

# **Sessional Examination, 2024**

**B.A 4<sup>th</sup> Semester**

**Subject: Political Science (Honors)**

***Paper: POL HC 4026***

***(Public Policy and Administration in India)***

***Total Marks: 20***

***Time: 1 Hour***

**1. Answer the Following (any four) :**

**1x4=4**

- a. What do you mean by public policy?
- b. When the Panchayati Raj Act was passed?
- c. In which year NITI Aayog was established?
- d. What is lowest level body in three tier Panchayati Raj System?
- e. Who is the current chairperson of Lokpal in India?
- f. Who coined the term "Lokpal"?
- g. In which year RTI Act was passed by the Indian Parliament?

**2. Answer the Following (any three):**

**2x3=6**

- a. Define decentralization.
- b. Mention two characteristics of public policy.
- c. Mention two features of three tier Panchayati Raj Institutions (PRI) in India.
- d. Define E-Governance.
- e. Mention two subjects whose information can't be secured under RTI Act.
- f. What do you understand by Citizen's Charter.

**3. Answer the Following (any two) :**

**5x2=10**

- a. Discuss the powers and functions of municipalities in India, highlighting their role in urban governance and service delivery.
- b. Discuss the merits and demerits of decentralization.
- c. Write a note on Public Service Delivery System.
- d. Write the differences between E-Government and E-Governance.

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