

UNIVERSITY OF COLOMBO – SRI LANKA

FACULTY OF ARTS

FOURTH YEAR EXAMINATION IN ARTS - SEMESTER I - 2019/2020

PSC 4171 – Public Policy and Administration in Sri Lanka

Time: Two (02) Hours

Answer only **three (03)** Questions.

Each answer will carry a maximum of **twenty (20)** marks.

1. Discuss the changing characteristics and role of the state in the development of Sri Lanka with examples.
2. Explain how development planning and public administration function in the process of decentralization?
3. Explain how the structural adjustment program affected the open economy of Sri Lanka?
4. Do you think Sri Lankan government policies influenced the emergence of Sinhala radical political movements in Sri Lanka? Give reasons.
5. Discuss how the public policies of the successive governments influenced the escalation of the ethnic conflict in Sri Lanka?
6. Write notes on any **two (02)** of the following;
  - I. De-centralization of administration under unitary state.
  - II. Government's role in a mixed economy.
  - III. Economic liberalization and new development strategy of 1977.
  - IV. Privatization policy in Sri Lanka.

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