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**Ph. D. DEVELOPMENT STUDIES
(PHDDV)**

Term-End Examination

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**RDV-1 : ANATOMY OF DEVELOPMENT
STUDIES**

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 100

Note : Attempt *five* questions in all. Question no. 7 and 8 are mandatory. All questions carry equal marks.

1. What is sustainable development ? How far its goal has been followed under MDGs and SDGs to meet the desired objectives. 20
2. Why did the modernization theory emerge ? How does it thrust upon basic concern of global south (under developed or developing countries). 20

3. What is a good governance ? Discuss major *six* features of good governance for development. 20
4. How far India's planning process has achieved regional development ? Explain with their merits and demerits. 20
5. Discuss the trends of urbanization in India. Explain major issues and challenges of India's urbanization process. 20
6. Describe major actors of Development. How do the State and the Market play the important role within heterogeneous institutions. 20
7. Answers any *two* of the following questions in about **250** words each : 2×10=20
 - (a) Explain development theory of Gunnar Myrdal by tracing his book 'Asian Drama'.
 - (b) Describe Basic Postulates of Human Capital Theory.

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(c) Explain the important features of
Dependency Theory.

8. Write short note on any *four* of the
following : 4×5=20

(a) NITI AYOJ

(b) Special Economic Zone (SEZ)

(c) MGNREGA

(d) NGOs

(e) Inclusive development

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