H.P. Departmental Examination, September, 2020

Paper - VII (For HAS)

Planning Development

Time Allowed: 3 hours

Maximum Marks: 100

Note: Attempt any five questions. All questions carry equal marks. No text books or help books are allowed.

- Q1. How do you view the opportunities for India to emerge as an economic power in the post COVID-19 situation? (20)
- Q2. Assess the possible losses Himachal's economy would incur during the COVID-19 situation. Suggest measures to put State's economy back on track.

(10+10)

- Q3. Give a brief on the efforts of the State Government in making the economic growth inclusive.
- Q4. Write a critical note on the Central Schemes and State schemes being implemented in agriculture sector in the State. (20)
- Q5. Suggest measures to improve quality of education in the State considering that the education infrastructure in Himachal is one of the best in the country.

(20)

Q6. How the relevance of Union Finance Commission has changed for Himachal Pradesh after discontinuation of Planning Commission?

(20)

- Q7 Critically examine the performance of Power Sector in Himachal Pradesh during last fifteen years. (20)
- Q8 Write short notes on any two:
 - Aspirational Districts Programme b) Financial sustainability of local bodies c) Revival plan for tourism in Himachal d) Need to attract traditional farmers to non-farm activities.

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