

FEDERAL PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION



COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION FOR RECRUITMENT TO POSTS IN BS-17 UNDER THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT, 2012

Roll Number

POLITICAL SCIENCE, PAPER-I

TIME ALLOWED:	(PART-I MCQs)	30 MINUTES	MAXIMUM MARKS: 20
THREE HOURS	(PART-II)	2 HOURS & 30 MINUTES	MAXIMUM MARKS: 80
NOTE: (i) Candidate must write Q. No. in the Answer Book in accordance with Q. No. in the Q. Paper. (ii) Attempt ONLY FOUR questions from PART-II , Selecting TWO questions from EACH SECTION. ALL questions carry EQUAL marks. (iii) Extra attempt of any question or any part of the attempted question will not be considered.			

PART-II

SECTION-I

- Q. 2.** “Plato intended to build an institution for scientific study of politics and training of statesman”. Elaborate. (20)
- Q. 3.** “Montesquie with all his faults and irregularities is the father of modern historical research”. Explain and discuss. (20)
- Q. 4.** Ibn-Khaldun perhaps was the first philosopher to realize the relevant importance of economics to politics. Discuss. (20)
- Q. 5.** Write short notes on the following: (10+10=20)
(i) Rousseau’s theory of General will.
(ii) Al-Farabi’s theory of state.

SECTION-II

- Q. 6.** Define political science. To what extent can one be systematic in a study of the political process? How “Scientific” is political science? (20)
- Q. 7.** Discuss the principal advantages and disadvantages of parliamentary over presidential form of government with special reference to Pakistan. (20)
- Q. 8.** Write short notes on the following: (10+10=20)
(i) Views of Marx on Socialist revolution.
(ii) Classical Liberalism

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PART-II

SECTION-I

- Q. 2.** Discuss in detail the Legislative Powers of the President of USA. (20)
- Q. 3.** What is “Judicial Review”? Discuss its impact on USA decision making process. (20)
- Q. 4.** Discuss the Executive Powers of the French President in detail. (20)
- Q. 5.** Discuss the powers of Senate of USA. Also analyse. (20)

SECTION-II

- Q. 6.** What is “Provincial Autonomy”? Discuss its importance in True Federation. (20)
- Q. 7.** Discuss 18th Amendment of Pakistan. Do you find the principle of Social Justice in this Amendment? (20)
- Q. 8.** Write notes on any **TWO** of the following: (10+10=20)
(i) Fundamental Rights
(ii) Social Justice
(iii) Loak Sabha
(iv) Supreme Court of Pakistan
