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### **BBMBMC 158**

# Credit Based II Semester B.B.M. Degree Examination, April/May 2015 (2012 Scheme) MANAGERIAL COMMUNICATION

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 80

**Note:** 1) A single answer booklet containing **40** pages will be issued. **No** additional sheets will be issued.

2) Read the instructions carefully in each Section.

## SECTION - A

 $(1 \times 10 = 10)$ 

(One mark each)

Answer any ten of the following in not more than 2 or 3 sentences each:

- 1. a) Define Formal Communication.
  - b) What is CIF Price?
  - c) What is meant by communication net work?
  - d) What do you mean by consensus?
  - e) What is Gesture?
  - f) Give the meaning of 'Fully Blocked' form of a letter.
  - g) What are confirmation letters?
  - h) What are statutory reports?
  - i) When do you use the term 'Misdames' in a business letter?
  - j) What is meant by 'claim' in a letter of complaint?
  - k) What is video-conferencing?
  - I) Why written communication is preferred to oral communication?

#### SECTION-B

 $(5 \times 5 = 25)$ 

(Five marks each)

Answer any five of the following in not more than 2 pages each:

- 2. Write a brief note on the use of audio-visual aids in report writing.
- 3. Explain any five barriers to business communication.

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- 4. Explain the various guidelines to effective presentation.
- 5. Draft a letter to an applicant for appearing to an interview for the post of computer operator.
- 6. Draft a letter to Surya Umbrella's Ltd., Bangalore, placing an urgent order for different varieties of umbrellas required for the forthcoming rainy season.
- 7. Write a letter from Shreyas Electronics, Bangalore to a firm in Mangalore giving quotations for the supply of various home appliances.
- 8. Draft a circular letter regarding opening of new branch of your gold shop in the city of Mangalore.



SECTION – C (15 marks each)

 $(15 \times 3 = 45)$ 

Answer the following questions in not more than 6 pages each:

9. Define Business communication. Explain the various objectives of Business communication.

OR

What is upward and downward communication? Explain the various methods involved and their importance.

- 10. a) What is a complaint letter? What are the various reasons of writing it? Also narrate the various points to be noted while writing it.
- 7)
- b) Draft a complaint letter to your seller regarding the suiting and shirtings differing from the samples.

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OR

a) What are collection letters? Explain the various steps involved in a collection series. Highlight to the points to be noted while writing them.

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b) Draft a collection letter to a customer whose dues for purchase of electronic home appliances worth ₹ 50,000 are not settled in spite of two reminders.

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11. a) What is meant by 'Business Report'? What are its types?

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b) Draft a report from the market research committee of a Textile Company in Mumbai on the failure of their readymade garments in the market.

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