

Departmental Examination For HAS Officers

Paper-6

General Administration

Session-2021 *May*

Time allowed: 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 100

1. Attempt any five questions. All questions carry equal marks.
 2. Reference Books, Bare Acts and Rules allowed.
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Question I:

(a) What do you understand by Public Administration? Differentiate between Public and Private Administration.

(b) What is the role and importance of Public Administration in a modern State?

(2x10= 20 Marks)

Question II: What do you understand by District Administration? Discuss the role and responsibilities of Deputy Commissioner?

(20 Marks)

Question III:

(a) What do you understand by a grievance? How do you differentiate it from a complaint?

(b) What is the grievance redressal mechanism in the state of Himachal Pradesh?

(2x10=20 Marks)

Question IV:

- (a) What do you understand by Democratic Decentralisation?
- (b) What subjects have been transferred to Panchayats for governance in Himachal Pradesh as a result of 73rd Amendment of Constitution?

(2x10=20 Marks)

Question V: "Food supply grows arithmetically but population grows geometrically", said Malthus, the famous British Economist. Do you agree with the statement and why?

- (b) What is the population control policy of our country?

(2x10=20 Marks)

Question VI:

(a) How is a request for obtaining information under Right to Information Act, 2005 is disposed of by the State Public Information Officer?

(b) What is the procedure of appeal on failing to seek desired information under Right to Information Act, 2005?

(2x10= 20 Marks)

Question VII: Explain the conduct rules that provide for following:

- (1) Maintaining confidentiality in the performance of official duties
- (2) Prohibition of sexual harassment of any woman at work place
- (3) Taking part in politics and elections
- (4) Taking gifts
- (5) Restriction regarding marriage

(5x4=20 Marks)

Question VIII: Write notes on any two of the following:

1. H.P. Tenancy and Land Reforms Act, 1972.
2. Tourism Potential of Himachal Pradesh.
3. Industrial Development in Himachal Pradesh.
4. How Covid-19 has affected the economy of Himachal Pradesh?

(2x10=20 Marks)

Question IX: Write short notes on any four of the following:

1. Smart cities in Himachal Pradesh
2. Financial resources of Himachal Pradesh
3. Global Investors Meet held in Himachal Pradesh
4. Grihani Suvidha Yojna of H.P. Government
5. Himcare Scheme of H.P. Government
6. Nai Rahein Nai Manzilen Scheme of H.P. Government
7. Sustainable Development Goals

(4x5=20 Marks)
