

# SYLLABUS

## M.A. POLITICS: IV SEMESTER

### **Paper II: PUBLIC POLICY ANALYSIS**

(w.e.f. 2002-003 admitted batch)

- I. Public Policy: Meaning, Nature, Scope and Importance.
- II. a) Determinants of Public Policy-Economy, Political Culture, Leadership and Technology.  
b) Determinants – II: public Opinion, Media, Political Parties and Groups.
- III. a) Process of Policy Formation –Choices, alternatives innovation  
b) Policy-making: Institutions (Legislative/Civil service, Judiciary)
- IV. a) Approaches/Models –I: (Decision-making Theory; Rational – Comprehensive theory, Elite Theory)  
b) Approaches/Models-II: Incremental theory, Muddling through Theory of Lindblom, Group Theory
- V. Policy Implementation and Evaluation: Meaning, Techniques, Criteria and Problems

#### Suggested Readings:

1. R.K.Sapru : Public Policy, Sterling Publishers
2. H.J.Aaron, T.E.Mann and T.Taylor(eds.) : Values and Public Policy (Washington D.C:Brookings Institution, 1994)
3. J.E.Anderson : Public Policy Making (Boston:Houghton Mifflin, 1990)
4. W.Dunn:Public policy Analysis : An Introduction 2<sup>nd</sup> edn. (Englewood Cliffs, N.J.Prentice Hall, 1994)
5. Ira Sharkansky (ed.) : Policy Analysis in Political Science
6. Joyce M.Mitchell and William Mitchell : Political Analysis and Public Policy:An Introduction to Political Science, Chapters I and XIII
7. Charles L.Lindblom : The Policymaking Process, Chapters 1,2,3, and Appendix
8. Yehezkel Oror : Ventures in Policy Sciences, Chapter-2
9. Raymond A.Bauer&Kenneth J.Gegen(eds): The Study of Policy Formation, Chapters 1 and 4
10. Daniel Learner and Harold D.Lasswell : The Policy Sciences: Recent (eds.) Developments in Scope and Method.
11. A.Wildavasky : The Art and Craft of Policy Analysis
12. S.Ram Reddy & G.Haragopal : Public Policy and Rural Poor in India
13. M.Satynarayana : (Telugu Academy)
14. M.Vijayalakshmi&K.Ramachandra Murty: Prabhuthva Vidhama Visleshnana

## **Paper III : INTERNATIONAL ORGANISATION AND GLOBAL ISSUES**

(w.e.f. 2002-2003 admitted batch)

- I.
  1. Growth of the Idea of International Organisation in Modern Times
  2. League of Nations – System of Collective Security
  3. Causes for the Failure of the League of Nations
  
- II.
  1. Background of the Formation of U.N.O.
  2. The General Assembly
  3. Security Council
  4. Economic and Social Council
  5. The Trusteeship Council
  6. The International Court of Justice
  7. Secretariat – Role of the Secretary - General
  8. Specialised Agencies of the U.N. and their Contribution

### *III. International Organisation and Global Issues*

1. U.N. and Collective Security
2. U.N. and Disarmament
3. U.N. Peace Keeping Forces
4. Human Rights and the U.N.

- IV.
  1. Growth of Supranational Organisation
  2. E.U.
  3. O.P.E.C.
  4. NAFTA
  5. APEC

### *V. International Political Economy*

1. WTO
2. Globalization

#### *Books:*

1. D.C.Gupta : The League of Nations
2. Sydney Bailey : The General Assembly
3. H.G.Nicholas : The United Nations
4. C.D.Burns : League of Nations
5. F.D.Walters : League of Nations
6. Benjamin V. Cohen : United Nations
7. L.M.Goodrich : United Nations
8. Andrew Boyd : Fifteen Men of a Powder Keg
9. Mark W. Zacher : International Conflicts and Collective Security, 1946-77
10. O.W.Eagawati : The New International Economic Order: The North-South Debate
11. A.L.Burns &N.Reathcote : Peace-Keeping by U.N.Forces
12. Davie I. Blake and Robert G. Walter : The Politics of Global Economic Relations
13. Rimki Basu : The United Nations
14. Anne O. Krwegor : The WTO as an International Organisation
15. Satish Kumar : The at - An Indian view

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## **Paper IV : ENVIRONMENTAL POLITICS**

(w.e.f. 2002-2003 admitted batch)

1. Environment – Need to Conserve and Protect – Problems of Development and the Environment
2. Man and Environment, population, Health, Hazards. Toxic wastes, pesticides
3. Technology and environment
4. Intensive agriculture and sustainable development- Issues and concerns
5. Environmental management – Limitations – Institution and Laws – Wild life conservation
6. Peoples movements – Chioko, Jharkhand, Narmada Dams – the issue of big dams.
7. Bio-technology – Problem, prospects and the future

### *Books:*

1. Sumi Krishna : Environment Politics
2. Vandana Shiva : Bio-Politics
3. M.S.Swaminathan : A century of hope
4. Vandana shiva et al. : Bio-diversity
5. Down-to-Earth-Magazine Issues

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**Paper V(Optional) : WESTERN GOVERNMENTS**  
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The Student is required to study the following three constitutions:

- i) U.K.
- ii) U.S.A.
- iii) Switzerland

*Text Books:*

1. C.F.Strong : Modern Constitutions
2. Harvey and Bather : Government of U.K.
3. Stephen K. Bailey (ed.) : American Politics and Government
4. Furgussan and Mchenry : American Constitution
5. Emmen S. Redford et al (eds.) : Politics and Government in the U.S.