**MAY 2025** **P/ID 4444/PGE4L**

Time : Three hours Maximum : 80 marks

PART A — (10 × 2 = 20 marks)

Answer any TEN questions in 50 words each.

1. Define social geography.

2. How does healthcare accessibility influence spatial inequality?

3. What is Slum?

4. How does crime influence the social geography of a region?

5. Name any two components of culture.

6. What is an ethnic group?

7. What is cultural ecology in folk geography?

8. What is the primary difference between rural and urban society?

9. Name two characteristic of informal settlements in urban areas.

10. Name two major cause of communal conflicts in urban areas.

11. What is the primary difference between caste and class?

12. Which social category is primarily based on hereditary occupation in India?

PART B — (5 × 6 = 30 marks)

Answer any FIVE questions in 250 words each.

13. Explain the nature and scope of social geography with relevant examples.

14. How does social geography help in understanding and addressing social inequalities?

15. Examine the role of housing in determining the quality of life and social well-being.

16. Analyse the role of race, religion, and language as the bases of cultural diversity.

17. How does cultural diversity influence regionalization in India?

18. Define ethnic groups and tribal groups, and explain their significance in geography.

19. How does social structure influence the development and organization of human settlements?

PART C — (3 × 10 = 30 marks)

Answer any THREE questions in 500 words each.

20. Examine the impact of class divisions on urban and rural settlement patterns.

21. Examine the relationship between crime patterns and urban geography, and suggest strategies for crime prevention.

22. Explain the key elements and components of culture and their role in shaping human landscapes.

23. Explain the process of religious diffusion and its impact on global cultural landscapes.

24. Discuss the major challenges faced by cities in developing countries due to rapid urbanization and migration.

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