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Backlog Arrear Examination, March 2021

ENG 3578 Contemporary Tamil fiction in Translation Time: 3Hrs Marks: 75

Answer any **Five** of the following in about 350 words each

(5x15=75)

- 1. Write a note on the history of the sport jallikattu.
- 2. Explain the changes and transformations found in Jamuna in the novel *Water*.
- 3. Summarise Imayam's "Arumugam".
- 4. Explain the patriarchal problems explored in the novel *Water*.
- 5. Analyse Sundara Ramaswamy's "Tale of a Tamarind Tree" as a tale of man's greed and selfishness.
- 6. Explain the patriarchal problems brought to light in Ambai's "A Kitchen in the Corner of the House".
- 7. Write a detailed summary of Devibharathi's "The Curse of Resurrection".
