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B.Tech. CIVIL ENGINEERING (BTCLEVI)

Term-End Examination

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Time: 3 hours Maximum Marks: 70

Note: Attempt any **five** questions. All questions carry equal marks. Use of scientific calculator is permitted. Assume suitable data, if necessary.

- 1. Discuss the scope of traffic engineering. What are the basic elements that are involved in road traffic systems? Explain.
- **2.** Enumerate the driver's characteristics. Explain visual acuity and field of vision. 14
- Explain the uses of traffic volume study and origin-destination study in traffic engineering.Discuss one method of each study.
- **4.** Discuss the factors responsible for road accidents with respect to 14
 - (a) Driver's inability and negligence,
 - (b) Vehicle defects, and
 - (c) Road defects.

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5. Explain the terms "traffic capacity", "basic capacity", "possible capacity" and "practical capacity". Also estimate the basic capacity of a traffic lane at a speed of 60 kmph, assuming average length of vehicle as 6 m.

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6. Answer any *two* of the following:

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- (a) What are various types of traffic signs? Classify them with neat sketches.
- (b) What are various types of pavement markings? Discuss the uses of each.
- (c) Discuss relative merits and demerits of parallel and angled types of kerb parking patterns.
- 7. Answer any *two* of the following:

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- (a) Discuss various methods of signal design.
- (b) What are the various approaches to reduce traffic pollution?
- (c) Briefly describe the design of a bus-bay.