STELLA MARIS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS) CHENNAI – 86
(For candidates admitted during the academic year 2011 – 2012 & thereafter)

SUBJECT CODE: 11SC/MC/PD64

B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2015
BRANCH III – SOCIOLOGY
SIXTH SEMESTER

COURSE   : MAJOR – CORE
PAPER   : POLITICAL DEVELOPMENT
TIME   : 3 HOURS   MAX. MARKS: 100

SECTION – A
ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 50 WORDS:
(10 X 2 = 20)

1. What is political socialization?
2. What are Human Rights?
3. What are the objectives of adult Franchise?
4. What is unitary government?
5. Mention any two regional and national parties
6. Identify any four factors which influence voting behavior of an individual?
7. Who are the political elites?
8. What do you mean by plurality in politics?
9. What is good governance?
10. Mention the importance of e-governance in India?

SECTION – B
ANSWER ANY FIVE QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 250
WORDS: **(5X 8 = 40)**

11. Define political development. Enumerate the nature and the scope of political development.
12. Bring out the role of Democracy in political development.
13. Explain the working of parliamentary system.
14. Bring out the importance of pressure groups and public opinion in Indian politics.
15. Discuss the electoral reforms of India after Independence.
16. Examine the role of civil society in political mobilization.
17. Explain the role of Governor, Chief Minister and State legislator in Governance.
18. Discuss the merit and demerit of E-Governance in India.

SECTION – C
ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 1200
WORDS: **(2X 20 = 40)**

19. Critically examine the Organs of Government.
20. Write an essay on Political Modernizatioan.
21. Examine the role of Local government in the governance of India. And Discuss the importance of 73rd and 74th amendement.
22. Describe the bases of political mobilization in India.

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