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**IV Semester M.S.W. Degree (Reg./Sup.) Examination, June 2011**  
**Optional – II (O II) : RURAL AND URBAN COMMUNITY**  
**DEVELOPMENT (RUCD)**  
**O II-RUCD – IV – Urban Community Development**

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 80

**PART – I**

Answer **any six** of the following :

Write short notes on :

1. Urban area
2. Satellite town
3. Rural urban continuum
4. NBO
5. Kudumbasree
6. Urban poverty
7. Urban community development
8. Urban planning
9. Development authorities.

**(6×3=18)**

**PART – II**

Answer **any five** of the following :

10. Write a short note on UBS.
11. Briefly describe the problems in urban slums.

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12. What are the characteristics of urban communities ?
  13. Discuss the principles and strategies of urban community development.
  14. Explain the programmes of HUDCO for urban development.
  15. Discuss the problems of municipal administration.
  16. Explain the recent trends in urban community development.
  17. Briefly describe the role of urban co-operatives in the development of urban communities.
- (5×6=30)**

**PART – III**

Answer **any two** of the following :

18. Define urbanisation. List out the factors in the origin of cities. Discuss the causes of growth of cities.
  19. List out and explain the major urban development programmes currently implemented.
  20. Discuss the Kerala Municipal Act 1994 and its implications for decentralised governance in Kerala.
- (2×16=32)**
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