STELLA MARIS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS) CHENNAI – 86
(For candidates admitted from the academic year 2009 – 10)

SUBJECT CODE: EC/PC/HR44

M. A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2011
BRANCH III – ECONOMICS
FOURTH SEMESTER

COURSE   : MAJOR - CORE
PAPER   : HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
TIME   : 3 HOURS   MAX. MARKS: 100

SECTION – A

ANSWER ANY FIVE QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 300 WORDS.

(5 X 8 = 40)

1. Discuss Becker's contribution to the theory of human capital.

2. Explain the concept of manpower planning.

3. What are the health problems faced by women in India?

4. What are the costs and benefits of on-the-job training?

5. Explain the construction of Harbison and Meyer's index.

6. Show how hygiene, sanitation and water supply affect the quality of life.

7. Review the occupational pattern of women in India.

SECTION – B

ANSWER ANY THREE QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 1200 WORDS.   **(3 x 20 = 60)**

8. Explain the contribution of Schultz, Kindleberger and Johnson to the theory of human capital.

9. Discuss the various aspects of women's education in India.

10. Suggest measures to make quality healthcare available to all in India.

11. Define labour productivity. How can it be measured? How can labour productivity be enhanced?

12. Assess the role played by women in the Indian economy.

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