

MIZORAM PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
MIZORAM CIVIL SERVICES (COMBINED COMPETITIVE)
MAIN EXAMINATION, 2023

POLITICAL SCIENCE & INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

PAPER-I

Time Allowed : 3 hours

FM : 100

Marks for each question is indicated against it.

Attempt any 5 (five) questions taking not more than 3 (three) questions from each Part.

PART - A

1. "The state is a historically specific system present only in class societies, because it is an instrument of class domination." In the light of this statement, discuss the Marxist perspective on the nature of state. (20)
2. "Social Democracy is the pre-condition for the success of political democracy." Elaborate. (20)
3. Discuss Ambedkar's conception on 'annihilation of caste'. (20)
4. Discuss Machiavelli's view on the relationship between morality and politics. (20)

PART - B

5. 'Indian Constitution is a borrowed constitution.' Discuss the evolution of Indian Constitution in the light of this statement. (20)
6. Discuss the role of the Indian bureaucracy as an agency of socio-economic change. (20)
7. What is basic structure doctrine? Explain the various points of contention between the Judiciary and Executive in India. (10+10=20)
8. Examine the role of women in Indian electoral politics. (20)

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