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HISTORY AND ARCHAEOLOGY

Course No. : H – 106

(**Social and Political History of Nagas**)

Full Marks : 70

Time : 3 hours

*The questions are of equal value
The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions*

*Answer any **five** questions*

1. a) How did geography shape the hill communities/Nagas and their practices? 14

Or

- b) What does Naga oral tradition tell of their origin and migration? 14

2. Write short notes on any two: 7+7

- i) Customary Law
- ii) Chieftanship
- iii) Marriage and divorce
- iv) Bachelor's Dormitory

(Turn Over)

3. a) Critically examine the mode of subsistence practiced by Hill communities/Nagas. 14

Or

- b) What type of settlement pattern pre-dominantly existed in the Naga Hills? Why was such a pattern practiced? 7+7

4. a) How did their participation in the two world wars shape Nagas' twentieth century world view? 14

Or

- b) A lasting legacy of the British administration is of their understanding and representation of the Nagas. Critically comment. 14

5. a) Tracing their history, comment on the dynamic between the Baptist and the Catholic Missions in the Naga Hills (later Nagaland) 14

Or

- b) Why was education such an important focus of the Baptist Mission? 14

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