

LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI - 600 034

B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION – **HISTORY**

SIXTH SEMESTER - APRIL 2013

HT 6604 - INDIAN POLITY AND THE CONSTITUTION

Date: 30/04/2013	Dept. No.	Max.: 100 Marks
Time: 1:00 - 4:00	L	

PART - A

 $(10 \times 2 = 20)$

Answer any **TEN** of the following in TEN lines each.

- 1. Election Manifesto.
- 2. Booth Capturing.
- 3. Low Voter Turnout.
- 4. How many articles, parts and schedules are there in our Constitution?
- 5. Single Party System.
- 6. Pressure Groups.
- 7. Fundamental Duties.
- 8. The Chairman of Rajya Sabha.
- 9. Writ of Habeas corpus
- 10. Amendments.
- 11. National Emergency.
- 12. VICE PRESIDENT.

PART – B

(4 X 10 = 40)

Answer any **FOUR** of the following in ONE page each.

- 13. Explain the special features of the Federal system of Government.
- 14. What are the functions of the Election Commission?
- 15. Examine the significance of Directive Principles of State Policy.
- 16. Elucidate the powers and functions of Lok Sabha Speaker.
- 17. Give a brief account on functions of the Cabinet.
- 18. Write a note on the powers and responsibilities of Chief Minister of a State.

PART - C

 $(2 \times 20 = 40)$

Answer any **TWO** of the following in FOUR pages each.

- 19. State the fundamental rights enshrined in the Indian Constitution.
- 20. Mention the Election and Powers of the President of India.
- 21. Examine the composition, powers and position of the Lok Sabha.
- 22. Explain the functions of Supreme Court of India.

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