

APPENDIX – I

POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN PANCHAYAT RAJ LAW

Sr. No.	Name of the Paper	No. of Credits	Max. Marks	Min. Marks
1	Governance I : Theories and Concepts	4	Theory 80 I.A. 20	40 10
2	Governance II : The Legal Dimensions	4	Theory 80 I.A. 20	40 10
3	Local Self Governance : Panchayat Raj	4	Theory 80 I.A. 20	40 10
4	Practicals : 1. Project Work / Dissertation 75Marks (Ext. Examiner) 2. Viva – Voce 25 marks(Ext. Examiner) 3. Field Visits 50 marks(Ext. Examiner) 4. Group Discussion 50 marks(Int. Examiner)	8	200	100

APPENDIX – II

DETAILED SYLLABUS FOR

POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN PANCHAYAT RAJ LAW

PAPER – I

Governance I : Theories and Concepts

1) The concept of Governance

2) Theories of Governance

The concept of State

State capacity and adaptability- strength and weakness

1) The role of state in economic development

2) State control over market

3) Rule of law and corruption

4) State : Transparency and Accountability

5) State and civil society

6) Role of NGO's

7) Local self Government and Decentralization for

8) Various measures of the quality .

Theory : 80

Internal Assessment 20

Total : 100

PAPER – II

Governance II : The Legal Dimensions

- 1)The Indian Legal system
- 2)The Indian Judicial System
- 3)The concept of law – What is law ? Relationship between law and morality
- 4)The Union under Government Indian Constitution, structure, Powers and subjects.

The State Government under Indian Constitution structure powers and subjects
Panchayat Institution as a third tire of Federal Government.

- 7) Nyay Panchayat as Mechanism of Alternate Dispute Resolutions
- 8) The Panchayat (Extension to Schedule Areas) Act 1996

Theory : 80

Internal Assessment 20

Total : 100

PAPER – III

Local Self Governance: Panchayat Raj

- 1) The Concept of Decentralization
 - a) Meaning of decentralization
 - b) The economic agreement for decentralization
- 2) The Evolution of Panchayat Raj Institutions in India :
Historical Perspective
- 3) The Legal Framework for Panchayat Raj
 - a) Constitutional Provisions
 - b) 73rd & 74th Constitutional amendment
 - c) Panchayat Raj Act.
- 4) Panchayat and District Administration
 - a) Role of District Collector
 - b) District Planning Boards/ Committees
 - c) Block Development officer
- 5) State Election Commissioner Elections to panchayat in the State.
- 6) An evaluation of the Panchayat Raj Institution
- 7) The State Finance Commission and the devolution of finances in panchayat Raj
System
- 8) Success and failure of Panchayat Raj System
Role of Women in Panchayat Raj

Theory : 80

Internal Assessment 20

Total : 100

PAPER –IV
PRACTICAL

Practicals :

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| 1. Project Work / Dissertation : | 75Marks (Ext. Examiner) |
| 2. Viva – Voce : | 25 marks(Ext. Examiner) |
| 3. Field Visits : | 50 marks(Ext. Examiner) |
| 4. Group Discussion : | 50 marks(Int. Examiner) |

Total : 200 Marks

BOOKS RECOMMENDED

- 1) B. S. Bhargava, Panchayat Raj System
- 2) G.S. Pandit, Panchayat Raj Ani Gramin Mahila
- M.N. Kaul, Parliamentary Institution and Procedures
- Indira Gandhi, People and problems
- R.C. Agrawal, Political Theory
- Bernard Crick & Alex Pole, Political Education and political literacy
- J.C. John, Contemporary Political Theory.