

**3 (Sem-3) HIS M 1**

**2015**

**HISTORY**

**( Major )**

**Paper : 3.1**

**( India under the Turko-Afghans )**

*Full Marks : 80*

*Time : 3 hours*

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks  
for the questions*

**Answer all questions**

**1. Answer the following questions in one word or  
in one sentence : 1×10=10**

- (a) Who wrote the *Shahnamah*?
- (b) Who was a Ghazi?
- (c) Who was the founder of the Khalji dynasty?
- (d) Who was the key figure in the central administration of the Delhi Sultanate?
- (e) Which ruler of the Tughluq dynasty shifted his capital from Delhi to Daulatabad?

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- (f) Who was the Italian traveller to have visited the Vijayanagara Court in 1420?
- (g) What do you mean by Taraf?
- (h) What is Silsilah?
- (i) What is Shariat?
- (j) Who were the Chahalgani?

2. Answer the following in brief :  $2 \times 5 = 10$

- (a) Name the two battles that laid the foundation of the Turkish rule in North India.
- (b) What is Diwan-i-arz and who was the head of the department?
- (c) Who were the founders of the Vijayanagara kingdom?
- (d) What is Sijdah and Paibos?
- (e) Name two saints of the Bhakti movement who made a strong plea for Hindu-Muslim unity.

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3. Answer any four of the following :  $5 \times 4 = 20$

- (a) How can the Second Battle of Tarain in 1192 be regarded as one of the turning points in Indian history?
- (b) Write a brief note on the market control and agrarian policy of Alauddin.
- (c) Evaluate the role of Mahmud Gawan in the affairs of the Bahmani kingdom.
- (d) Trace the growth of trade during the period of the Delhi Sultanate.
- (e) What was the impact of Guru Nanak's religious ideas on the society?

4. Answer any four of the following :  $10 \times 4 = 40$

- (a) Was Muhammad bin Tughluq an 'ill-starred idealist' of history? Discuss.
- (b) What were the causes of decline and disintegration of the Delhi Sultanate?
- (c) Discuss the administrative system of the Delhi Sultanate.
- (d) Trace the emergence of Bengal as a power after the downfall of the Delhi Sultanate.

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- (e) What were the contributions of Sher Shah to Indian history?
- (f) Discuss various aspects of the Sufi movement.

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