M.B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION – JANUARY 2015.

HUMAN RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

Time: 3 hours Maximum marks: 75

PART A — $(3 \times 5 = 15 \text{ marks})$

Answer any THREE questions.

All questions carry equal marks.

- 1. Mention the operative functions of HRM.
- 2. State the importance of HR planning.
- 3. Give the usual format of an application blank.
- 4. Write a note on Apprenticeship training.
- 5. What are the components of executive compensation?

PART B — $(4 \times 15 = 60 \text{ marks})$

Answer any FOUR questions.

All questions carry equal marks.

6. Explain the peculiar characteristics of Human Resource. Distinguish HRM from Personnel Management.

- 7. Discuss the different methods of Job Evaluation with merits and demerits.
- 8. What is Performance Appraisal? Mention the factors considered in Employee Appraisal.
- 9. Explain the essential ingredients of a good system of wage payment.
- 10. Discuss the factors responsible for the growing importance of QWL.
- 11. Explain the problems faced by the trade union movement in India. Suggest remedies.
- 12. What are the guidelines that should be followed to make collective bargaining a success?