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FEDERAL PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION  
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THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT, 2009

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TIME ALLOWED:	(PART-I) 30 MINUTES	MAXIMUM MARKS:20
	(PART-II) 2 HOURS & 30 MINUTES	MAXIMUM MARKS:80

**NOTE:** (i) First attempt **PART-I (MCQ)** on separate **Answer Sheet** which shall be taken back after **30 minutes**.  
(ii) **Overwriting/cutting of the options/answers will not be given credit.**

**PART – I (MCQ)**  
**(COMPULSORY)**

**Q.1. Select the best option/answer and fill in the appropriate box on the Answer Sheet. (20)**

- (i) What is the constitutional title used for the British head of the state?.
- (a) Prime Minister (b) Crown  
(c) Monarch (d) None of these
- (ii) Parliamentary system of UK is the product of:
- (a) Rule of Law (b) Conventions  
(c) Prerogations of crown (d) None of these
- (iii) Which Act of parliaments protects the Independence of judiciary in UK?
- (a) Bill of Rights (b) Magna Carta  
(c) Act of Settlement (d) None of these
- (iv) The office of the British Prime Minster is the creature of:
- (a) Customs (b) Precedent  
(c) Act of Parliament (d) None of these
- (v) The English Common Law is based on:
- (a) Statute Law (b) Precedents  
(c) Conventions (d) None of these
- (vi) How many US Presidents actually faced impeachment?
- (a) One (b) Two  
(c) Three (d) None of these
- (vii) The Bill of Rights became part of US constitution in the year:
- (a) 1776 (b) 1789  
(c) 1791 (d) None of these
- (viii) On what date the electors for the election of President are elected under the US Constitution?
- (a) 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday of November, leap year (b) 4<sup>th</sup> November, leap year  
(c) Tuesday after 1<sup>st</sup> Monday of November, leap year (d) None of these
- (ix) An Amendment in the US constitution becomes effective on its approval by the congress and a minimum special number of states which is:
- (a) Abstract majority (b) 2/3 States  
(c) ¾ states (d) None of these
- (x) What is the maximum continuous period a person can be President of USA.
- (a) 04 years (b) 08 years  
(c) more than 08 years (d) None of these
- (xi) What is term used for upper house under Indian constitution?
- (a) Council of states (b) Lok Subha  
(c) Senate (d) None of these
- (xii) The federating units of India are called:
- (a) Provinces (b) Territories  
(c) States (d) None of these
- (xiii) Who appoints the Governors in India?
- (a) President (b) Prime Minister  
(c) Parliament (d) None of these
- (xiv) The Indian Government at national level is called?
- (a) Federal Government (b) Central Government  
(c) Union Government (d) None of these

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- (xv) The Prime Minister of India is:
  - (a) elected by Parliament
  - (b) elected by upper house
  - (c) appointed by President
  - (d) None of these
- (xvi) What is the commencing Day of Pakistan Constitution 1973?
  - (a) 1<sup>st</sup> January 1973
  - (b) 23<sup>rd</sup> March 1973
  - (c) 14<sup>th</sup> August 1973
  - (d) None of these
- (xvii) Which Article of Pakistan Constitution 1973 deals with ‘Islamic Way of Life’?
  - (a) Article-2
  - (b) Article-4
  - (c) Article-37
  - (d) None of these
- (xviii) The Northern Areas of Pakistan are under the control of:
  - (a) NWFP Government
  - (b) Azad Jammu & Kashmir Government
  - (c) Federal Government
  - (d) None of these
- (xix) Article 184 of Constitution of Pakistan 1973 provides for:
  - (a) original jurisdiction of supreme court
  - (b) appellate jurisdiction of supreme court
  - (c) advisory jurisdiction of supreme court
  - (d) None of these
- (xx) What is the ordinary life of a gubernatorial Ordinance under the Constitution of Pakistan 1973?
  - (a) Unlimited
  - (b) 3 months
  - (c) 4 months
  - (d) None of these

PART – II

NOTE:	<p>(i) <b>PART-II</b> is to be attempted on the separate <b>Answer Book</b>.</p> <p>(ii) Attempt <b>ONLY FOUR</b> questions from <b>PART-II</b>. All questions carry <b>EQUAL</b> marks.</p> <p>(iii) Extra attempt of any question or any part of the attempted question will not be considered.</p>
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- Q.2. Discuss the supremacy of British Parliament in its historical context by giving examples from British constitutional history. Are there any practical limitation on its supremacy? (20)
- Q.3. What are the sources of British constitution? Explain them with reference to their significance. (20)
- Q.4. Discuss in detail the role of Senate in USA? (20)
- Q.5. Explain the concept of ‘Due Process of Law’ under US Constitution and compare it with ‘Rule of Law’ in United Kingdom. (20)
- Q.6. Discuss the provision of Pakistan Constitution relating to Human Rights. (20)
- Q.7. Explain Federation under the Constitution of India. (20)
- Q.8. Explain the system of Droit Administrating in France. (20)

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