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**FIRST SEMESTER BA DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2024**

**(Improvement/Supplementary)**

**POLITICAL SCIENCE**

**GPOL1C01T: INDIAN CONSTITUTION AND POLITICS: BASIC FEATURES**

**Time: 1 ½ Hours**

**Maximum Marks: 40**

**SECTION A: Answer the following questions. Each carries *two* marks.**

**(Ceiling 12 marks)**

**Write short notes on:**

1. Constitutionalism.
2. Minority Rights.
3. Article 21.
4. Role of the drafting committee of the Constitution of India.
5. Government of India Act of 1919.
6. Right to Equality.
7. Preamble of the Constitution of India.

**SECTION B: Answer the following questions. Each carries *five* marks.**

**(Ceiling 18 marks)**

8. Give an overview of constitutional development in India.
9. Write a note on Fundamental Duties.
10. Discuss the role of the constitution in a country.
11. Explain the important provisions of the Indian Independence Act of 1947.
12. Has the Preamble to the Constitution of India ever been amended? Explain your answer based on amendments to the constitution of India.

**SECTION C: Answer any *one* question. The question carries *ten* marks.**

13. Critically evaluate the importance of Fundamental Rights and Directive Principles in the Indian constitution.
14. Write an essay on the salient features of the Indian Constitution.

**(1 × 10 = 10 Marks)**