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ශාස්තුවේදී උපාධි (බාහිර - පැරණි නිර්දේශය) පරීක්ෂණය - 2020 பொதுக்கலைத் தேர்வு (வெளிவாரி – பழைய பாடத்திட்டம்) - 2020 Bachelor of Arts (External - Old Syllabus) Examination - 2020

SSG l : සමාජ විදහාවේ නහාය හා කුමවේදය/Theory and Method in Sociology

කාලය පැය 03 යි. முன்று(03)மணித்தியாலங்கள் Time allowed 03 Hours.

පශ්න 04 පමණක් පිළිතුරු සපයන්න. 04 வினாக்களுக்கு மட்டும் விடையளிக்க. Answer 04 questions only.

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This question paper has two (2) parts. Select two (2) from each part

Part 1

Theories in Sociology

- Explain how Industrial Revolution influenced to the origin of Sociology. 1.
- Discuss the contribution of Emile Durkheim, Max Weber and Karl Marx to the 2. development Sociology as an independent subject.
- Critically evaluate the contribution of B. Malinowski and Radcliffe-Brown to the 3. functionalism.
- Paying attention to the followings, write an essay on "Conflict theory". 4. (Definition, basic argument, weaknesses and strengthen, contributors, differences and similarities with functionalism)

Part 2

Methods in Sociology

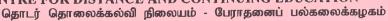
- Discuss the advantages and disadvantages of qualitative research techniques. 5.
- Explain what social research is and discuss why it is important in making social policies. 6.
- What are the factors that researcher should take into consideration in conducting 7. sociological research?
- Prepare a suitable research proposal to control the spread of COVID-19 pandemic in rural 8. areas of Sri Lanka.

25 marks for each question.



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SSG II : වාවාහාරික සමාජ විදාහාව/Applied Sociology

කාලය පැය 03 යි. மூன்று(03)மணித்தியாலங்கள் Time allowed 03 Hours.

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- "The Applied Sociologist involves in bringing positive social change". Examine this 1. statement focusing on the scope of Applied Sociology.
- Elucidate the importance of conducting a Social Impact Assessment (SIA) in the initial 2. phase of a development project.
- Suppose that you have been requested to review the Samurdhi Programme as a poverty 3. alleviation programme. Accordingly, describe your suggestions to improve the quality of the Samurdhi Programme.
- Explain the key components of a project proposal. 4.
- Critically examine the youth unemployment in Sri Lanka and the government policy of 5. providing employment to graduates.
- Describe appropriate measures, which can be taken to improve the social security of 6. senior citizens in Sri Lanka.
- Discuss with examples the importance of obtaining community participation in 7. development planning.

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SSG III : දකුණු ආසියාව පිළිබඳ සමාජ විදහාව/Sociology of South Asia

മാളര පැര <u>03</u> ര<u>.</u> முன்று(03)மணித்தியாலங்கள் Time allowed **03** Hours.

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- 1. Critically examine the applicability of "peasant society model" in the study of South Asia.
- 2. "Kinship plays a significant role in politics in South Asian countries". Discuss.
- 3. Write a critical essay on "Current trends in Sinhalese marriage system".
- 4. Write short notes on any three of the following;
 - (1) Traditional medicine in Sri Lanka
 - (2) Great Tradition and Little Tradition
 - (3) Sanskritization
 - (4) Women in South Asia
 - (5) Extended family.
- 5. "All South Asian societies have same type of social problems". How far do you agree with this statement? Discuss.
- 6. What are the social consequences of mechanization of peasant agriculture system in Sri Lanka?
- 7. Explain the problems faced by Sri Lankan society due to the urbanization.
- 8. In what sense in South Asia a Cultural region?

25 marks for each question.