

## SECTION B

5. Write about the following in about 250 words each :

15×4=60

- (a) Role of physiography in cross border terrorism
  - (b) Offshore oilfields and coastal ecology
  - (c) Spatial pattern of soil erosion in India
  - (d) Ethnic diversity of North-eastern States
6. (a) Define an 'Epidemic' and discuss the occurrence of Chikungunya in India. 30
- (b) Identify the regions affected by Chikungunya with the help of a sketched map and bring out the regional pattern of the disease. 30
7. (a) Outline the role of Class II and Class III towns in the urban process of India and indicate their contribution towards balanced urban development. 30
- (b) How does the formation of a National Park help ecological restoration and conservation ? Explain with suitable examples. 30
8. (a) Explain how Demographic Transition created Demographic Divide in Contemporary India. 30
- (b) What is Regionalism ? Discuss how regionalism affects the developmental process with suitable examples. 30