**ST. JOSEPH’S COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), BENGALURU -27**

**BA (Political Science)– IV SEMESTER**

**SEMESTER EXAMINATION: APRIL 2023**

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**PS 4222- INDIAN CONSTITUTION: INSTITUTIONS**

**(For current batch students only)**

**Time: 2 Hours Max Marks: 60**

**This paper contains 1 printed page(s) and 3 parts.**

**PART-A**

1. Answer any **five** of the following questions in about 20-30 words each (5x3=15)
2. How is the President of India elected?
3. List any three legislative powers of the Governor.
4. What is collective responsibility of Union Council of Ministers?
5. What is Appellate Jurisdiction?
6. What is Public Interest Litigation?
7. What are Autonomous District Councils?
8. List any three recommendations made by the Sarkaria Commission.

**PART-B**

1. Answer any **two** of the following questions in about 100-150 words each (2x7.5=15)
2. Explain emergency powers of the President of India.
3. Discuss the powers and functions of the state Chief Minister.
4. Bring out the composition and Jurisdiction of state High courts.
5. Discuss the organization of Lower Courts in the Indian Judicial system.
6. Discuss the Union-State legislative relations.

**PART\_C**

1. Answer any **two** of the following in about 200 words each (2x15=30)
2. Explain the organization of Office and functions of the Vice-president of India.
3. Bring out the judicial reforms initiated in India during the last two decades.
4. “Unitarian-Federalism is at work in India”. Comment.
5. Elucidate the major challenges to Union-State relations in India.
6. Bring out the key recommendations of the M.N Venkatachaliah National Commission to Review the working of the Constitution (NCRWC).