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**First Semester M.S.W. Degree Examination, January 2012**  
**212 : SOCIOLOGY AND POLITICAL ECONOMY OF DEVELOPMENT**  
**FOR SOCIAL WORK**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 75

**PART – A**

Answer **any five** questions. Answer should **not** exceed **300** words.

1. Substantiate the scope and significance of sociology in Social Work.
2. Explain the similarities and differences between Association and Institution.
3. What are the disjunctive social processes ?
4. Explain the characteristics and functions of religion as a social institution.
5. What do you mean by Peoples' participation and its relevance in Panchayati Raj.
6. Define Social Classification. How is this operational in Kerala society ?
7. What is an economic system ? Explain capitalism as an economic system.
8. What is economic planning ? How can social workers involve in economic planning ?  
**(5×6=30 Marks)**

**PART – B**

Answer **any three** questions. Answer should **not** exceed **1200** words.

9. Critically analyse the significance of studying traditions and customs in understanding culture of a community.
  10. Define Socialization and explain major theories about socialization.
  11. Discuss the concept and steps in social analysis.
  12. Analyse the salient features of the current five year plan in its concept and implementation.
  13. Explain the role and function of professional social work in the reconstruction of political economy of Kerala state.  
**(3×15=45 Marks)**
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