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

**SUBJECT CODE: 11EC/PE/MG14** 

## M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION NOVEMBER 2011 BRANCH III – ECONOMICS FIRST SEMESTER

**COURSE : ELECTIVE** 

PAPER : MANAGERIAL ECONOMICS

TIME : 3 HOURS MAX.MARKS : 100

SECTION - A

## I. ANSWER ANY FIVE QUESTIONS:

 $(5 \times 8 = 40)$ 

- 1. Point out the difference between Economic Theory and Managerial Economics.
- 2. Write a note on 'Risk' and 'Uncertainty'.
- 3. Differentiate between Pure strategy and Mixed strategy.
- 4. Distinguish between Economic cost and Opportunity cost.
- 5. Write a note on short run budgeting.
- 6. Write a note on the Innovative Theory of profit.
- 7. What are the limitations of Break-even Analysis?

#### **SECTION - B**

### II. ANSWER ANY THREE QUESTIONS:

 $(3 \times 20 = 60)$ 

- 8. Comment on the role and responsibility of a Managerial Economist in the process of Decision making and Forward planning.
- 9. Briefly outline the various methods of Demand forecasting.
- 10. Examine in detail the producers' equilibrium point in a two variable input production process.
- 11. Explain the various pricing methods.
- 12. Examine the concept of breakeven analysis using suitable diagrams and an illustration.

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