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REVISION ASSIGNMENT - 2

Subject: History (027)

Class: XI

Theme-2: An Empire Across Three Continents (The Roman Empire)

Section – A

- 1) Answer the following questions in brief (1 × 5 = 5)
- Which city was the capital of the Roman Empire?
 - Who was the first Roman Emperor?
 - The Roman Empire surrounded which sea?
 - What was the Roman Senate?
 - Which language was widely used in the western Roman Empire?

Section – B

- 2) Answer the following questions (in two points only) (2 × 4 = 8)
- Define the term 'Republic'.
 - Name any two provinces of the Roman Empire.
 - What was the significance of the Mediterranean Sea?
 - Mention two features of Roman administration.

Section – C

- 3) Answer the following questions (in three points only) (3 × 3 = 9)
- Explain the role of the Roman Senate.
 - Describe the social structure of the Roman Empire.
 - Discuss the importance of trade in the Roman Empire.

Section – D

- 4) Long Answer Questions (5 × 2 = 10)
- Discuss the political and administrative features of the Roman Empire.
 - Explain the causes of the decline of the Roman Empire.

Section – E

5) Competency Based Question

Read the source carefully and answer the questions that follow:

The Roman Empire was one of the largest empires of the ancient world. It covered a vast area around the Mediterranean and extended into Europe, North Africa and western Asia. The Mediterranean Sea played an important role in connecting different parts of the empire. The empire included people belonging to different cultures, languages and religious traditions.

Questions:

- Name the three broad regions covered by the Roman Empire. (1)
- Why was the Mediterranean Sea important to the Roman Empire? (1)
- How did cultural diversity make the administration of the empire challenging? (1)
- Mention any two features that helped Rome maintain control over its vast empire. (2)

Section – F

6) Map Skill (½ × 6 = 3)

On an outline map of the world or west Asia locate and label the following:

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| a) Rome | b) Constantinople | c) Egypt, |
| d) Gaul | e) Britain | f) The Mediterranean Sea. |
