



**FEDERAL PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

**COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION FOR  
RECRUITMENT TO POSTS IN BPS-17 UNDER  
THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT, 2003**

**GENERAL KNOWLEDGE PAPER-II  
(CURRENT AFFAIRS)**

**Roll Number**

**TIME ALLOWED : THREE HOURS MAXIMUM MARKS: 100 NOTE: Attempt any FIVE questions. AH questions carry EQUAL marks. Write clearly.**

Q1. In the current relationship of mutual dependence, American obligations are minimal while Pakistani ones are substantial. Comment.

Q2. Globalization, as being shaped by the World Trade Organization in a world of unequal nation-states, has un-manageable implications. Discuss.

Q3. Give a long-term scenario of Afghanistan and Iraq beyond the perspective of 'Nine Eleven'.

Q4. Highlight the factors and forces, which have contributed to sideline the United Nations Organization in terms of its peace and security role.

Q5. What are the ground realities inhibiting the capacity of Organization of Islamic Conference as an effective body to protect the legitimate interests of Muslim world?

Q6. In what ways India-Israel nexus, India-China bilateral relations and India-Iran geo-economic ties affect Pakistan? 1. Debate, National Interests VS Democratic Values in the context of recent political and constitutional developments in Pakistan.

Q7. Attempt any TWO parts:

- (a) Current Palestinian situation and the Arab neighbours.
- (b) France's policy on Iraq's invasion.
- (c) Any one personality of the following:
  - (i) Noam Chomsky (ii) Arundhati Roy
  - (iii) Edward Wadid Saeed
  - (iv) Iqbal Ahmed (not Allama Iqbal)

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