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**THIRD SEMESTER M.S.W. DEGREE EXAMINATION
NOVEMBER/DECEMBER 2003**

Specialisation—Community Development
SW.2.3.1—URBAN AND RURAL SOCIOLOGY

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

Part I

*Answer any five questions.
All questions carry equal marks
Answer should not exceed 300 words.*

1. Briefly describe the scope of the study of urban, rural sociology in social work.
2. Write a short note on different types of villages in India.
3. Define Leadership. Describe the nature of leadership prevalent in our villages.
4. What is poverty ? What are the basic measures to alleviate rural poverty ?
5. Briefly describe the effects of urbanization on the institution of marriage.
6. Describe the major difference between rural and urban unemployment.
7. What is the kind of social change that has been brought by rural industrialization.
8. Write a brief note on the village Panchayats.

(5 × 6 = 30 marks)

Part II

*Answer any three questions.
All questions carry equal marks.
Answer should not exceed 1,200 words.*

9. Trace the history of urbanization in modern India. How far it has lead to social development problems ?
10. Urbanization and social problems go hand in hand. Explain with reference to Indian context.
11. Explain the impact of urbanization on various social institutions.
12. Define social stratification with reference to rural India and examine its social implications with regard to social development.
13. Compare and contrast urban and rural social institutions.

(3 × 15 = 45 marks)