## PSG COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCE (AUTONOMOUS)

**BA DEGREE EXAMINATION MAY 2018** 

(Sixth Semester)

# Branch- ECONOMICS

# **LABOUR ECONOMICS**

Time : Three Hours

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

Answer ALL questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL marks

(10x2 = 20)

Maximum: 75 Marks

- 1 Define labour.
- 2 What do you mean by migration?
- 3 Write any two objectives of employment exchange.
- 4 What do you mean by labour turnover?
- 5 Define trade union.
- 6 What do you mean by 'strike'?
- 7 What do you mean by collective bargaining?
- 8 What do you mean by wages?
- 9 Define labour welfare.
- 10 State the meaning of social security.

# SECTION - B (25 Marks)

Answer ALL Questions

## ALL Questions Carry EQUAL Marks (5x5 = 25)

11 a What are the characteristics of labour?

#### OR

b What are the effects of migration of labour?

12a Analyse the causes of absenteeism.

## OR

b What are the difficulties in measuring labour turnover?

13 a Explain the various types of trade unions.

## OR

b What are the features of industrial dispute?

- 14 a What are the functions of collective bargaining? OR
  - b Why standardization of wages are necessary?
- 15 a What are the agencies of labour welfare activities?

## OR

b Bring out the significance of social security measures.

## **SECTION - C (30 Marks)**

# Answer any **THREE** Questions

**ALL** Questions Carry **EQUAL** Marks  $(3 \times 10 = 30)$ 

- 16 Explain the factors which give rise to labour problems.
- 17 What are the causes and effects of labour turnover?
- 18 Examine the various functions of trade unions.
- 19 Analyse the process of collective bargaining.
- 20 Explain a brief account of labour welfare measures in India.

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