

**STELLA MARIS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS) CHENNAI – 86**  
**(For candidates admitted from the academic year 2015-2016 and thereafter)**

**SUBJECT CODE: 15HS/MC/CO45**

**B. A. DEGREE EXAMINATION APRIL 2019**  
**BRANCH IA – HISTORY AND TOURISM**  
**FOURTH SEMESTER**

**COURSE: MAJOR - CORE**

**PAPER : CONTEMPORARY INDIA**

**TIME : 3 HOURS.**

**MAX. MARKS: 100**

**SECTION – A**

**ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 30 WORDS:**

**(10x3=30)**

1. Fazal Ali Commission
2. MISA
3. Indo-Russia relations
4. Pokran II Test
5. PottiSriramulu
6. Planning Commission 1
7. Bhodan Movement
8. White Revolution
9. Twenty-point Programme
10. Dowry Prohibition Act, 1961

**SECTION – B**

**ANSWER ANY FIVE QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 300 WORDS:**

**(5x 8 = 40)**

11. Explain the principle of Linguistic Reorganization of States.
12. Write a note on communalism.
13. Briefly explain the formation of Andhra State.
14. Write about the Hindi Agitation of 1965.
15. Evaluate the working of the UPA.
16. Explain the LPG reforms of 1991.
17. Write a brief note on the Tribal's of the North East.
18. Discuss about the Indo-China relations.

**SECTION – C**

**ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 1000 WORDS:**

**(3 x 10 = 30)**

19. a) Describe the integration of Princely States.

**(OR)**

b) Discuss the foreign policy of Nehru.

20. a) Assess the achievements of NDA government.

**(OR)**

b) Trace the agrarian struggle in India since independence.

21. a) Assess the caste movement in India and its impact on society.

**(OR)**

b) Describe the status of women in independent India.

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