## 63/1 (SEM-6) DSE4/HISHE 6046

## 2024

## **HISTORY**

Paper: HISHE 6046

(History of USSR (1917-1964 A.D.)

Full Marks: 80

Pass Marks: 32

Time: Three hours

## The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions.

1. Choose the correct answer: (any six)

1×6=6

- (a) Who was the Czar of Russia during the Russian Revolution of 1917?
  - (i) Peter, The Great
  - (ii) Alexander II
  - (iii) Nicholus II
  - (iv) Alexander III

- (b) Soviet Russia adopted First Five Year Plan in
  - (i) 1917
  - (ii) 1922
  - (iii) 1928
  - (iv) 1952
- (c) Lenin died in
  - (i) 1921
  - (ii) 1924
  - (iii) 1930
  - (iv) 1939
- (d) Which Highway of Russia was known as 'Highway of Bones'?
  - Moscow-Petrograd Road
  - (ii) Volga Road
  - (iii) R504 Kolyman Highway
  - (iv) Moscow-Berlin Highway

- (e) What is the name of the currency of Russia?
  - (i) Dollar
  - (ii) Rupay
  - (iii) Ruble
  - (iv) Pound
- (f) Which regime came to be known as a Reign of Terror in Russia?
  - (i) Vladimir Lenin
  - (ii) Joseph Stalin
  - (iii) Leonid Brezhnev
  - (iv) Vladimir Putin
- (g) Czar Nicholus II and his family were executed in
  - (i) 1917
  - (ii) 1920
  - (iii) 1918
  - (iv) 1981

- (h) By which Treaty Russia withdrew from the World War I?
  - (i) Treaty of Versailles
  - (ii) Treaty of Paris
  - (iii) Treaty of Brest-Litovsk
  - (iv) Treaty of St. Germaine
- (i) Who was the leader of Russia during the World War II?
  - (i) Vladimir Lenin
  - (ii) Joseph Stalin
  - (iii) Leon Trotsky
  - (iv) Alexander Kerensky
- (j) The Communist International was dissolved in
  - (i) 1941
  - (ii) 1942
  - (iii) 1943
  - (iv) 1944

- 2. Answer **any five** of the following questions:  $2 \times 5 = 10$ 
  - (a) In which year 'the Bloody Sunday' occurred?
  - (b) What do you mean by serf system?
  - (c) What were the ideals of right wing populists?
  - (d) What was the direct cause of World War I?
  - (e) What was the immediate cause of World War II?
  - (f) What were the social classes of USSR?
  - (g) What do you mean by 'Dual Power' in USSR?
- 3. Write short notes on **any six** of the following: 5×6=30
  - (a) Red Army
  - (b) Joseph Stalin

- (c) Bolsevik's Revolution of 1917
- (d) Market socialism
- (e) USSR
- (f) Czar Nicholus II
- (g) Collectivization in agriculture
- (h) Proletkult
- (i) Comintern
- (j) The Great Depression of 1930
- 4. Answer any two of the following:

10×2=20

- (a) What was the 'New Economic Policy' introduced by Lenin?
- (b) Why did Russia withdraw from the World War I?
- (c) Discuss the role played by Russia during the World War II.
- (d) Discuss the Foreign Policy of USSR from 1940 to 1964.

- 5. Answer **any one** of the following questions:
  - (a) Give a description of socialist construction plan executed by Lenin.
  - (b) Discuss about the socio-cultural changes under Joseph Stalin.
  - (c) Why did Russia join in the World War II? What were its consequences? Discuss.