#### PSG COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCE (AUTONOMOUS)

#### BCom DEGREE EXAMINATION DECEMBER 2019 (Third Semester)

# Branch - COMMERCE (FOREIGN TRADE)

## **INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS ENVIRONMENT**

Time : Three Hours

## **SECTION-A (20 Marks)**

Maximum : 75 Marks

# Answer ALL questions ALL questions carry EQUAL marks

 $(10 \times 2 = 20)$ 

- 1 What is international business?
- 2 What is meant by inter-economic environment?
- 3 What is globalization?
- 4 Give any two barriers to globalization.
- 5 What is regional economic cooperation?
- 6 List out the types of MNCs.
- 7 What is foreign exchange market?
- 8 What is ASEAN?
- 9 What is foreign exchange risk?
- 10 What is meant by swap?

### SECTION - B (25 Marks)

Answer ALL Questions

ALL Questions Carry EQUAL Marks (5x5 = 25)

11 a Give the framework for analyzing international business environment.

OR

b Explain about (i) economic environment (ii) socio-cultural environment.

12 a Bring out the features of globalization.

OR

b What are the methods of globalization? Discuss.

13 a What are the types of regional economic group?

OR

- b Write short notes on (i) EU (ii) SAFTA.
- 14 a What are the types of exchange rates?

OR

b Write short notes about FEMA.

15 a Explain about leading and lagging.

OR

b What are the risks in foreign export markets?

## SECTION - C 130 Marks)

#### Answer any **THREE** Questions ALL Questions Carry EQUAL Marks $(3 \times 10 = 30)$

- 16 Discuss the nature, scope and importance of International Business environment.
- 17 Explain the essential conditions of globalization.
- 18 Discuss the conceptual framework of MNCs.
- 19 What are the determinants of Foreign Exchange Rates? Explain.

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