be registered. Also elucidate their roles and responsibilities. b) Role and powers of State Election Commission c)	(10 marks) (10 marks)
Q. No. VII	Write short notes on the following:- a) Salient features of the Fourteenth Finance Commission b) Functions of the Gram Sabha c) Duties of the Panchayat Secretary d) Provision regarding Pariwar register, and registration of births, deaths and marriages.	(5 marks) (5 marks) (5 marks) (5 marks)
