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**FOURTH SEMESTER M. A. DEGREE EXAMINATION May / June 2005
BRANCH: SOCIOLOGY**

**SO 242 – Socio-Political Movements and Democratic
Decentralization in Kerala.**

Time: Three Hours

Max. Marks: 75

Answer any five questions from the following in not more than 1000 words.

Each question carries fifteen marks.

1. Explain 'Nationalist movement'. Bring out its objectives and the impact on radical groups.
2. Critically evaluate the impact of working class movements in Kerala.
3. Is an ecological movement necessary? Substantiate your answer from Kerala's viewpoint.
4. How far women's movements changed the status of women in Kerala? Discuss with examples.
5. Bring out the social consequences of Land Reforms movement in India.
6. What is democratic decentralization? Explain the nature of democratic decentralization in Kerala.
7. Write an essay on the role of NGO's in Kerala's development.
8. Is people's planning necessary in Kerala? Discuss.