## C. ABDUL HAKEEM COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), MELVISHARAM - 632 509. SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS, NOVEMBER - 2018

## M.A., HISTORY P18MHS102 – SOCIAL AND CULTURAL HISTORY OF INDIA UPTO A.D.1526

Time: Three Hours Maximum: 75 Marks

SECTION - A (5 X 6 = 30 Marks)

Answer ALL Questions.

 a) Highlight on the different categories of literary sources for studying Ancient Indian History.

(Or)

- b) Write a note on the important teachings of Mahavira
- 2. a) Discuss about the social condition during the Mauryan period.

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- b) Differentiate between the Gandhara and Mathura school of art
- 3. a) Write about the contribution of Guptas to Indian Architecture.

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- b) Discuss about the impact of Arab conquest of Sindh.
- 4. a) Describe in brief about the slave system during the Delhi Sultanate system.

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- b) Describe about the society during the Delhi Sultanate period.
- 5. a) Discuss on the teachings of Kabir.

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b) Describe about the teachings of Guru Nanak.

## SECTION - B $(3 \times 15 = 45 \text{ Marks})$

## Answer ANY THREE Questions.

- 6. Discuss about the town planning features of Indus Valley Civilisation.
- 7. Highlight on the contribution of Mauryas to Indian Art and Architecture.
- 8. Describe in detail about the Literary contribution of the Guptas.
- 9. Evaluate the contribution of the Delhi Sultans to Indian Architecture
- Describe about the contribution of Vijayanagar Rulers to Indian Art and Architecture.

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