

Roll No.

Total No. of Questions – 7

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Time Allowed – 3 Hours

Maximum Marks – 100

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Answers to questions are to be given only in English except in the case of candidates who have opted for Hindi medium. If a candidate has not opted for Hindi medium, his answers in Hindi will not be valued.

Question No. 1 is compulsory.

Attempt any **five** questions from the remaining **six** questions.

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| 1. (a) State, in brief, the grounds on the basis of which a contract is discharged under the provisions of the Indian Contract Act, 1872. | 5 |
| (b) What is the law and procedure for issuing a duplicate share certificate under the provisions of the Companies Act, 1956 in case the original share certificate is lost or destroyed ? | 5 |
| (c) State with reasons whether the following statements are correct or incorrect :
(1) Business ethics helps to promote public reputation.
(2) A nation should satisfy its social and economic requirements without damaging the interest of future generations. | $2 \times 2\frac{1}{2}$
= 5 |
| (d) What do you understand by “ethical communication” ? What are its elements ? | 5 |

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| 2. | (a) | (i) | What is the amount of minimum bonus to be paid to the employees under the provisions of the Payment of Bonus Act, 1965 ? | 4 |
| | | (ii) | What is the law relating to recovery of amount of gratuity under the payment of Gratuity Act, 1972 in case the said amount is not paid by the employer ? | 4 |
| | (b) | | What are the differences between "Morals" and " Ethics" ? | 4 |
| | (c) | | Explain the significance of " active listening" in inter-personal communication skills. | 4 |
| 3. | (a) | | What do you understand by "coercion" and "undue influence" under the provisions of the Indian Contract Act, 1872 ? What are the differences between them ? | 8 |
| | (b) | | State the "Common Corporate Social Responsibility" (CSR) policies for business organizations. | 4 |
| | (c) | | Point out the factors which lead to grapevine communication. | 4 |
| 4. | (a) | | What is the importance of registered office of a company ? State the procedure for shifting of registered office of the company from one State to another State under the provisions of the Companies Act, 1956. | 8 |
| | (b) | | Explain the concept of "Sexual harassment" in relation to work place. | 4 |
| | (c) | | What are the features of 'groups' in an organization ? | 4 |

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5. (a) State, in brief, the grounds on the basis of which a banker can dishonour a cheque under the provisions of the Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881. 8
- (b) Distinguish between "pre-incorporation contracts" and "provisional contracts" under the Companies Act, 1956. 4
- (c) Draft a business letter, presuming your facts that you have received the goods from the company and you are sending payments. 4
6. (a) Examine the position of a minor in relation to obtaining membership in a company under the provisions of the Companies Act, 1956. 8
- (b) Which parameters are applicable in relation to Competition Law in India ? 4
- (c) State whether the following statements are correct or incorrect : 4×1 = 4
- (i) A specific offer can be accepted only by that person to whom offer has been made. 16 6
- (ii) In case of breach of contract, the Court awards remote damages to the aggrieved party.
- (iii) A company is a legal person but not a citizen.
- (iv) If the Central Government permits, a public company can be converted into a private company.
7. Answer any **FOUR** of the following : 4×4 = 16
- (a) The Employees' Deposit Linked Insurance Scheme, under Section 6C of the Employees' Provident funds and Miscellaneous Provisions Act, 1952 has been amended by the Central Government. State these amendments. 4

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(b) State the conditions which are applicable for the purpose of commencement of business by a public company under the Companies Act, 1956.	4
(c) What is the law relating to criminal liability for mis-statement in the prospectus under Section 63 of the Companies Act, 1956 ?	4
(d) Write a note on "Social Accountability-8000".	4
(e) What do you understand by the "Semantic Barriers" to communication ?	4

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