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B.Sc. FASHION MERCHANDIZING AND RETAIL MANAGEMENT (BSCFMRM) Term - End Examination

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BFW-012 : CONSUMER BEHAVIOUR

Time : 3 hours Maximum Marks : 70

Answer any seven questions. All questions carry equal Note : marks.

- Briefly explain each step of consumer decision 1. 10 making.
- 2. Differentiate between : 5+5
 - External information search and internal (a) information search.
 - (b) Consumer and customer.
- What are the reference groups ? Explain with 3. 10 examples any two types of reference group influence.
- Explain the 4 types of situations important from 4. 10 the point of view of the marketer with the help of examples.

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- Explain and give examples for 'Principle of 10 similarity' and 'Principle of closure' used by marketers/advertisers to influence consumer behaviour.
- 6. Explain a typical family life cycle. 10
- Explain the three different types of decision 10 making with examples.
- What is post purchase dissonance ? Explain with 10 examples.
- Discuss a few recent trends/innovative techniques 10 in marketing for influencing and attracting consumers.
- 10. Is it ethical to influence children through 10 advertisements? Why/why not?
- **11.** Write short notes on (any 2) : **5+5**
 - (a) Market segmentation
 - (b) Problem recognition
 - (c) Consumer behaviour research
 - (d) Learning
- 12. What is self -concept ? How does it affect purchase 10 behaviour ?