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IV Semester M.S.W. Degree (Reg./Sup.) Examination, June 2014
Optional – II (OII) RURAL AND URBAN COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT
(RUCD)

OII – RUCD – IV : Urban Community Development

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

PART – I

Answer **any six** questions. **Each** question carries **three** marks. Answer to a question is limited to **100** words.

Write short notes on :

1. Slum clearance
2. Urban Community
3. Slum Improvement
4. Area Development Society
5. JNNURM
6. CDA
7. VAMBAY
8. Rural Urban Continuum
9. Risk factors used in Kudumbasree.

(6×3=18)

PART – II

Answer **any five** questions. **Each** question carries **six** marks. Answer to a question is limited to **200** words.

10. How did cities evolve and grow ? What are the factors which helped in urbanisation ?
11. Describe the social aspects of urban life.

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12. Briefly discuss the major urban housing schemes.
13. Write a short essay on Urban Basic Services.
14. What are the major urban social problems ? Mention some of the urban community development programmes implemented to combat these.
15. Discuss the structure and functions of municipalities.
16. Comment on the role and significance of the development authorities in Kerala in urban community development.
17. Define and explain the concept of urban community development. **(5×6=30)**

PART – III

Answer **any two** questions. **Each** question carries **16** marks. Answer to a question is limited to **900** words.

18. Define slums. How are slums formed ? Discuss the magnitude of slum growth in India and its implications.
 19. Write an essay on Kudumbasree. Discuss its objectives and programmes. Critically evaluate the achievements of Kudumbasree.
 20. Discuss the salient features and major provisions of the Municipal Act of Kerala. How far has it succeeded in bringing about decentralization in urban local governance ? **(2×16=32)**
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