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## **BUSINESS COMMUNICATION**

Time: 3 Hours] [Total Marks: 100

Note:

- (1) This paper is in 3 sections. There are a total of 7 questions in all the sections. Section A carries 20 marks, Section B carries 30 marks and Section C carries 50 marks.
- (2) Attempt all sections. Marks are indicated against each question.

### **SECTION A**

- You are required to answer ALL the parts of  $(2\times10=20)$  this question.
  - a. Explain the types of Communication.
  - b. What is the importance of communication in management?
  - c. What do you mean by a group discussion?
  - d. Explain the role of listening in oral communication.
  - e. Give the layout of a business letter.
  - f. Why is written communication more authentic?

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- g. What do you mean by corporate communication?
- h. What do you understand by minutes and resolutions of meetings?
- i. Explain non-verbal communication.
- j. What do you mean by public relations?

### **SECTION B**

- 2 Attempt any **THREE** parts of the following :  $(3\times10=30)$ 
  - a. "Communication in an organization is multi-directional."
     Discuss the statement by explaining the channels of communication.
  - b. How do preciseness and conciseness influence writing? Discuss.
  - c. How should the interviewer conduct the employment interview? Discuss.
  - d. What is meant by minutes of a meeting? Discuss the points which should be kept in mind while writing the minutes of a company's meetings.
  - e. Explain the various components of corporate communication.

### SECTION C

(Attempt all questions. Every question has a choice. You are required to attempt any 1 part out of the two choices)

- 3 Attempt any **ONE** out of the following :  $(1\times10=10)$ 
  - a. What do you mean by communication and Explain 7 C's of communication.
  - b. Differentiate between formal and informal communication. Why is informal communication used in modern organizations?

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- 4 Attempt any **ONE** out of the following :  $(1\times10=10)$ 
  - a. What preparations have to be done on the part of the interviewer and interviewee for an interview?
  - b. What do you mean by business letters? Explain the various types of business letters.
- 5 Attempt any **ONE** out of the following :  $(1\times10=10)$ 
  - a. "For effective writing concrete and forceful words should be used". Comment.
  - b. "A good system of communication makes use of both oral as well as written messages". Discuss.
- 6 Attempt any **ONE** out of the following:  $(1\times10=10)$ 
  - a. What is a presentation? Discuss the format/structure of an oral presentation.
  - b. Explain in brief the various rules of business to business etiquettes.
- 7 Attempt any **ONE** out of the following:  $(1\times10=10)$ 
  - a. Define corporate communication. Explain the various tools of public relations.
  - b. Explain the role of Social media in communication.

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