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B.A. (Final Year) Examination 2010 EEG-07

(Elective Course) Understanding Drama

Time: 3 Hours Maximum Marks: 70

All questions are to be attempted.

- 1. Write short notes on:
 - (a) Dialogue(b) Structure5 Marks5 Marks
- 2. Critically examine any **two** of the following, with reference to the context.
 - (a) Convict: Sit Down!! None of that, my friend! I'm too old a bird to be caught with chaff. You would ask your sister for the keys, would you? A likely story! You would rouse the house too. Eh? Ha! Ha! A good joke truly. Come, where is the food? I want no keys. I have a wolf inside me tearing at my entrails, tearing me; quick, tell me where the food is.

5 Marks

- (b) The Principal: You you're not really serious, are you?
- Wasserkopf: I was never more serious in my life. Treat me wrong here and I'll go to the Ministry of Education and complain about you! You took my money, so that I may be able to do something; but I can't do anything because I was taught so badly, and anybody can see I ought to have my money back.

5 Marks

- (c) Sergeant: That's what I say, Marm. But if I wasn't to kill him, he might go wishing something he didn't mean to. You hold it in your right hand, and wish aloud. But I warn you! I warn you!

 5 Marks
- 3. Write short notes on the following in about 100 words
 - (a) Do you think Macbeth is justified in his wish to be king?(b) To what extent is Nora responsible for her destiny?5 Marks
- 4. Write short notes on the following in about 100 words
 - (a) Do you feel sympathy for Macbeth? Give reasons?(b) Discuss the significance of the title 'A Dolls House'.5 Marks
- 5. Answer the following in about 500 words
 Analyse the character of Bluntschli in Arms and the Man. 10 Marks
- 6. Answer the following in about 500 words
 'Lady Macbeth is a tortured soul labouring under a great burden too great for her to bear' Elaborate 10 Marks
- 7. Answer the following in about 500 words
 Discuss the play Ghasiram Kotwal as a satire on society. 10 Marks