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**B.A. (HISTORY) – II SEMESTER**

**SEMESTER EXAMINATION: APRIL 2024**

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**HS 2221: KARNATAKA – CULTURE AND ECONOMY**

**(For current batch students only)**

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

*This question paper has 1 printed page and 4 parts*

**SECTION - A**

**Answer any 2 of the following (2 x 10 = 20)**

1. Discuss the contributions of Chalukyas of Badami to architecture with special reference to Badami caves.

2. Describe the contributions of Haridasas to Society and literature. Write a note on Purandaradasa.

3. Explain the economic innovations introduced by Tipu Sultan.

**SECTION - B (5 + 5 = 10)**

4. Mark on the outline map provided the following places and write their historical importance. 1. Aihole 2. Mangalore 3. Dharwad 4. Kalyana 5. Bidar

**SECTION - C**

**Answer any 4 of the following (5 x 4 = 20)**

5. Explain the ancient educational institutions of the Kadambas with special reference to Agraharas.

6. Describe the Vijayanagar society with reference to the position of women.

7. Describe the Shistu system under the Keladis.

8. Explain the features of the Hoysala architecture with suitable examples.

9. Why is Basaveshwara called the Martin Luther of Karnataka? Give reasons.

10. Who is Kuvempu? Elaborate on his contributions to Kannada Literature.

**SECTION - D**

**Answer any 5 of the following questions (2 x 5= 10)**

11. Where are the earliest references to Karnataka found?

12. Mention the important Jain centers in Karnataka.

13. Write a note on the architecture at Bijapur with suitable examples.

14. Mention the religious and secular monuments at Hampi.

15. Who is called Adikavi? Mention his works.

16. Mention the different types of land grants under the Kadambas.

17. Who built the Virupaksha and Mallikarjuna temples at Pattadakal.