MAY 2024 **P/ID 4435/PGE2D**

Time : Three hours Maximum : 80 marks

PART A — (10 × 2 = 20 marks)

Answer any TEN questions in 50 words each.

1. What is meant by a Subsistence Economy?

2. Give a brief note on the concept of a Pure Economic System.

3. Define – Tertiary Economic Sector.

4. Provide a short note about Olericulture.

5. Give an overview of Nomadic Herding.

6. Provide a short note on Agglomeration.

7. Define Weight-Gaining Industry.

8. Briefly note on accessibility.

9. What is meant by TRIPS?

10. Provide a brief note on EPZ.

11. Define the concept of space-shrinking.

12. Write about the major pillars of the knowledge economy.

PART B — (5 × 6 = 30 marks)

Answer any FIVE questions in 250 words each.

13. Explain the Spatial Approach in Economic Geography.

14. Discuss crop combination and diversification.

15. Explain the Mediterranean types of agriculture.

16. What challenges are associated with the process of industrial decentralization?

17. Explain the purpose of industrial policies and how they contribute to economic development.

18. What challenges does the WTO face in the current global economic landscape?

19. Explain how geopolitical factors influence commodity chains and their configurations.

PART C — (3 × 10 = 30 marks)

Answer any THREE questions in 500 words each.

20. Write an essay on fundamental concepts in Economic Geography.

21. Discuss Whittlesey's classification of agricultural regions.

22. Explore Industrial Location Theories, particularly Weber's theory.

23. Provide a detailed note on the member countries of ASEAN and the regions they cover.

24. Explain how the knowledge economy leverages information, technology, and intellectual assets for economic growth.

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