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Trade Unions and Trade Union, Types and Functions, Growth of Trade Union Movement in India, Trade Unions and Economic Development, Social Responsibilities of Trade Unions.

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Concept of Industrial Peace – Causes of Industrial Disputes and Prevention Mechanism, Role of Trepartism, Collecting Bargaining, Workers Participation in Management, ILO and India.

Unit - IV

Social Security – Concept of Social Security and its evolution, Social Assistance and Social Insurance, Review and Appraisal of State Policies with respect to Social Security and Labour Welfare in India, Workmen's Compensation Act and ESI Act (in Brief).

Unit - V

Specific Labour Problems in India – Child Labour, Labour Problems of Unorganized Sector, Gender Bias in Labour Market, Second National Commission on Labour, Globalization and Labour Market.

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