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Complementary Course BSW IC 01—BASIC ECONOMIC CONCEPTS FOR SOCIAL WORK Time: Three Hours Maximum: 80 Marks Part A Answer all the questions. Each question carries 1 mark. 1. The main concern of Socialism is: (a) Private profit. (b) Social Welfare. (c) Increased production. (d) Competition. 2. In India the largest source of National Income is from : (a) Agriculture. (b) Service sector. (c) Industrial sector. (d) Trade. 3. The book "Wealth of Nation's" was authored by — (a) Marshall. (b) Ricardo. (c) Robbins. (d) Adam Smith. 4. In India largest area is under cultivation of ——— crop. (a) Wheat. (b) Cotton. (c) Rice. (d) Rubber. 5. The concept of five year plan was adopted from: (a) China. (b) Russia. (c) Britain. (d) Canada. 6. Which economic system exists in India? (a) Welfare economy. (b) Mixed economy. (c) Capitalist economy. (d) Socialist economy. 7. Mention the programme which was introduced for the development of youth. (a) TRYSEM. (b) NREP. (c) IRDP. (d) DWRCA.

- 8. Garibi Hatao (removal of poverty) was a slogan during the ————— five year plan.
 - (a) First.

(b) Fifth.

(c) Fourth.

(d) None of these.

 $(8 \times 1 = 8 \text{ m})$

Part B

Answer any **four** questions. Each question carries 3 marks.

- 9. What is Economics?
- 10. What is meant by Vicious Circle of Poverty?
- 11. What is Unemployment?
- 12. What is Socialism?
- 13. What is Economic Growth?
- 14. What is Underemployment?

 $(4 \times 3 = 12 \text{ m})$

Part C

Answer any **five** questions. Each question carries 6 marks.

- 15. What is the need for studying Economics in practicing Social Work?
- 16. Explain the implication of Globalisation.
- 17. Explain the features of Capitalism.
- 18. Explain the demerits of Socialism.
- 19. Explain the obstacles to Economic Development.
- 20. Explain the causes of Population Explosion.
- 21. Explain the characteristics of Indian Economy.

 $(5 \times 6 = 30 \text{ mg})$

Part D

Answer any **two** of the following. Each question carries 15 marks.

- 22. Elaborate on the major Economic Problems and plans to solve them.
- 23. What is Mixed Economy? Explain its features.
- 24. Elaborate on the Factors of Production.

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