

M.A. Examination, 2016
Semester-III
AIHC&A
Course – A.8
(Themes in Economic and Social History in Early India)

Time: 3 Hours

Full Marks: 40

Questions are of equal value.

Answer *any three* questions.

1. Discuss the origin of Varæa System with special reference to the status of Varæasaókara.
 2. Write a critical note on formation of Jàti with special reference to occupations in ancient India.
 3. Mark the stages of evaluation of land as private property.
 4. Discuss the significance of various types of land grants in early and early medieval India and their implications on state's economy.
 5. Analyse the Guild laws in ancient India and point out how far these laws were responsible for the consolidation of the Guild in ancient India.
 6. Write a note on the Guild organisations of early medieval south India with special reference to their nature and duties mentioned in the contemporary inscriptions.
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