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B.Com. DEGREE (C.B.C.S.S.) EXAMINATION, MAY 2016

Second Semester

Core Course V-PRINCIPLES OF INSURANCE

(Common for Model I, Model II and UGC Sponsored B.Com. Degree Programmes)
[2013 Admission onwards]

Time: Three Hours

Maximum Marks: 80

Part A (Short Answer Questions)

Answer all questions. Each question carries 1 mark.

- 1. Define Insurance.
- 2. Explain the term reinsurance.
- 3. Explain the term subrogation.
- 4. What is hull insurance?
- 5. Define maritime perils.
- 6. What is average clause?
- 7. Explain the term insurable interest.
- 8. What is net asset value?
- 9. What is social insurance?
- 10. What is IRDA?

 $(10 \times 1 = 10)$

Part B

Answer any eight questions. Each question carries 2 marks.

- 11. How does insurance and assurance differ?
- 12. What do you mean by surrender value of a policy?
- 13. Explain the term foreclosure.
- 14. Explain the term cover note.
- 15. What is a floating policy?
- 16. What is causa proxima?

Turn over

- 17. What is a jettison clause?
- 18. What is a mixed policy in marine insurance?
- 19. What is revival of a policy?
- 20. What is assignment?
- 21. What is a money back policy?
- 22. What is annuity?

 $(8 \times 2 = 16)$

Part C (Descriptive/Short Essay Type Questions)

Answer any six questions.

Each question carries 4 marks.

- 23. What are the different types of marine policies?
- 24. How loss is determined in fire policies?
- 25. What are the types of complaint an ombudsman can settle?
- 26. What is nomination, how does it differ from assignment?
- 27. How does life insurance differ from other insurance?
- 28. Who is an actuary? Explain his role.
- 29. Explain the provisions relating to registration of insurance companies.
- 30. What are the steps to taken by the insured in the event of theft of the vehicle?
- 31. What are the difference between fire and marine insurance?

 $(6 \times 4 = 24)$

Part D (Long Essays)

Answer any two questions. Each question carries 15 marks.

- 32. What are the different principles of insurance?
- 33. Discuss the procedure to be followed for settlement of claims under death of a person.
- 34. What are the different kinds of fire policies?
- 35. Explain the basic provisions of IRDA ACT.

 $(2 \times 15 = 30)$