B. B. A. IN RETAILING/ADVANCE DIPLOMA IN RETAILING

Term-End Examination

December, 2023

BRL-006: BUYING AND MERCHANDISING—I

Time: 2 Hours Maximum Marks: 50

Note: Attempt any five questions. All questions carry equal marks.

- Explain the top down and bottom up merchandise planning processes with the help of a suitable diagram.
- Describe briefly different components of the buying and merchandise management.
- 3. Discuss various steps involved in the budget planning.
- 4. Explain the process of setting stock objectives.

5. Explain the importance of sales forecasting.

Discuss the factors affecting sales forecasting.

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- 6. Discuss the factors influencing vendor selections.
- 7. Distinguish between the following: 5+5
 - (a) Break-even pricing and markup pricing
 - (b) Skimming pricing and penetration pricing
- 8. Write short notes on any *two* of the following:

5+5

- (a) Merchandise mix
- (b) Category captain
- (c) Assortment width planning
- (d) Inventory