STELLA MARIS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 86 (For Candidates admitted during the academic year 2004 – 2005 and thereafter)

SUBJECT CODE: EC/PE/IE14

M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION NOVEMBER 2007 BRANCH III – ECONOMICS FIRST SEMESTER

COURSE : ELECTIVES

PAPER : INDIAN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

TIME : 3 HOURS MAX.MARKS : 100

SECTION - A

ANSWER ANY FIVE QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 300 WORDS. $(5 \times 8 = 40)$

- 1. Enumerate the objectives and development strategy of the 10th five year plan.
- 2. Bring out the significance of Mahalanobis model
- 3. Discuss the role of small scale industries in the economic development in India.
- 4. Examine the importance and progress of infrastructure facilities in India.
- 5. Enumerate the reasons for the poor performance of Land Reforms.
- 6. Industralisation has come to be regarded as synonymous with economic development Explain
- 7. Distinguish between balance of trade and balance of payments? Examine the trends in India's balance of payments?

SECTION - B

ANSWER ANY THREE QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 1200 WORDS. $(3 \times 20 = 60)$

- 8. Briefly explain the causes and effects of inflation and suggest suitable measure to control inflation?
- 9. Enumerate the reason for the spectacular achievement on agricultural production in India, in recent years.
- 10. 'There can be no better cure for poverty than second generation reforms' Elucidate.
- 11. What is the role of public sector in India?
- 12. Analyse the role of Indian capital market since Independence?