



PUNJAB PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

**COMBINED COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION FOR
RECRUITMENT TO THE POSTS OF
PROVINCIAL MANAGEMENT SERVICE, ETC - 2016**

SUBJECT: PHILOSOPHY (PAPER-II)

TIME ALLOWED: THREE HOURS

MAXIMUM MARKS: 100

NOTE: Attempt FIVE Questions in All. Attempt in Urdu or English.

- Q No. 1:** Critically evaluate Mutazilites' views regarding human freedom and Divine Justice. To which extent do you find them justified?
(20 Marks)
- Q No. 2:** Elucidate the Asharites' standpoint regarding un-createdness of Qur'an.
(20 Marks)
- Q No. 3:** Expound salient features of Ibn-i-Khaldun's Philosophy of History.
(20 Marks)
- Q No. 4:** Narrate Al-Ghazali's interpretation of the relationship between Cause and Effect in -depth.
(20 Marks)
- Q No. 5:** Describe the role of Ibn Rushd in the revival of Philosophy in the Muslim World. How did he reconcile it with Religion?
(20 Marks)
- Q No. 6:** What is meant by Ijtehad? Elaborate Iqbal's contribution to the same.
(20 Marks)
- Q No. 7:** What do you know about Wahdat-al-Wajud? Can it be reconciled with orthodox Islam?
(20 Marks)
- Q No. 8:** Define modernity. Is it compatible with religion or not?
(20 Marks)