



FEDERAL PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
SECTION OFFICERS PROMOTIONAL EXAMINATION - 2017

Roll Number

CONSTITUTIONAL LAW INCLUDING
CONSTITUTION OF PAKISTAN

TIME ALLOWED: THREE HOURS

MAXIMUM MARKS = 100

- NOTE:** (i) Attempt **FIVE** questions in all. **ALL** questions carry **EQUAL** Marks.
(ii) All the parts (if any) of each Question must be attempted at one place instead of at different places.
(iii) Candidate must write **Q. No.** in the **Answer Book** in accordance with **Q. No.** in the **Q. Paper**.
(iv) No Page/Space be left blank between the answers. All the blank pages of Answer Book must be crossed.
(v) Extra attempt of any question or any part of the attempted question will not be considered.
(vi) Leave some blank space and draw two horizontal lines (=====) at the end of each answer.

- Q. No. 1.** Define Sovereignty and its kinds. Where does it lie? Answer your question with special reference to the Constitution of Pakistan 1973 and United Kingdom. (20)
- Q. No. 2.** Had there been a system of separation of powers and checks and balances in the Constitution of Pakistan there would not have been any overstepping by the institutions? Please advance your arguments firstly defining concepts of: (10+5+5=20)
(a) Separation of power
(b) Checks and balances
- Q. No. 3.** What are the characteristics of parliamentary form of government and how it differs from the presidential form of government? Answer your question with reference to Legal Framework Order 2002 and the Constitution of Pakistan 1973. (20)
- Q. No. 4.** Article 50 of the Constitution of Pakistan 1973 defines parliament as consisting of the President, the National Assembly and the Senate. So, can the President make any law? If so, can any of the both Houses have any right to interfere in it? Write a detail note. (20)
- Q. No. 5.** How fundamental rights as provided in the Constitution of Pakistan are important and how can these be enforced? (20)
- Q. No. 6.** What do you know about the concept of collective responsibility? Does it apply in Pakistan? (20)
- Q. No. 7.** What is Council of Common Interest? How does it function and what are its specific powers and functions? (20)
- Q. No. 8.** What are different kinds of jurisdiction of the Supreme Court? Does the Constitution of Pakistan bestow Suo Motu powers on the Supreme Court? (15+5=20)
