STELLA MARIS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS) CHENNAI – 600 086 (For candidates admitted from the academic year 2006 – 07 & thereafter)

SUBJECT CODE: IS/PE/IB44

M. A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2009 BRANCH II (E) – INTERNATIONAL STUDIES FOURTH SEMESTER

COURSE : ELECTIVE

PAPER : INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS – AN INTRODUCTION

TIME : 3 HOURS MAX. MARKS : 100

SECTION - A

ANSWER ANY FIVE QUESTIONS IN ABOUT 300 WORDS EACH: $(5 \times 8 = 40)$

- 1. Examine the concept of global presence.
- 2. What is International Business?
- 3. Elucidate the concept of foreign exchange.
- 4. Define global competitiveness.
- 5. What are multinational corporations?
- 6. Explain the concept of currency risk.
- 7. Evaluate the concept of marketing mix?

SECTION - B

ANSWER ANY THREE QUESTIONS IN ABOUT 1500 WORDS EACH: (3 X 20= 60)

- 8. Critically examine the concept of business strategy and explain how it is linked to business ethics.
- 9. What are the challenges faced by international investors in global business?
- 10. Explain the various market entry strategies with special reference to India.
- 11. Bring out the nexus between cultural management and leadership theories.
- 12. Examine the features of international environment in international marketing.
