M. SC. IN HOSPITALITY ADMINISTRATION (MHA)

Term-End Examination December, 2020

MHA-010 : PRINCIPLES OF MARKETING MANAGEMENT

Time: 3 Hours Maximum Marks: 100

Note: Answer any five questions in about 600 words each. All questions carry equal marks.

1. What is social marketing? Discuss the relevance of social marketing. Explain with the help of examples from the hospitality industry.

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2. What do you understand by the concept of service? Discuss the reasons for growth of the service sector.

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- 3. Write short notes on any two of the following: $10\times2=20$
 - (a) Implications of social marketing
 - (b) Personal selling
 - (c) Physical evidence
- 4. What do you understand by market segmentation? Discuss in brief the different bases for segmentation.
- 5. Write short notes on any two of the following: $10\times2=20$
 - (a) Key elements in the marketing mix
 - (b) Product life cycle and marketing mix
 - (c) Role of advertising in the marketing mix
- 6. Define marketing research. Explain in brief the broad areas of application of marketing research.
- 7. What is product life cycle? Explain, how the marketing mix has to be changed during the different stages of the product life cycle.

8. Write short notes on any *two* of the following:

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- (a) Determinants of promotion mix
- (b) Nature and use of price discounts
- (c) Product positioning and price
- 9. What is sales forecast? Discuss in brief the various methods used for preparing the sales forecast.
- 10. Discuss the importance of distribution channels in the overall marketing of products.20