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 Master Degree 2nd Sem. Examination, 2015
 Subject : Political Science Paper Code: MPS 07
 Paper : International Politics : Theory
 Time: 3 hours Maximum marks: 80

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

- 1 Answer any five from the following questions (any five 2×5=10 : each within 50 words)
 - a What do you understand by 'International Ethics'?
 - b What is cold war?
 - c Define 'entropy' in the context of the Communication Theory.
 - d What is 'Collective Security'?
 - e What do you understand by 'Crisis'?
 - f Define 'Quiet Diplomacy'.
 - g Mention two tangible elements of national power.

- 2 Answer any three from the following (each within 100 4×3=12 words)
 - a Write a note on human security.
 - b Briefly discuss the threat posed by Nuclear Proliferation.
 - c Explain briefly the main features of the communication theory.
 - d Mention the basic assumptions underlying the theory of collective security.
 - e Mention the different categories of states as defined by Keohane.

- 3 Answer any three of the following (each within 250 6×3=18 words)
 - a Write a note on the origin of international politics as a

- discipline.
 - b Discuss the role of non-state actors in international relations.
 - c Analyse briefly the elements of national power.
 - d Explain the different types of national interest.
 - e What is diplomacy? Explain the historical background of organized diplomacy.
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- 4 Answer any four from the following questions (each 10×4=40 within 400 words)
 - a "The nature of political communities has undergone serious transformation since the end of cold war". Discuss the changing nature of political communities in the light of the above comment.
 - b Discuss the significance of the Game Theory in International Politics.
 - c Define 'balance of power'. Discuss the devices of balance of power.
 - d Give a detailed account on the 'end of ideology' thesis.
 - e What is meant by conflict? Explain the outcomes of international conflict.
 - f Define 'National Interest'. Discuss the methods of securing national interest.