STELLA MARIS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS) CHENNAI – 600 086. (For candidates admitted during the academic year 2022-2023)

B.COM. DEGREE EXAMINATION APRIL 2024 BANKING, FINANCE AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP FOURTH SEMESTER

COURSE : MAJOR - CORE

PAPER : INDIAN FINANCIAL SYSTEM

SUBJECT CODE : 22BF/MC/IF43

TIME : 3 HOURS MAX. MARKS: 100

SECTION A

ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS:

 $(10 \times 2 = 20)$

- 1. Name any two components of financial services.
- 2. What is a debenture?
- 3. What is rights issue?
- 4. Who is a lessor?
- 5. Expand the term NSDL.
- 6. What are the challenges faced by Indian financial system?
- 7. Write a note on NBFC.
- 8. What is an Open ended Mutual Fund?
- 9. List out any two functions of financial institutions.
- 10. Write a note on insider trading.

SECTION B

ANSWER ANY FIVE QUESTIONS:

(5 X 8 = 40)

- 11. What are the characteristics of financial markets?
- 12. Explain the functions of credit rating.
- 13. List out the restrictions imposed on chit fund business.
- 14. Differentiate between NSDL and CDSL.
- 15. Briefly explain the benefits of depository.
- 16. Discuss the features of Initial Public Offer.
- 17. What is market efficiency? State the characteristics of an efficient market.

SECTION C

ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS:

 $(2 \times 20 = 40)$

- 18. What is SEBI? Explain the objectives & powers of SEBI.
- 19. Explain the various types of leasing.
- 20. Elucidate on the different methods of issues in secondary market.
- 21. Explain the various services rendered by the commercial banks.
