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## PSG COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCE (AUTONOMOUS)

# MA DEGREE EXAMINATION MAY 2018 (Fourth Semester)

#### **Branch-ENGLISH**

## ADVANCED ASPECTS OF TRANSLATION STUDIES

Time: Three Hours Maximum: 75 Marks

### **PART-A**

- I Answer any five of the following in 250 words each:  $(5 \times 6 = 30)$
- 1 What are the requirements of the competence of a Translator?
- 2 Is Translation a secondary activity or an Approximation? Explain.
- **3** Discuss the various features of Communicative Translation.
- 4 Write briefly on Transference, Transliteration and Transcreation.
- 5 Explain the difficulties involved in translating emotional literary pieces.
- 6 Give an account of principles & concepts of comparative literature.
- 7 Give a comment on any one of the text that you studied under comparative study.

#### **PART-B**

- II Answer any five of the following in an essay each: (5x9 = 45)
- 1 History of Translation is as complex as that of any other branch of Literature Discuss.
- Write an essay on partial, full, phonological, graphological, literal and non-secular types of Translation.
- What do you know about Eugene Nida's classical model of Translation process and the problems of finding equivalence?
- 4 Discuss the importance of Translation for the study of Comparative Literature.
- 5 Give an account of Dry den's estimate of Plutarch Lives.
- What sorts of comparison and contrast are possible in the description of main characters in 'Swami and Friends'?
- Write an essay on the various principles and theories of Translation.