

HP Board of Departmental Examinations
Departmental Examination of Other Gazetted Officers (Non-Technical) of Himachal
Pradesh

Paper-4-election Law for Election Department

(With reference Books)

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Time Allowed – 3 hours

Maximum Marks – 100

Note

- Attempt any five questions.
- Each question carries equal marks.
- Reference Books are allowed.

Question-1 Write short note on any four of the following:-

- i. Qualifications for membership of the House of the People.
- ii. Disqualifications for voting arising out of conviction and corrupt practices.
- iii. General duties of Chief Electoral Officers.
- iv. Registration of Political Parties.
- v. Returning Officer.

5x4=20 Marks

Question-2 What are the General Provisions of Conduct of Elections Under Conduct of Election Rules-1961.

20 Marks

Question-3 Discuss the corrupt practice and electoral offences under the Representation of the People Act, 1951.

20 Marks

Question-4 What are the specific provisions of prevention of disqualifications for membership of Legislative Assembly of Himachal Pradesh under the Himachal Pradesh Legislative Assembly Members (Removal of Disqualifications), Act, 1971.

20 Marks

Question-5 Discuss the manner of election of the President under Presidential and Vice-Presidential election Act, 1950.

20 Marks

Question-6 Write short note on any four of the following.

- i. Qualifications for election as President.
- ii. Term of Office of Vice-President.

- iii. Appointment of Presiding Officer for Polling Stations.
- iv. Public notice of Election.
- v. Appointment of counting agents.

5x4=20 Marks

Question-7 Discuss the difference between the following:-

- i. Nominated and Validly Nominated Candidates.
- ii. Election agent and Polling agents.
- iii. General Observer and Micro Observer.
- iv. Marked copy and Working copy of Electoral Roll.
- v. Polling Station and Polling Area.

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