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UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL  
B.A. Major 3rd Semester Examination, 2025

**HISTMAJ305-HISTORY**

**HISTORY OF INDIA V 750 CE -1206 CE**

Time Allotted: 2 Hours 30 Minutes

Full Marks: 60

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks.*

**CATEGORY-I**

Answer any *four* questions

3×4 = 12

1. Write a short note on Sandhyakar Nandi. 3
2. Write a note on Al-Biruni. 3
3. Who were Rashtrakutas? 3
4. Who introduced Kulinism in Bengal and why? 3
5. Define Tantrism. 3
6. Write a note on Sultan Mahmud. 3

**CATEGORY-II**

Answer any *four* questions

6×4 = 24

7. Discuss the literary sources for the reconstruction of history for the period of your study. 6
8. Write a note on Devadana and Brahmadeya system. 6
9. Explain the factors for the growth of urbanization in early medieval India. 6
10. Write a short note on the economic life of Bengal during the Pala-Sena period. 6
11. Describe the causes and impact of Arab invasion of Sind. 6
12. Describe the main features of Dravida style of Temple architecture. 6

**CATEGORY-III**

Answer any *two* questions

12×2 = 24

13. Give an account of Tripartite struggle among the Palas, the Gurjara-Pratiharas and the Rashtrakutas. 12
14. Describe the main features of local-self government under the Cholas. 12
15. Discuss the causes and consequences of the early Turkish invasions. 12
16. Write an essay on the proliferation of castes in early medieval India. 12

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**HISTMAJ306-HISTORY**

**HISTORY OF INDIA VI 1206 CE-1526 CE**

Time Allotted: 2 Hours 30 Minutes

Full Marks: 60

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**CATEGORY-A**

**Answer any four questions**

3×4 = 12

1. Write a short note on Zia-ud-din Barani. 3
2. Define the term ‘Bandagani Chihalgani’. 3
3. Who were Mongols? 3
4. Write a short note on the importance of the Battle of Talikota. 3
5. Write a short note on Jizya. 3
6. Write a note on Kabir. 3

**CATEGORY-B**

**Answer any four questions**

6×4 = 24

7. Write a short note on Amir Khusrau. 6
8. Examine the significance of the term Khalji Revolution. 6
9. What were the major features of Iqta System? 6
10. Write a note on the impact of Sufism in Indian social life. 6
11. What was the historical importance of the First Battle of Panipat, 1526? 6
12. Discuss the achievements of Krishna Deva Raya of Vijayanagara Kingdom. 6

**CATEGORY-C**

**Answer any two questions**

12×2 = 24

13. Who was the real founder of Delhi Sultanate? Justify your answer. 12
14. Discuss the social and economic reforms of Firuz Shah Tughlaq. 12
15. Examine the importance of the reign of Hussain Shahi in the history of Bengal. 12
16. Give an account of the evolution of the Indo-Islamic Architectural style in the period of your study. 12

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