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CC15U ENG2 A04 – READINGS ON SOCIETY						
(2015 & 2016 Admissions) Time: Three Hours Maximum: 80 Marks						
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I. Ar	nswer <i>all</i> questions.					
1. Whose story did the widow's father often narrate to her when she was a small child?						
	a. Cinderella	b. Snow White				
	c. The Little Mermaid	d. Rapunzel				
2.	2. The climate of Jaisalmer as described by Dr.Rajendra Prasad is					
	a. Extreme cold	b. Scorching hea	at			
	c. Dry,arid	d .Rainy				
3.	3. Who among the following is a renowned ornithologist?					
	a. Dr.Rajendra Prasad	b. M.S.Randhwa	a			
	c. Dr.Salim Ali	d. S.Dillon Riple	ey			
4.	. Which of the following is considered to be the ancestor of our domestic poultry?					
	a. The pin headed duck	b. Red jungle fo	wl			
	c. Owl	d. diurnal birds	of prey			
5.	Who is the recipient of the twenty first International Meteorological Prize?					
	a. Amartya Sen	b. Vandana Shiv	⁄a			
	c. Santhosh John Thooval	d. E.K.Federov				
6.	The term orogeny refers to					
	a. Volcanic activity	b. Growth of mo	ountain ranges			
	c. Radiation from sun	d. Changes in th	e earth's orbit			
7.	. Pick out the most influential Telugu writer of modern times from the following.					
	a. Lakshmikantham	b. Venkata Rao				
	c. Ranga Rao	d. Venkat Chala	m			
8.	8. Who translated Venkat Chalam's "Widow" into English?					
	a. Raja Rao	b. Ranga Rao				
	c. Venkata Rao	d. Lakshmikantl	nam			
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9. Ashok was admitted to the INHS Ashwini hospital, Mumbai for treatment of

a. Influenza

b. Herpes Zoster

b. Viral fever

d. Typhoid

10. The Latin usage sine qua non means

a. Mentally retarded

b. Epileptic

c. Indispensable part

d. Physically challenged

 $(10 \times 1 = 10 \text{ Marks})$

- II. Answer any *ten* of the following in one or two sentences each.
 - 11. What is meant by interior monologue?
 - 12. What historical evidence does M.S.Randhwa provide to bring to light the progressive desiccation of northern India in the last two thousand years?
 - 13. How, according to Dr.Rajendra Prasad, does the democratic form of government in India provide scope for the full development of the individual?
 - 14. How does the use of advanced technology create hazards to wild life and environment?
 - 15. What are the reasons for endangering the existence of the Great Indian Rhinoceros?
 - 16. What are the various factors responsible for the long period changes of climate?
 - 17. Mention the important components of Wheat Package proposed by the government of India?
 - 18. What suggestions does Dr. Rajendra Prasad make about bringing vernacular literature of India to everyone?
 - 19. What consequences does the widow imagine she may have to face when the family comes to know of her pregnancy?
 - 20. 'Just five words conveyed through surgical precision' What were those five words? Who uttered them?
 - 21. Why does Dr.Salim Ali say that restriction of population expansion is one basic remedy for the conservation of nature?
 - 22. What is the federal script in which the literary works in regional languages are to be printed According to Dr. Rajendra Prasad?

 $(10 \times 2 = 20 \text{ Marks})$

- III. Answer any *four* of the following in a paragraph of 100 words each.
 - 23. The various long term actions to be prepared for overcoming climatic changes unfavorable for human survival.
 - 24. Amartya Sen's observations on women's biological advantages over men.
 - 25. Effect of commercial exploitation of predators of agricultural pests on agricultural economy.

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- 26. Dr. Rajendra Prasad's account of the physical diversities of India.
- 27. Climatic changes brought about by human existence.
- 28. Ashok's mental preparations to deal with society's inhumane attitudes towards him.

 $(4 \times 5 = 20 \text{ Marks})$

- IV. Answer any **two** of the following in an essay of 300 words each.
 - 29. How does Dr.Salim Ali enlighten us on the fact that man's indiscriminate use of the environment has turned disastrous to an alarming proportion?
 - 30. Elucidate the appropriateness of the use of the metaphor of a necklace of gems to describe India's unity in diversity.
 - 31. Examine the stigma and shame faced by people diagnosed HIV positive with illustrations From the lesson "Stigma, Shame and Silence".
 - 32. What observations does Vandana Shiva make on the impact of globalization on human culture?

 $(2 \times 15 = 30 \text{ Marks})$
