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கலைத்தேர்வுப் பரீட்சை (வெளிவாரி-புதிய பாடத்திட்டம்) 100 வது தேர்ச்சி மட்டத்தில் பரீட்சை - ஆகஸ்ட் 2025  
Bachelor of Arts (External - New Syllabus) Repeat Examination 100 Level – November 2025

PSCE 101 – Theory and Practice of State and Government.

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෦෦ மணி (03) மணித்தியாலங்கள்

Time three (03) Hours.

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05 வினாக்களுக்கு மட்டும் விடை யளிக்கும்

Answer 05 questions only.

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படிப்புத் தெளிவில்லாதவை தத்து பின்வாகள் குறைக்கப்படும்

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இந்த வினாப் பத்திரத்தில் 08 வினாக்கள் உள்ளன

There are 08 questions in the question paper.

1. i. What is politics?  
ii. What is political science?
2. Briefly describe the scope of political science.
3. Explain the origin of the state with reference to social contract theory.
4. Describe the key ideas of Marxism in relation to the state.
5. Explain the key features of the semi-presidential system.
6. Differentiate between the government and governance.
7. Explain the challenges faced by the modern nation-state.
8. Write short notes on any two of the following.
  - i. Parliamentary form of government.
  - ii. Presidential form of government.
  - iii. Political parties in modern democracies.
  - iv. Democracy and dictatorship.
  - v. Nationalism.