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SECOND SEMESTER M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, JULY 2016

(CUCSS - PG)

(History)

CC 15P HIS2 C07 - PROBLEMS AND PERSPECTIVES IN SOUTH INDIAN HISTORY

(2015 Admission)

Time: Three Hours Maximum: 36 Weightage

SECTION A

(Answer all. Each question carries 2 weightage)

- 1. Valanciar and Nanadesi.
- 2. The Descent of the Ganges.
- 3. Hampi.
- 4. Karanmai.

 $(4 \times 2 = 8 \text{ Weightage})$

SECTION B

(Answer any five of the following) (Each question carries 4 weightage)

- 5. Explain the concept of "Little Kingdoms".
- 6. Explain the European contributions to the formation of the Dravidian identity .
- 7. What are the major features of Vijayanagara architecture?
- 8. Assess the nature of state under the Satavahanas.
- 9. Bring out the significant role played by trade in sustaining the early south Indian states.
- 10. How did the Aryan migration pave the way for the breakup of early Tamil culture?
- 11. What are the salient features of the Chola administration?

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

SECTION C

(Answer any one of the following essays - 8 Weightage)

- 12. Critically examine the different historical positions on the nature of the French Revolution.
- 13. Assess the significant role played by the rulers of Mysore in the history of India.

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