

[Time: 2 Hours]

[ Marks:60]

Please check whether you have got the right question paper.

- N.B:**
- 1. Attempt any Four questions.**
  - 2. All questions carry equal marks.**

- Q.1 Explain the impact of global financial crisis on Russian economy and society?
- Q.2 What were the difficulties faced by Russia in its foundation phase?
- Q.3 Critically assess the economic reforms introduced by Yeltsin.
- Q.4 How do mineral resources play a key role in Russian economy?
- Q.5 Give an account of the nexus of crime and corruption in Russian society.
- Q.6 Discuss recent demographic trends in Russian and explain its consequences.
- Q.7 Explain the ethnic conflicts in Russia.
- Q.8 Write short notes on:-
- Human Rights situation in Russia.
  - The rise of nationalism in Russia.