## STELLA MARIS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS) CHENNAI 600 086 (For candidates admitted during the academic year 2011 – 2012)

**SUBJECT CODE: 11IS/PE/IT14** 

### M. A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2011 BRANCH II (E) - INTERNATIONAL STUDIES FIRST SEMESTER

COURSE : ELECTIVE

PAPER : INTERNATIONAL TERRORISM

TIME : 3 HOURS MAX. MARKS: 100

#### SECTION - A

## ANSWER ANY FIVE QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER SHOULD NOT EXCEED 200 WORDS: (5 X 8 = 40)

- 1. Assess poverty as one of the root causes of terrorism
- 2. Briefly discuss the functioning and strategy of the LTTE.
- 3. What is Bio Terrorism?
- 4. Analyze the influence of religious ideology on Terrorism
- 5. What is Revolutionary Terrorism?
- 6. Write a brief note on the IRA
- 7. What are the measures adopted by USA to secure it's territory.
- 8. Briefly explain the rise of insurgency and naxalism in India

#### SECTION - B

# ANSWER ANY FOUR QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER SHOULD NOT EXCEED 500 WORDS: $(4 \times 10 = 40)$

- 9. Analyze the phenomenon of Suicide Terrorism with examples.
- 10. Explain the concept of 'Eco terrorism'
- 11. What is Ethno nationalist terrorism? Illustrate with examples.
- 12. Assess the role of the State in sponsoring terrorist activities.
- 13. Write a brief notes on Cross border Terrorism in India.
- 14. How does the psychology of an individual affect their motivations and activities in a terrorist organization?
- 15. Discuss the role of security agencies in countering terrorism in India.

#### **SECTION - C**

## ANSWER ANY ONE QUESTION. EACH ANSWER SHOULD NOT EXCEED 1000 WORDS: (1 X 20 = 20)

- 16. Discuss in detail the origins and historical evolution of terrorism from ancient times until the twenty first century..
- 17. Elaborate on the concept of Terrorist financing and the measure to control and regulate it.
- 18. Critically analyse the role of Islam and the revival of fundamentalism as one of the major causes of terrorism today