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Q7

(a) The crisis of ethical values in modern times is traced to a narrow perception of the good life. Discuss. (150 Words, 10) (b) Increased national wealth did not result in equitable distribution of its benefits. It has created only some "enclaves of modernity and prosperity for a small minority at the cost of the majority." Justify. (150 Words, 10).

UPSC Civil Services Mains 2017 · GS IV · 10 marks · Ethics and Human Interface

Ethics and Human Interface: Essence, determinants and consequences of Ethics in-human actions; dimensions of ethics; ethics - in private and public relationships. Human Values - lessons from the lives and teachings of great leaders, reformers and administrators; role of family, society and educational institutions in inculcating values.

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Numbers move. Confirm the latest Budget, Economic Survey or census round. This sheet is for revision, not a substitute for the model answer.

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Amartya Sen on development

Development as expansion of real freedoms and capabilities, not only as a rise in average income.

Article 21, Constitution of India

Life with dignity; a constitutional hint that the good life is not only a private GDP of the household.

Sustainable Development Goals

A global agenda that treats inequality, work, health and environment as part of progress, not as optional after GDP.

Enclave urbanism

The pattern of high-quality private islands of work and housing beside informal, under-serviced settlements.

Workforce in agriculture

India continues to have a large share of workers in farming relative to farming's share of GDP, a structural sign of uneven benefits.

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