



**FEDERAL PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION-2017
FOR RECRUITMENT TO POSTS IN BS-17
UNDER THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT**

Roll Number

ECONOMICS, PAPER-II

TIME ALLOWED: THREE HOURS	PART-I(MCQS)	MAXIMUM MARKS = 20
PART-I(MCQS): MAXIMUM 30 MINUTES	PART-II	MAXIMUM MARKS = 80
<p>NOTE: (i) Part-II is to be attempted on the separate Answer Book.</p> <p>(ii) Attempt ONLY FOUR questions from PART-II. ALL questions carry EQUAL marks.</p> <p>(iii) All the parts (if any) of each Question must be attempted at one place instead of at different places.</p> <p>(iv) Candidate must write Q. No. in the Answer Book in accordance with Q. No. in the Q.Paper.</p> <p>(v) No Page/Space be left blank between the answers. All the blank pages of Answer Book must be crossed.</p> <p>(vi) Extra attempt of any question or any part of the attempted question will not be considered.</p>		

PART-II

- Q. No. 2.** Explain the characteristics of Less Developed Countries (LDCs) with particular reference to Pakistan. **(20)**
- Q. No. 3.** Critically evaluate the economic planning strategy of Pakistan. What policy measures would you suggest for sound economic planning? Discuss. **(20)**
- Q. No. 4.** Elaborate the difference between agricultural development and rural development. What are the limitations of agricultural and rural development policies of Pakistan? Discuss. **(20)**
- Q. No. 5.** Explain the major monetary and fiscal measures taken in Pakistan for industrial development for the last 20 years. **(20)**
- Q. No. 6.** Highlight and explain changes in direction of trade in recent years. Also explain trends in exports and imports of Pakistan. **(20)**
- Q. No. 7.** Delineate the difference among privatization, deregulation and decentralization. Evaluate the experience of Pakistan in privatization. **(20)**
- Q. No. 8.** Write short notes on TWO of the following: **(10 each) (20)**
- (a)** Export-led Growth Strategy
- (b)** Growth vs. Distribution
- (c)** Energy Crisis in Pakistan
