STELLA MARIS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 86 (For Candidates admitted during the academic year 2008 – 2009)

SUBJECT CODE: EC/MC/DE54

B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION NOVEMBER 2010 BRANCH IV – ECONOMICS FIFTH SEMESTER

COURSE : MAJOR - CORE

PAPER : DEVELOPMENT ECONOMICS

TIME : 3 HOURS MAX.MARKS: 100

SECTION - A

ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 50 WORDS.

 $(10 \times 3 = 30)$

- 1. What is Human Capital Formation?
- 2. Define Development.
- 3. What is Globalisation?
- 4. What do you mean by unbalanced growth strategy?
- 5. What is High Mass Consumption?
- 6. What is untied aid?
- 7. What is FDI?
- 8. Define Social Dualism.
- 9. List the choice of techniques.
- 10. What is Life Expectancy?

SECTION-B

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

(5X6=30)

- 11. What are the indicators of Economic Development?
- 12. Do you agree that high population growth is an obstacle to economic growth in India.
- 13. What are the effects of globalization?
- 14. Discuss the role of technology in economic development.
- 15. Analyse Nelson's low level of Equilibrium trap in the Indian context.
- 16. Examine the inter dependence of Industry and Agriculture.
- 17. Discuss the role of State in Mixed Economy.

SECTION-C

ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS EACH.ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 1200 WORDS: (2 X 20 = 40)

- 18. Discuss the various sources of capital formation.
- 19. Explain Benjamin Higgin's Technological Dualism and how far his theory is an improvement over the theory of Social Dualism.
- 20. Examine the causes of increasing burden of National Debt. Suggest measures to reduce the debt burden.
- 21. Critically examine W.W.Rostow's Stages Model of Growth.