STELLA MARIS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 86
(For Candidates admitted during the academic year 2015 – 2016 and thereafter)

SUBJECT CODE: 15EC/MC/PF65

B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION APRIL 2019
BRANCH IV – ECONOMICS
SIXTH SEMESTER

COURSE   : MAJOR – CORE
PAPER   : PUBLIC FINANCE II
TIME   : 3 HOURS   MAX. MARKS: 100

SECTION – A

ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 50 WORDS
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1. What is redeemable debt?
2. Write a short note on burden of Public debt.
3. Define 'Financial administration'.
4. What is meant by Gender budgeting?
5. What are the main functions of Finance commission?
6. What do you mean by Federal finance?
7. Write a short note on Grants-in-aid.
8. List out the sources of income for the Municipalities.
9. State the significance of Gram Panchayat.
10. What is meant by deficit financing?
11. What are the objectives of fiscal policy?
12. Write a short note on 'Zero Base Budgeting'.

SECTION – B

**ANSWER ANY FIVE QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 400
WORDS**   **(5x8=40)**

13. Bring out the different classification of Public debts.
14. Explain the various agencies involved in the administration of finance in India.
15. Briefly explain the principles of Federal finance.
16. Analyse the functions and financial resources of ZillaParishad.
17. Explain the various instruments of fiscal policy.
18. Discuss the various methods of reduction of Public debt.
19. Explain the functions and powers of the Comptroller and Auditory General of India.
20. Examine the fiscal implication of structural adjustment program in India.

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SECTION – C

ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 1200 WORDS   **(2x20=40)**

21. Elucidate the reasons for growth of public debt in India and its effect on production and distribution.
22. Discuss the meaning and importance of the budget. How is it prepared, passed and executed in India.
23. Enumerate the recommendation of the 13th Finance commission.
24. Evaluate the salient features of recent central government budget.

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