



**Ba/Pol-503**

**2023**

( 5th Semester )

**POLITICAL SCIENCE**

( Honours )

Paper No. : POL-503

**( Local Self-Government in India )**

*Full Marks : 70*

*Pass Marks : 45%*

*Time : 3 hours*

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

1. (a) Explain the meaning and characteristics of Local Self-Government. 14

*Or*

- (b) Discuss the evolution of Local Self-Government in India.

2. (a) Explain the main features of the 73rd Constitutional Amendment Act. 14

*Or*

- (b) Critically analyze the 74th Amendment Act of 1992.

3. (a) What is Panchayati Raj system? Discuss the organizations and workings of village panchayats in India. 4+10=14

Or

- (b) What is Panchayat Samiti? Discuss its organization, powers and functions. 4+10=14

4. (a) What is Municipality? Discuss the organization and working of the Municipal Council. 4+10=14

Or

- (b) Critically examine the working of the institution of Urban Local Government. 14

5. (a) Describe the legislative control by the State over Local Self-Government Institution. 14

Or

- (b) Discuss the major challenges faced by the Local Self-Government in India. Suggest some measures to overcome it. 7+7=14

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