**MAY 2025** **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. Define economic utility in Geographical Perspective.

2. Brief note on universalism.

3. Write about Economic Rationality.

4. Define Crop diversification.

5. What is meant by subsistence agriculture.

6. Give a short note on Agglomeration.

7. What is meant by weight losing Industry.

8. Define ASEAN and highlight its main objectives.

9. Write a note about significance of Special Economic Zones.

10. Write a short note about recent APEC summits.

11. What is meant by Spatial Inequality.

12. Define the concept of space-shrinking.

PART B — (5 × 6 = 30 marks)

Answer any FIVE questions 250 words each.

13. Provide a detailed note on the Limits of Growth Model in Economic Geography.

14. Describe the Nature and Scope of Economic Geography.

15. Discuss the potential challenges associated with the future need for energy sustainability.

16. Examine the determinants of the Energy Crisis in India.

17. Explore factors influencing the location of industrial activities.

18. Explain the key differences between EPZs and SEZs in terms of objectives and functions.

19. Discuss the concept of technology clusters and their role in regional innovation.

PART C — (3 × 10 = 30 marks)

Answer any FIVE questions 500 words each

20. Discuss factors influencing the location of economic activity.

21. Explain the concept and techniques of delimitation of agriculture regions.

22. Explain Rostow's model and how it conceptualizes the transition from a 'Traditional Society" to a "Pre-Conditions for Take-Off' stage.

23. Discuss economic disparities and development challenges among different regions in India.

24. How does the knowledge economy leverage information, technology, and intellectual assets for economic growth?

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