## STELLA MARIS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 86 (For Candidates admitted during the academic year 2011 – 2012)

SUBJECT CODE: 11EC/AC/IE14

## B.Com. DEGREE EXAMINATION NOVEMBER 2011 CORPORATE SECRETARYSHIP FIRST SEMESTER

COURSE : ALLIED - CORE PAPER : INDIAN ECONOMY

TIME : 3 HOURS MAX.MARKS: 100

#### SECTION - A

### I. ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 50 WORDS:

 $(10 \times 2 = 20)$ 

- 1. Define an underdeveloped economy
- 2. State the objectives of XI Plan
- 3. Define Poverty
- 4. What is involuntary unemployment?
- 5. What is sex ratio?
- 6. What is agricultural price policy.
- 7. What is meant by procurement price?
- 8. What is the public sector?
- 9. What do you mean by liberalisation?
- 10. State the meaning of balance of payments

#### **SECTION - B**

## II. ANSWER ANY <u>FIVE</u> QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 300 WORDS (5 X 8 = 40)

- 11. Explain the National Population Policy 2000.
- 12. Explain the URP and MRP methods of measuring poverty.
- 13. Bring out the importance of small scale sector in economic development
- 14. Explain the tenancy reforms enacted in the Indian agricultural sector
- 15. Discuss the role of foreign trade in a developing economy
- 16. Explain the methods of calculating National Income.
- 17. Explain the following types of unemployment
  - a. Disguised Unemployment b. Frictional Unemployment
  - c. Technological Unemployment and d. Cyclical Unemployment

### **SECTION - C**

# III. ANSWER ANY <u>TWO</u> QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 1200 WORDS $(2 \times 20 = 40)$

- 18. "The Indian Economy is a developing economy" Comment on this statement with relevant data on various characteristic features of developing countries.
- 19. Define Green Revolution. Explain the main features of Green Revolution and bring out its merits and demerits.
- 20. Bring out the causes for unemployment and examine the steps taken to solve the problems of unemployment.
- 21. Analyse the trends in population growth in India. Suggest suitable measures for controlling it.

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