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Course Title: Bangladesh Studies
Quiz: 01 Batch: 70_N
Time: 45 minutes Marks: 2*7.5=15

Question 1:

Bangladesh is facing increasing pressure from two major powers in the Indo-Pacific region. One country offers large-scale infrastructure investment, while another proposes security cooperation and strategic partnerships. Accepting one proposal may affect relations with the other. The government wants to maintain balanced relations with both countries while protecting national interests.

Based on the above scenario, answer the following:

a. Using the principle of **"Friendship to All, Malice Towards None,"** analyze how Bangladesh can maintain strategic balance in this situation. **(7.5 marks)** **(CO1)**
b. Evaluate the role of the **objectives and determinants of Bangladesh's foreign policy** in guiding decision-makers during such a geopolitical challenge. **(7.5 marks)** **(CO1)**

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