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**THIRD SEMESTER (CUCBCSS—UG) DEGREE EXAMINATION
NOVEMBER 2022**

History

HIS 3B 04—HISTORY OF EARLY INDIA

(2017—2018 Admissions)

Maximum : 80 Marks

Time : Three Hours

Section A (Objective Type Questions)

*Answer all twelve questions.
Each question carries ½ mark.*

Fill in the blanks :

1. 'Sangam Polity' is written by _____.
2. _____ was the first thirthankara of Jainism.
3. Nayanars were the followers of God _____.
4. *Silappatikaram* was written by _____.

Name the following :

5. The author of 'The Wonder that was India'.
6. Founder of Asiatic Society of Bengal.
7. Who was the founder of Satavahana dynasty ?
8. Capital of Maurya empire.

Match the following :

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| 9. Cholas | - Manyakheta. |
| 10. Pandyas | - Amaravati. |
| 11. Rastrakutas | - Maurai. |
| 12. Satavahanas | - Thanjavur. |

(12 × ½ = 6 marks)

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Section B (Short Answers)

*Answer any seven questions.
Each question carries 2 marks.*

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| 13. Chalcolithic Age. | 14. Indus Seals. |
| 15. Archaeological Sources. | 16. Pastoralism. |
| 17. Eight Fold Path. | 18. Kalidasa. |
| 19. Harshacharita. | 20. Svetambaras. |
| 21. Romila Tapar. | |

(7 × 2 = 14 marks)

Section C (Map Study)

Locate the important sites of Indus Civilization :

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| 22. Mohenjo-Daro. | 23. Harappa. |
| 24. Kalibangan. | 25. Lothal. |
| 26. Rugar. | 27. Dholavira. |

(6 × 1 = 6 marks)

Section D (Short Essays)

Answer any four questions.

28. What were the important causes of the decline of Indus Civilization ?
29. Discuss the society and economy during the later vedic period.
30. Trace the growth and development of Jainism in India.
31. Write an essay on Asoka's Dhamma.
32. Give an account of the art and architecture of the Guptas.
33. Describe importance of *tinai* concept in ancient Tamilakam.

(4 × 6 = 24 marks)

Section E (Essays)

Answer any two questions.

34. How far the vedic literature helped to the reconstruction of ancient history of India ?
35. Trace the growth and development of Buddhism in India.
36. Give an account of the society and economy under the Mauryas.
37. Trace the developments of Roman trade in early Tamilakam.

(2 × 15 = 30 marks)