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( 5th Semester )

**SOCIOLOGY**

( Honours )

Paper No. : SOC-504 (OP)

( **Contemporary Indian Society** )

*Full Marks : 70*  
*Pass Marks : 45%*

*Time : 3 hours*

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks  
for the questions*

1. Discuss the positive and negative impacts of economic liberalization on higher education in India. 14

*Or*

Analyze the contribution of economic liberalization in the context of women empowerment in Indian society. 14

2. "Industrialization has changed the face of rural India." Discuss. 14

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Or

Discuss the role of information technology in bringing about social change in India. 14

3. Define poverty. Examine the causes and consequences of poverty in India. 4+10=14

Or

What is crime? Explain corruption as a biggest form of crime in India. 4+10=14

4. What is the difference between ecological degradation and environmental pollution? Explain the various forms of ecological degradation. 4+10=14

Or

Critically examine the policy measures initiated by the government with regard to the issue of ecological degradation. 14

5. Discuss the issue of identity crisis faced by the various ethnic groups in North-East India. 14

Or

"Preservation of Naga ethnic identity is the root cause of Naga Movement." Discuss. 14

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