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Course: MUGHAL RULE IN INDIA 1526-1707 (5677)

Level: MA (History)

Semester: Autumn, 2013

Total Marks: 100

Pass Marks: 40

ASSIGNMENT No. 1

(Units 1–4)

- Q.1 Discuss the significance of the primary sources for the narration of Mughal History. (20)
- Q.2 Critically analyze Babur's strategy at the Battle of Panipat? (20)
- Q.3 Describe the emergence of Sher Khan as the leader of Afghans? (20)
- Q.4 Write a comprehensive note on important achievements of Sher Shah. (20)
- Q.5 Analyze the main political powers in India at the time of Akbar's accession. (20)

ASSIGNMENT No. 2

(Units 5–9)

Total Marks: 100

Pass Marks: 40

- Q.1 Evaluate the contribution of Noor Jahan in the style and working of Mughal Empire. (20)
- Q.2 Explain the title of Shah Jahan as the *builder emperor* in the history of Mughal Empire? (20)
- Q.3 Critically evaluate Aurangzeb's strategy towards the Maratha challenges. (20)
- Q.4 Analyze the working of judicial and military system under the Mughals. (20)
- Q.5 Elaborate the salient features of the Mughal architecture and also discuss some of the monuments of the Mughal era? (20)