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Q4(c)

Discuss the challenges thrown by religious revivalism to a secular nation-state.

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Bhargava

Principled distance as a model of Indian secularism under strain.

Bellah

Civil religion: national sacred that can include or exclude.

Weber

Charisma and prophecy as sources of religious-political rupture.

Personal laws

A standing institutional site where revival meets the civil state.

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