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கலைத்தேர்வுப் பரீட்சை) வெளிவாரி-புதிய பாடத்திட்டம் (300 வது தேர்ச்சி மட்டம் - பெப்ரவரி 2022
Bachelor of Arts (External - New Syllabus) Examination 300 Level – February - 2022

(PSCE 301 – Comparative Politics and Government)

කාලය පැය (03) තුනයි.

மூன்று (03) மணித்தியாலங்கள்.

Time three (03) Hours.

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05 வினாக்களுக்கு மட்டும் விடையளிக்க.

Answer 05 questions only.

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எழுத்து தெளிவில்லாதவிடத்து புள்ளிகள் குறைக்கப்படும்.

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இந்த வினாப்பத்திரத்தில் 08 வினாக்கள் உள்ளன.

There are 08 questions in the question paper.

- 1) Describe the historical development of Comparative Politics and Government as a sub field of studying Political Science.
- 2) Discuss the strengths and drawbacks of the systems approach to study Comparative Politics and Government.
- 3) What do you mean by constitutionalism? How does that shape the content of a constitution?
- 4) How does political culture impact a country's political system? Give your answer using comparative examples.
- 5) 'Cabinet system of government is more democratic than Presidential system of government'. Do you agree? Give reasons for your answer.
- 6) Describe the powers and relationship between the nominal executive and real executive in the British parliamentary system.
- 7) What are the powers and functions of the President of the United States of America?
- 8) Write short notes on any **two** of the following:
 1. Aristotle's contribution to the development of Comparative Politics
 2. Semi-presidential system of government
 3. Institutional approach to Comparative Politics and Government
 4. Differences between federal and confederal states
 5. Political socialization