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

SUBJECT CODE: PR/PC/CU24

M. A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2008 PUBLIC RELATIONS SECOND SEMESTER

COURSE : MAJOR – CORE

PAPER : PUBLIC RELATIONS THEORY II – CUSTOMER

RELATIONS

TIME : 3 HOURS MAX. MARKS: 100

SECTION - A

ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS IN NOT LESS THAN 50 WORDS: $(10 \times 2 = 20)$

- 1. Who has coined the phrase 'The customer is always right' and explain what it means?
- 2. Give two examples of public education campaigns, which have educated value proposition?
- 3. Why should customer service be an integral part of company's customer value proposition?
- 4. State any two actions that lead to remarkable customer service.
- 5. Give one example of a customer relations program in tourism industry that you feel has contributed significantly to its business.
- 6. What is consumer value? How do you create customer delight through buzz?
- 7. Differentiate between customer delight and customer satisfaction.
- 8. 'Trends show increase of Web use for customer service'. Comment.
- 9. Enlist the tools used by PR professionals in customer relations.
- 10. What is the importance of a Job card?

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SECTION - B

ANSWER ANY FIVE QUESTIONS IN NOT LESS THAN 250 WORDS: (5X8 = 40)

- 11. Elaborate on any one example of a notable customer service exercise received significant PR mileage.
- 12. Explain how 'surveys' can be used as a tool can be used to gauge customer delight.
- 13. Discuss any two campaigns designed for customer outreach program.
- 14. How is customer service being used as a differentiator in the Indian Airline industry?
- 15. The recent retail boom in India is created a paradigm shift in Consumer behaviour.

 How as a PR professional can you leverage this as an opportunity in building customer relations?
- 16. Design an online feedback from to obtain feedback from a patient for a hospital.
- 17. Illustrate the first 3 minutes in dealing with angry customers.

SECTION - C

ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS IN NOT LESS THAN 1000 WORDS: (2X20=20)

- 18. Present an in-depth case study (along with analysis) of a medium size industry that deals with customer relations policy, procedure and strategies.
- 19. What is the role played by a PR professional in creating customer delight? What are the communication skills should a PR person practice in the field to Customer Relation.
- 20. Describe the rise of consumerism and its impact on Customer Relations Management.
- 21. Explain customer relation across any three of the service industry verticals:

 Hospitals, Airlines, Insurance, Banks and Tourism. How is internal and external

 CRM incorporated in the service industry?
