# STELLA MARIS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 86 (For Candidates admitted during the academic year 2008 – 2009 & thereafter)

**SUBJECT CODE: EC/MC/MA54** 

# B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION NOVEMBER 2012 BRANCH IV – ECONOMICS FIFTH SEMESTER

**COURSE** : MAJOR - CORE

PAPER : MACRO ECONOMICS - I

TIME : 3 HOURS MAX.MARKS : 100

#### SECTION - A

#### I. All TEN questions to be answered in 50 words each. $(10 \times 3 = 30)$

- 1. Define Macro Economics.
- 2. What is Economic Statics?
- 3. "Supply creates its own Demand"- Comment.
- 4. Bring out the meaning of Circular Flow of Income.
- 5. What is the relationship between Savings and Investment?
- 6. What is Comparative Statics?
- 7. Define Fiscal Policy.
- 8. Explain the concept of Effective Demand.
- 9. State briefly the Marginal Propensity to Consume.
- 10. Briefly explain the concept Economic Dynamics.

### **SECTION - B**

#### II. Answer any FIVE questions in 300 words each.

 $(5 \times 6 = 30)$ 

- 11. Distinguish between Micro and Macro Economics.
- 12. What are the basic economic problems? Explain.
- 13. How is MEC measured?
- 14. Explain how it is not necessary that equilibrium level of money is established at the level of full employment?
- 15. What are the factors determining aggregate demand and aggregate supply?
- 16. Discuss briefly the criticisms of the classical theory of employment of Keynes.
- 17. Make a critical evaluation of the Quantity theory of Money.

#### **SECTION -C**

## III. Answer any <u>TWO</u> questions in 1200 words each.

 $(2 \times 20 = 40)$ 

- 18. Discuss how the Monetary Policy can be used to bring about economic growth.
- 19. Bring out the limitations of Keynesian Economics for underdeveloped countries.
- 20. Explain the concept of Multiplier along with its assumptions.
- 21. Explain the Acceleration Principle and briefly state its criticisms.

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