

## BACHELOR OF ARTS EXAMINATIONS FOR SPECIAL CATEGORIES

### Regulations:

There shall be following two special categories for Bachelor of Arts Examinations in Part-II:

#### Category I:

- (a) A candidate who has passed an Honours Examination in a Classical or Pakistan Language (Fazil) and the Intermediate Examination in all subjects or in the subject of English only of the Board of Intermediate and Secondary Education, may, if he is otherwise eligible, be permitted to appear as a private candidate in the subject of Islamic Studies/Ethics & Pakistan Studies and English (Language), and if successful shall receive a Degree of Bachelor of Arts (*out of three hundred marks without indicating the division*).
- (b) A candidate who has passed the B.A. Islamic Studies/Ethics & Pakistan Studies and English (Language) Examination (*as "a" above*) and subsequently passes the two elective subjects and optional subject of B.A. Examination as a private candidate shall be awarded a degree with division. The marks already obtained by him in Islamic Studies/Ethics & Pakistan Studies and English (Language) shall be added to the marks obtained in two elective subjects and optional subject and his division shall be determined in accordance with the provision contained in the regulation for determining division of the B.A. Examination as a whole.

Provided that a candidate can take up a Pakistan Language in which he has not already qualified in any examination while appearing in two elective subjects and optional subject for the B.A. Examination as given in statutes-12 above.

#### Category II:

- (a) The holders of Sanad "Shahadat-ul-Almiyya Fil Uloom-ul-Arabia Wal Islamia" are required to qualify in Islamic Studies / Ethics and Pakistan Studies and two elective subjects other than Arabic and Islamic Studies (*for employment in fields other than teaching*).
- "Shahadat-ul-Almiyya Fil Uloom-ul-Arabia Wal Islamia" means
    - Ashahadat-ul-Fazeela Sanad awarded by the Wafaq-ul-Madaris; or
    - Ashahadat-ul-Faragh Sanad awarded by Tanzeem-ul-Madaris' or
    - Ashahadat-ul-Alia Sanad awarded by Wafaq-ul-Madaris-ul-Salfia (Ahle-e-Hadis)' or
    - Sultan-Ul-Afazil Sanad awarded by Wafaq-ul-Madaris, Shia after Dora-e-Hadis

A certificate indicating the marks obtained out of five hundred marks shall be granted to all successful candidates.

- (b) A candidate who has passed Islamic Studies / Ethics and Pakistan Studies and two elective subjects (*as "a" above*) and subsequently passes the English (Language) and Optional subject of B.A. Examination as a private candidate shall be awarded a degree with division. The marks already obtained by him in Islamic Studies / Ethics and Pakistan Studies and two elective subjects shall be added to the marks obtained in English (Language) and optional subject and his division shall be determined in accordance with the provision contained in the regulation for determining division of the B.A. Examination as a whole.

Provided further that:

- i. The candidates appearing in the examinations as a special category under these regulations shall have to appear and pass as a whole in Annual or Supplementary Examination and no grace marks will be awarded to them.
- ii. The minimum number of marks required to pass this examination shall be same as in Bachelor of Arts examination.
- iii. All the candidates appearing under these regulations shall for all other purposes be governed by the Regulations dealing with the examination concern i.e. Bachelor of Arts.