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B. COM. (BCOMOL)

BUSINESS COMMUNICATION

Time: Three Hours

Maximum Marks: 100

Note: Attempt all the three Sections–Section A, Section B and Section C.

Section-I (Short Answer Type Questions) $(5\times4=20)$

Attempt any five questions. Each question carries 4 marks.

- 1. What is communication?
- 2. How is silence also treated as a mode of communication? Explain with an example.
- 3. Distinguish between downward communication and upward communication giving examples.
- 4. How does communication improve customer satisfaction and retention?
- 5. Give an example of formal communication. List its advantages and disadvantages.
- 6. Write a letter to New World Publications, Meerut requesting them to send their catalogue for the commerce books.
- 7. Explain different methods of publicity.

Section-II (Medium Answer Type Questions) $(5\times10=50)$

Attempt any five questions. Each question carries 10 marks.

8. Discuss different types of non-verbal communications giving appropriate examples.

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- 9. Describe characteristics of business communication.
- 10. Discuss some important modern communication methods and their respective advantages.
- 11. Describe basic principles of a business letter.
- 12. You are marketing manager of a company dealing in packaged food items. An adverse report appears in a local newspaper about the quality of your company's products. Write a letter to the editor protesting against their report and inviting them to the premises of the company for an on-the-spot check.
- 13. What do you mean by motion? How can it be moved? What are the rules for proposing an amendment to a motion?
- 14. Discuss different steps to be followed while applying for a job.

Section-III (Long Answer Type Questions) $(2\times15=30)$

Attempt any two questions. Each question carries 15 marks.

- 15. Explain different types of oral communication channels. What are their advantages and disadvantages?
- 16. What is meant by minutes of the meeting? Highlight their importance. How are they drafted?
- 17. Describe the importance of conference calls in the working of a company. Explain different steps involved in it.