BANGLADESH UNIVERSITY OF PROFESSIONALS
Military Institute of Science and Technology
B.Sc. in Environmental, Water Resources, and Coastal Engineering, Term Final (Fall) Examination 2023: Dec 2023- Feb 2024

Student Group: 0 <Earned Credit Hours ≤ 36

Subject: GEBS-101, Bangladesh Studies

Time: 3.00 hours **Full Marks: 120**

INSTRUCTIONS:

a. Use **SEPARATE** answer scripts for each section.
b. **Question-1** in **Section-A** and **Question-5** in **Section-B** are compulsory
c. Answer any other **TWO** questions out of **THREE** from each section.
d. Figures in the margin indicate full **marks**.
e. Assume reasonable data if necessary.
f. **Symbols** and **abbreviations** used have their usual meanings.

SECTION-A

Question 1 (Compulsory)

a. Describe the important features and achievements of the Gupta and Pala Dynasties in ancient Bengal. **05**

b. During the War of Independence of Bangladesh, the War Zone was divided into how many sectors? Describe those mentioning the name/names of the Sector Commander/ Commanders. **10**

c. Do you agree with the belief of some anthropologists that the Bengali nation makes a vastly mixed race? Present arguments in favour of your answer. **05**

Question 2

a. The medieval age in Bengal coincide with the Muslim rule. Describe the Muslim rule in Bengal. **15**

b. Describe the major social reforms in India during the British rule. Were those necessary? **05**

Question 3

a. Write down the role of Bangabandhu in Language Movement. **05**

b. Enumerate all six points of the Six Point Movement of 1966. **10**

c. Why was Sharif Commission Report of 1962 out rightly rejected by the students of East Pakistan? **05**

Question 4

a. Why Agartala Conspiracy Case was launched and how was the Government of Pakistan compelled to withdraw it? **05**

b. What were the salient features of the 1972 constitution of Bangladesh? Discuss. **10**

c. What amendments have been brought to the constitution of Bangladesh through the fifteenth amendment? **05**

SECTION-B

Question 5 (Compulsory)

a. Give an account of the healthcare system in Bangladesh. **08**

b. Discuss the reformation of the health sector in Bangladesh. **06**

c. Evaluate the constraints of the health care system of Bangladesh. **06**

Question 6

a. Distinguish between growth and development of an economy. **05**

b. Discuss the key concepts defining Human Development Index (HDI). **08**

c. Describe the success of the government of Bangladesh in achieving the Millennium Development Goals (MDGs) **07**

Question 7

a. Explain the importance of agriculture sector in the economy of Bangladesh. **05**

b. Describe the measures taken by the government of Bangladesh for improving the agricultural sector of Bangladesh. **10**

c. Highlight the governance of marine fisheries and export of fishery products. **05**

Question 8

a. Distinguish between renewable energy and non-renewable energy resources. **05**

b. Discuss the major natural resources of the economy of Bangladesh. **08**

c. Evaluate the importance of preserving natural resources in Bangladesh. **07**