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**DOON UNIVERSITY, DEHRADUN**  
**End Semester Examination, First Semester, 2015**  
**School of Communication**

**M.A. Communication, 2 Years**  
**Course: COMM-518: Political Economy of India**

*Time Allowed: 2Hours*

*Maximum Marks: 50*

**SECTION: A (Short Answer Type Questions to be answered in about 250 words. Attempt Any Five Questions.**

*(Marks: 6X5=30)*

1. Explain the reasons behind 'Politicization of Crime' and 'Criminalization of Politics'.
2. How political mobilization on the basis of caste has affected politics in India? Suggest ways to eradicate caste system.
3. Discuss the federal features of Indian Constitution.
4. What is national Integration and why it is important?
5. Describe the major issues impeding the development of India?
6. What do you understand by women empowerment?

**SECTION: B (Long Answer Type Questions to be answered in about 500 words. Attempt Any Two Questions.**

*(Marks: 10X2=20)*

1. What do you understand by the concept of base and superstructure? Explain the relations between the two in the Indian context.
2. Describe the linkages between growth, development and happiness?
3. Discuss the major events which shaped the destiny and the direction of India in last 60 years.