GUJARAT NATIONAL LAW UNIVERSITY
GANDHINAGAR
Course: Social Policy and Welfare Administration
Semester-IV (Batch: 2017-22)

End Semester Examination: April-May 2019

Date: 10ᵗʰ May, 2019
Duration: 3 hours   Max. Marks: 50

Instructions:
- Read the questions properly and write the answers in the given answer book.
- The respective marks for each question are indicated in-line.
- Do not write anything on the question paper.
- Indicate correct question numbers in front of the answers.
- No questions or clarifications can be sought during the exam period, answer as it is, giving reason, if any.

	Marks
Part-A	(5x8=
Answer **any five** of the following questions:	40)

Q.1   Social Policy, Donnison argues, 'is not a discipline; it is a field in which many disciplines must be brought to bear'. The boundaries between social policy and other subjects are often distinct. Explain this statement.

Q.2   Do you support the idea that outside experts in various domains should be induced in the ministries to strengthen the policy-making in India? Give reasons in support of your answer.

Q.3   What is POSDCoRBEF? Explain in detail how Social workers have been using it to describe functions of social welfare administrators and also seek to improve the well-being of the clients by providing variety of services.

Q.4   Describe the various stages in Policy analysis and explain the ways by which the policy process can be improved.

Q.5   Is it possible to create and implement social policy that adheres to the key principles of strengths-based practice? Critically examine strengths-based analysis framework to current youth policy, and discuss the barriers and opportunities for a strengths-based approach in the current policy climate.

Q.6   Where does one locate the debate on MGNREGA wages within the broader debate on welfare? If the barest minimum wage remains out of reach of the poor agriculture labourer, what are the normative and conceptual pillars of a welfare discourse in this context?

Part-B   (2x5=
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Q.7   Write short notes on **any two** of the following:

(a) National Food Security Act, 2013
(b) System Model for Policy Analysis
(c) Integrated Child Development Services (ICDS) Scheme

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