

**H.P.BOARD OF DEPARTMENTAL EXAMINATION
DEPARTMENTAL EXAMINATION FOR OTHER GAZETTED OFFICERS/
OFFICIALS OF HIMACHAL PRADESH SESSION, APRIL, 2008**

**PAPER-3 (Municipal Acts/ Rules/ Bye Laws for urban Development
Department)**

**Time Allowed: 3 Hours.
100**

Maximum Marks:

**Note:- 1. Attempt five questions. Ist question is compulsory.
2. Each question carries equal marks.**

Q.No.1 a) what is the method of house tax calculation used in Himachal Pradesh. Write a

Brief note with merits and demerits of this method.

(10)

b) What is 74th constitutional amendment? What is its significance?

(10)

Q.No.2 Write short notes on any four (4) of following:-

a) Himachal Municipal State level Service.

(5)

b) Quorum necessary for transaction of business in the meetings of municipality.

(5)

c) Double Entry System of Accounting.

(5)

d) Reservation for women in Municipalities.

(5)

e) Abolition of OCTORIA in Himachal Pradesh.

(5)

Q.No.3 a) what is municipal budget? How it is prepared and passed in a Municipality?

Describe in brief.

(10)

b) Write a brief note on the methods used in H.P. for Biomedical Waste Management.

(10)

Q.No.4 Write short notes on following:-

a) Two major developmental schemes in operation in urban areas of H.P.

(10)

b) One poverty alleviation scheme in operation in H.P.

(10)

Q.No.5 a) what are the taxes which municipalities can impose?

(10)

b) Describe the classification of Municipalities in H.P.

(10)

Q.No.6 a) what is 3rd Party concept in Right to Information Act, 2005?
(10)

b) What information is exempted under the provisions of RTI Act, 2005?
(10)

Q.No.7 What are the major challenges Indian towns are facing these days?
Describe
In details. **(20)**

Q.No.8 What are the municipal reforms, in your opinion, are required in
Municipalities? Describe in details. **(20)**
