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**TEZPUR UNIVERSITY**

**SEMESTER END EXAMINATION (AUTUMN) 2023**

**MSO/MASOD 202: POLITICAL SOCIOLOGY**

**Time: 3 Hours Total Marks: 70**

*The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks for the individual question.*

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1. Answer the following questions 2x5=10

1. Legitimate power is identified as …………. in Weberian theory.
2. Who has authored the book ‘Annihilation of Caste’?
3. Which theoretical perspective views power in relation with the production of subjectivity?
4. Who conceives of State as monopolizing the legitimate use of force?
5. ……………. Schedule of the Indian Constitution deals with provision of Autonomous District Council.

2. Answer **any four** of the following questions. 5x4=20

1. Define the meaning of the concept of Patriarchy.
2. Describe Marxian approach to study of civil society.
3. Explain the central arguments of the Weberian theory of State.
4. Examine the significance of Dalit politics in Indian polity.
5. Discuss the problem of communalism in Indian society.

3. Answer **any four** of the following questions. 10x4=40

1. Examine the Liberal theory of power. How does it differ from Marxist approaches to power?
2. Elaborate the relevance of class relations in understanding the nature of Indian State.
3. Critically examine how institutions of Panchayati Raj India represent a third tier of administration.
4. Explain the significance of the concept of Ideology in understanding the nature of State in advanced capitalist society.
5. Examine the role of elite in language-based mobilizations in Indian society.

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