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Ph.D. PRELIMINARY QUALIFYING EXAMINATION, DECEMBER 2021

Economics

**Paper II—EMPLOYMENT DECISION OF RURAL KERALA : PARTICIPATION IN
PLURIACTIVITY AMONG PEASANT HOUSEHOLDS**

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 70 Marks

Explain any seven of the following.

1. Explain the reasons for migration of farmers from agricultural sector to non-agricultural sector in India.
2. Distinguish between House constraint model and Job specification model.
3. Explain the major features of landholding system among the farmers in India.
4. Explain the major steps taken by the central government to increase the exports of agricultural products.
5. Distinguish between classical Leninist view and Marx view on peasantry.
6. Is industrialisation affects the agricultural land for production ?
7. Explain the role of drone in increasing the production and productivity of agricultural sector.
8. Explain the change of cropping pattern in Kerala.
9. Analyse the reasons for decrease of paddy lands in Kerala.
10. Describe the status of non-farm sector in Kerala.

(7 × 10 = 70 marks)