M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, MARCH/APRIL 2019.

SECOND SEMESTER

History and Archaeology

Paper V — HISTORY OF MEDIEVAL INDIA FROM AD 1526 – AD 1707

Time: Three hours

Maximum: 75 marks

(No additional sheet will be supplied)

PART A - (5 × 3 = 15 marks)

Answer any FIVE questions.

Each question carries 3 marks.

Each answer should not exceed 1 page.

- 1. Nurjahan.
- 2. Red Fort.
- 3. Mughal Mexiature paintings.
- 4. Sufism.
- 5. Ulema.
- 6. Nobility in Mughal Society.
- 7. Tajmahal.

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8. Din-i-illahi.

PART B - (4 × 15 = 60 marks)

Answer ALL questions.

Each question carries 15 marks.

Each answer should not exceed 6 pages.

9. Discuss the political condition of India on the eve of Babur Invasion.

Or

10. Assess the personality and achievements of Babur.

11. Describe the Revenue Administration under Mughals.

Or

- 12. Describe the Rajput Policy of Akbar.
- 13. Critically examine the Deccan Policy of Mughal rulers.

 \mathbf{Or}

- 14. Describe the development of Trade and Industry during the Mughal period.
- 15. Estimate Shivaji's personality and his achievements.

Or

16. Explain Mughal – Maratha relations and its impact.

