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**Second Semester M.A. Sociology Degree Examination, September 2010  
(2008 Admission Onwards)**

**SO 2.2.1. : KERALA SOCIETY : STRUCTURE AND CHANGE**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 75

**PART – A**

Answer **all** questions in approximately **half a page** : **(10×1.5=15 Marks)**

Explain the following :

1. Aryanization.
2. Sunni Muslims.
3. Gotra Maha Sabha.
4. Karanavar.
5. Temple Entry.
6. Makkathayam.
7. Namboodiri Veli.
8. Secularism.
9. Migration.
10. Non-Resident Indian.

**PART – B**

Answer **any two** questions from **any two** different sets in **not more than 600 words**. **(2×6=12 Marks)**

11. What are the salient features of Social Structure in Kerala ?

OR

Describe the medieval political history in Kerala.

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12. Trace the impact of Christianity on Kerala culture.

OR

Briefly examine the impact of Colonial rule in the Institutions of in Kerala.

13. Assess the contributions of Sree Narayana Guru in Kerala's renaissance.

OR

Discuss the role of Ayyankali in Kerala's renaissance.

14. Critically examine the changing profile of caste system in Kerala.

OR

Analyze the impact of Constitutional provisions on the marginalized communities.

### PART – C

Answer **any two** questions in **not** more than **1200** words **each**. (2×24=48 Marks)

15. How far education has changed the status of Kerala Women ?

16. "Kerala is a consumer State", critically discuss.

17. Examine the present conditions of Muslim matriliney in Northern Kerala and Laksha Dweep.

18. Discuss the special features of demographic transition of Kerala.

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