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Total Duration : 2 Hrs.30 Mins.

Total Marks : 60

Section B

Answer any **SIX** questions $(6 \times 5 = 30 \text{ Marks})$

- 1. What were the primary factors behind the Turkish invasion of India?
- 2. Bring out the administrative reforms implemented by Balban to strengthen the Delhi Sultanate.
- 3. Examine Malikafur's South Indian Expeditions.
- 4. Why did Muhammad Bin Thuglaq move his capital from Delhi to Daulatabad?
- 5. Trace the causes for the decline of Delhi Sultanate.
- 6. Highlight the factors that contributed to Ibrahim Lodi's unpopularity among the nobles of his Court.
- 7. Illustrate the significance of Vallabhacharya's concept of "Suddhadvaita".
- 8. List out the core teachings of Guru Nanak.

Section C

Answer any **THREE** questions $(3 \times 10 = 30 \text{ Marks})$

- 9. Discuss the impact of the early Arab invasions on the political and economic landscape of India.
- 10. Analyse Qutb-ud-din Aibak's role in establishing and consolidating the Slave dynasty in Delhi.
- 11. Evaluate the key administrative reforms introduced by Alauddin Khilji.
- 12. Assess the contributions of the Delhi Sultanate to the development of Art and Architecture in India.
- 13. Elaborate on the causes for the rise and decline of Bhakthi movement in India.
