B. A. DEGREE END SEMESTER EXAMINATION - MARCH 2020

SEMESTER –6: SOCIOLOGY (CORE COURSE)

COURSE: **15U6CRSOC14: URBAN SOCIOLOGY**

(Common for Regular 2017 Admission & Supplementary 2016 /2015 admission)

Time: Three Hours   Max Marks: 75

PART A (One word questions)
Answer all questions. Each question carries 1 mark.

1. The quality of being urbane is known as ……………….
2. A squalid and overcrowded urban street or district inhabited by very poor people
3. Clustered network of cities
4. An encroachment upon the rights of another
5. An organized group of criminals
6. The most notorious Italian *organized crime group*
7. Who is the father of urban sociology?
8. The *sociological* study of life and human interaction in metropolitan areas.
9. One of the largest *slums* in Asia.
10. An area that is generally larger than village but smaller than city   (1 x 10 = 10)

PART B *(Short answer Questions)*
Answer any eight questions in not more than 50 words.
Each question carries 2 marks.

11. *Urban Society*
12. Town
13. Semiurbanites
14. White collar crime
15. Urban poverty
16. Family disorganisation
17. Migration
18. NGO
19. Urban environment
20. Cybercrime   (2 x 8 = 16)

PART C (Short Essays).
Answer any five of the following questions in not more than 200 words each.
Each question carries 5 marks.

21. Explain the scope of Urban Sociology.
22. Bring out the major causes of slum.
23. Briefly explain the types of urban area.

24. Explain Multi nuclei theory of Urbanization.

25. What do you mean by the term urban ecological process?

26. Explain the major government strategies for urban development.

27. Discuss the role of local self governments in urban development.   (5 x 5 =25)

PART D
Answer any two of the following questions in 500 words each.
Each question carries 12 marks.

28. Discuss the meaning, and characteristic features of urban society.

29. Explain different types of pollution in urban society and discuss its causes and remedies.

30. Critically examine Sector theory of urbanization.

31. Write an essay on major urban social problems.   (12 x 2=24)

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