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**First Efficiency Bar Examination for the Officers in Sri Lanka
Planning Service -2018 (I)**

Time – 03 Hours

Planning Concepts, Methodology and
Planning Institutions (09)

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Answer five (05) questions only.

01. i. Introduce **planning** and **planning process**. (08 Marks)
ii. Discuss the main objectives intended to be achieved by preparing National Development Plan for a country. (12 Marks)
02. Discuss the significance of sectoral planning considering two examples of sectoral plans in Sri Lanka. (20 Marks)
03. i. Explain how to integrate Sustainable Development Goals into the local level plans relating to any two SDGs. (10 Marks)
ii. As regional plans in Sri Lanka, explain the significance of Megapolis plans as an effort to face the challenges in the 21th century. (10 Marks)
04. i. Identify the relevant organizations involved in preparation and implementation of national and provincial level plans in Sri Lanka. (08 Marks)
ii. Explain the importance of monitoring in the planning process and explain three (03) methods of monitoring with examples. (12 Marks)
05. i. What is Public Investment Program in Sri Lanka? (08 Marks)
ii. Distinguish the following concepts.
a. Economic growth and economic development
b. National plans and sectoral plans
c. Cost of living index and standard of living (12 Marks)
06. i. What are the responsibilities of a planner in achieving the objectives of the national and the provincial plans? (10 Marks)
ii. Introduce results based planning and explain how it differs from the traditional planning process. (10 Marks)
07. i. What are the essential components of a social development plan prepared for a selected rural area in Sri Lanka. (08 Marks)
ii. Explain which basic information and data are needed when preparing a social development plan. (12 Marks)

