

**NWFP, PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION, PESHAWAR**

**COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION FOR PROVINCIAL MANAGEMENT SERVICE, 2008.**

**HISTORY OF PAKISTAN & INDIA, PAPER – I**

**Time Allowed: 03 Hours**

**Max. Marks: 100**

NOTE: (i) Attempt any **FIVE** questions. All questions carry **EQUAL** marks.  
(ii) Extra attempt of any question or any part of the attempted question will not be considered.  
(iii) Candidate must draw two straight lines (=====) at the end to separate each question attempted in Answer Books.

- Q. 1. Discuss the role of the Sufis and Mashaikh in promoting an Indo-Muslim social order during the Sultanate period. Explain how far they successful.
- Q. 2. Evaluate the theory of kingship of Sultan Balban. How far he succeeded in putting those principles in practice?
- Q. 3. Discuss the style and main characteristics of Sultanate architecture.
- Q. 4. "By his political reforms and policy of religious toleration, Sher Shah Suri laid the foundation of an enlightened government." Discuss.
- Q. 5. Explain how Sheikh Ahmed Sarhindi influenced the contemporary political thinking regarding Akbar and Jahangir's liberal attitude towards religion.
- Q. 6. Explain how far Mughal central administration reflected the trend of centralization.
- Q. 7. Write short notes on any TWO of the following:
1. Amir Khusrau
  2. Muslim Educational System under Mughals
  3. Religious policy of Aurangzeb