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**THIRD SEMESTER M.S.W. DEGREE EXAMINATION
NOVEMBER/DECEMBER 2002**

Specialisation—Community Development

232—URBAN COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

Part I

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

1. What are the problems associated with urbanisation ?
2. What is a slum ? Enumerate its characteristics.
3. What are the principles and objectives of urban planning ?
4. Differentiate slum development from slum clearance.
5. What are the functions of municipal administration ?
6. What are NHG's ? Discuss the role of NHG's in community development.
7. Discuss the common health problems in urban communities and suggest ways to promote health.
8. Explain the role of urban cooperative banks in urban community development.

(5 × 6 = 30 marks)

Part II

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

9. Explain and critically examine the municipal administration in Kerala, suggest measures to improve its effectiveness.
10. Discuss the 74th constitutional amendment act with respect to Kerala State.
11. Explain the structure and functions of development authorities in Kerala.
12. What are the major social problems of urban community ? Enumerate the strategies, methods, and skills to be adopted for social work in urban setting.
13. "Family disorganisation is on the increase in urban areas." Analyse the causes and suggest solution.

(3 × 15 = 45 marks)