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Date: 29.10.2019 Time: 2 Hour

Certificate Course in Rural Development (SOCC2)

## Instructions:

- Answer all the questions.
- All questions carry equal marks.
- For subjective questions, answer in about 150-200 words each.

## Part - A

- 1. What is the primary objective of rural development?
  - A) Economic growth
  - B) Social transformation
  - C) Political empowerment
  - D) Environmental sustainability
- 2. Which of the following is not a component of rural development?
  - · A) Agriculture
  - · B) Infrastructure
  - · C) Urbanization
  - D) Healthcare
- 3. Which program aims at providing employment opportunities in rural areas in India?
  - A) MNREGA
  - B) PMAY
  - C) GST
  - D) UIDAI
- 4. What is the main focus of community-driven development (CDD) projects?
  - A) Government intervention
  - B) Bottom-up approach
  - C) Top-down approach
  - D) Private sector engagement
- 5. Which of the following is not a sustainable development goal (SDG) related to rural development?
  - a. A) No poverty
  - b. B) Quality education
  - c. C) Gender equality
  - d. D) Affordable housing
- 6. Which agency is responsible for implementing rural development programs in India?
  - e. A) RBI
  - f. B) NABARD
  - g. C) SEBI
  - h. D) TRAI



Total Marks: 50

- 7. What is the significance of rural infrastructure development?
  - i. A) Improving urban areas
  - j. B) Attracting foreign investment
  - k. C) Enhancing rural livelihoods
  - I. D) Reducing unemployment in cities
- 8. Which of the following is not a challenge in rural development?
  - m. A) Limited access to resources
  - n. B) Lack of technology adoption
  - o. C) Overpopulation in rural areas
  - p. D) Climate change impact
- 9. What is the main purpose of the Panchayati Raj system in India?
  - q. A) Decentralization of power
  - r. B) Centralized governance
  - s. C) Urban development
  - t. D) Providing employment opportunities
- 10. Which scheme aims at providing financial inclusion to rural households in India?
  - u. A) PM-KISAN
  - v. B) Swachh Bharat Abhiyan
  - w. C) Make in India
  - x. D) Digital India

## PART-B

Discuss the role of microfinance in rural development.
Explain the concept of sustainable agriculture and its importance in rural development.
marks

3. Analyze the impact of rural electrification on socio-economic development.

10 marks

Project: 50 marks

Undertake a project on "Assessment of Agricultural Practices and Income Generation Opportunities in a Rural Community". The project should include:

- Survey and analysis of existing agricultural practices in the chosen rural community.
- Identification of potential income generation opportunities within the agricultural sector.
- Recommendations for improving agricultural productivity and income levels in the community.
- · Presentation of findings and recommendations in a comprehensive report

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