

**POSTGRADUATE FOURTH SEMESTER EXAMINATION, 2021**

**Subject: History**

**Course Code: HIST 403EA (Old)**

**Course ID: 40453**

**Course Title: State and Society in Post-colonial India**

**Full Marks: 40**

**Time: 2 hours**

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

**Answer all the questions.**

**UNIT I**

- 1. Answer *any two* of the following questions: (15X2= 30)**
- Critically analyse the Government rehabilitation schemes in the aftermath of the Partition.
  - Discuss the Jharkhand movement in independent India.
  - How was the new middle class represented and framed in India?
  - Do you think that the term 'democracy in disarray' defines the period of National Emergency in India?

**UNIT II**

- 2. Answer *any two* of the following questions: (5X2=10)**
- Write a short note on the problem of desertion from Government camps in post-Partition India.
  - Can the historical roots of the new middle class in India be traced from the 19<sup>th</sup> century?
  - What do you understand by the concept, 'son of the soil'?
  - How does Indian cinema represent the medium of popular entertainment in independent India?