# STELLA MARIS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS) CHENNAI – 600 086 (For candidates admitted from the academic year 2009 – 10)

### SUBJECT CODE: PR/PC/CO24

# M. A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2010 PUBLIC RELATIONS SECOND SEMESTER

COURSE	:	MAJOR – CORE	
PAPER	:	PUBLIC RELATIONS IN THE CORPORATE	
		SECTOR	
TIME	:	3 HOURS	MAX. MARKS: 100

# **SECTION – A**

#### ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS IN NOT LESS THAN 50 WORDS: $(10 \times 2 = 20)$

- **1.** Mention all the trends in the social, economical, technological, demographic and political environments that are influencing organizations today?
- 2. What do you mean by consumerism?
- 3. Suggest your views on enhancing the relations of the corporate world with the public.
- **4.** Why are training programs essential for a corporate sector? Are training programs essential throughout the year?
- 5. Give the differences between professional and R&D associations.
- **6.** In what way is the plant visits for employees' families enhancing the growth of the organization?
- 7. Explain web-based investor relations.
- **8.** What is the significance of preparing quarterly and annual reports for stockholder relations?
- 9. Why should a corporate organizations hold press conferences?
- **10.** Explain the company policies of a corporate sector company.

#### **SECTION – B**

### ANSWER ANY FIVE QUESTIONS IN NOT LESS THAN 250 WORDS: (5 X 8 = 40)

- **11.** Illustrate the changes in the economic scenario in the corporate sector due to the recent global recession.
- **12.** Differentiate between house magazines published for the internal public and external public, with examples.

- 13. Comment on the SEZ Special Economic Zones set up for the corporate sector.
- **14.** Explain in detail the rules and regulations to be followed by the corporate sectors for international exports.
- 15. Comment on the significance of establishing healthy stockholder relations.
- **16.** Writers and editors are important professionals to be reached out to be the PR department of a corporate organization. Why?
- 17. Explain training, various programs and the needs for training in the corporate sector.

# **SECTION – C**

#### ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS IN NOT LESS THAN 1000 WORDS: (2 X 20 = 40)

- **18.** Comment on Ratan Tata who has elevated the image of the organization through Public Relations.
- **19.** The annual meeting of stockholders provides the right impetus for steady growth. Comment.
- **20.** Examine the significant advantages the communication department offers for the corporate sector growth.
- **21.** Critically examine the pressures on corporate sector and multinationals by consumerism.

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