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GEOGRAPHY

Paper: GGY-4206

(Regional Development Planning in India and Selected Countries)

Full Marks: 80

Time: Three hours

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

Answer any three questions carrying 16 marks and four questions of 8 marks from the following.

- In a consumerist world can regional development ever be sustainable? Substantiate your contention with examples from different countries of the world.
- 2. Discuss the problems and prospects of agricultural development in developing countries and provide examples from South Asia to illustrate your answer.

- 3. Discuss the salient features of development planning in Israel or Indonesia. 16
- 4. How has India approached planning for the National Capital Region? Would you think special plans necessary for such an area?
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- 5. Examine the scenario of world economic development from an industrial or technological point of view.
- 6. What are the components of a physical plan? Illustrate with examples from any Indian city.
- 7. Would you consider energy consumption to be an important indicator of development?
- 8. How would you plan for a depressed area? Examine in relation to India.
- 9. The goal of regional development is to expel regional variations in regard to economic and social development and develop the region at par with different regions of the nation. How has India approached balanced regional development during the Planning period?

- Assess India's urban policy and the state of urban planning in India.
- 11. What factors affect regional disparities in a developed country like the Netherlands?