DECEMBER 2024 **P/ID 36622/PSO1B**

Time : Three hours Maximum : 80 marks

PART A — (10 × 2 = 20 marks)

Answer any TEN questions in 50 words each.

1. What is Social Progress?
2. What are social statics?
3. What is Analogy?
4. Define Anomie.
5. Write a short note on organic solidarity.
6. Define the term Alienation.
7. Who are proletariats?
8. Define Ideal Type.
9. Define bureaucracy.
10. What are social action?
11. What are manifest functions?
12. What do you mean by dysfunctions?

PART B — (5 × 6 = 30 marks)

Answer any FIVE questions in 250 words each.

13. Explain the theory of hierarchy of sciences.

14. Describe Spencer's organismic analogy.

15. Distinguish between mechanical and organic solidarity.

16. Write a note on various forms of alienation.

17. Write the characteristics of bureaucracy.

18. Elaborate on Parson's pattern variables.

19. Briefly explain the reference group theory.

PART C — (3 × 10 = 30 marks)

Answer any THREE questions in 500 words each.

20. Elaborate on the law of human progress.

21. Discuss in detail about the evolutionary theory of Spencer.

22. Explain the theory of suicide.

23. Critically analyse the theory of class struggle.

24. Evaluate the Salient features of Latent and Manifest functions given by Merton.

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