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## FOURTH SEMESTER B.A DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2018

(Regular/Supplementary/Improvement)

(CUCBCSS -UG)

## CC15U FEN4 B06 - ENGLISH FOR BUSINESS COMMUNICATION

(Functional English - Core Course) (2015 Admission onwards)

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 80 Marks

- I. Answer the following bunches of questions. Each question carries 1 mark.
  - 1. a) The official record of the proceedings of a meeting is ------

(Report, Memo, Minutes)

b) ----- is a mode of projecting the product before the consumer in an attractive manner.

(Advertising, Marketing, Sales)

c) Inside address is absent in -----.

(Enquiry letter, Circular letter, Demi official letter)

d) Dateline is placed on the ----- side of the letter in indented layout. (Middle, Right, Left)

2. a) The list of topics to be discussed at an official meeting is -----.

(Minutes, Agenda, Report)

b) Large pads of papers revealing visual presentations is -----.

(Flipchart, Calendar, Notebook)

c) Brief written communication circulated within an organization is -----.

(Agenda, Minutes, Memo)

d) ----- is a memory aid in diary writing.

(Calender, OHP, Flipchart)

3. a) P.S stands for -----

(Post Script, Paid Script, Perfect Script)

b) An account specifying quantity, quality and prices of goods sold to someone

is -----

(invoice, price tag, receipt)

c) ISD stands for International Subscriber -----.

(Details, Deals, Dialing)

d) Writing a date prior to the actual date in a letter is termed ------.

(Ande-dating, Anti-dating, Ante-dating.)

- II. Answer any *nine* questions in two or three sentences. Each question carries 2 marks.
  - 4. Technical proposal.
  - 5. AIDA formula.
  - 6. Copy notation.
  - 7. Electronic resumes.
  - 8. Emoticons.
  - 9. Basic purposes of presentations.
  - 10. Copy marking.
  - 11. Spam.
  - 12. Proof reading.
  - 13. Three types of correspondence.
  - 14. Complimentary closes.
  - 15. Memos.

## (9 x 2 = 18 Marks)

- III. Answer any six questions in about 100 words. Each question carries 5 marks.
  - 16. Lay outs of Business letters.
  - 17. Differentiate between Report and Minutes.
  - 18. Features of a Circular letter.
  - 19. Over Head Projector.
  - 20. Diary writing in business.
  - 21. Flip Charts.
  - 22. Memorandum.
  - 23. Presentation skills.
  - 24. E-Mail etiquettes.
  - 25. Importance of Business correspondence.

## (6 x 5 = 30 Marks)

- IV. Answer any *two* questions in about 300 words. Each question carries 10 marks.
  - 26. Types of Reports.
  - 27. Features of good Technical proposal.
  - 28. Parts of a Business letter and their positioning.
  - 29. Strategies for making effective presentation.

(2 x 10 = 20 Marks)