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**Second Semester M.A. Degree Examination, May 2020**

**History**

**HY 223 : KERALA HISTORY – II**

**(Social formations in the Pre-Modern Period 800-1498 C.E.)**

**(2019 Admission)**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 75

SECTION A

(Long Essay Questions)

Answer **any three** questions. Each question carries **15** marks.

1. Assess the character of state under the Peumals of Mahodayapuram by giving the arguments of Elamkulam and M.G.S.
2. Bring out the nature of trade guilds in Medieval Kerala.
3. Critically examine the features of Bhakti Movement.
4. Trace the origin and development of *Naduvazhi swarupams*.
5. Form an estimate of the development of language, literature and arts during the medieval period.

**(3 × 15 = 45 Marks)**

SECTION B

(Short Essay Questions)

Answer **any five** questions. Each question carries **6** marks.

6. Explain the major theories on Kollam Era.
7. Trace the emergence of temple centered society in Kerala.

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8. Account for the rise of Calicut under the Zamorins.
9. Discuss the land relations under *Karanmai* system.
10. Explain *Devadasi* system.
11. Consider *Manipravalam* works as a source for Medieval Kerala.
12. Bring out the features of *Marumakkathayam* system.
13. Discuss the impact of Aryanisation on Kerala society.

(5 × 6 = 30 Marks)

