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IT3504: Web Development Techniques
PART 2 - Structured Question Paper

2nd March 2014
(ONE HOUR)

To be completed by the candidate
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Important Instructions:

- The duration of the paper is **1 (one) hour**.
- The medium of instruction and questions is English.
- This paper has **3 questions** and **8 pages**.
- **Answer all questions.** All questions **do not** carry equal marks.
- **Write your answers** in English using the space provided **in this question paper**.
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- Note that questions appear on both sides of the paper.
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Questions Answered
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To be completed by the candidate by marking a cross (✗).	Question numbers			
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To be completed by the examiners:				

1) (a) Explain the Three-tier architecture explaining the key functions of each layer.

(20 marks)

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(b) State the key components of LAMP solution stack and briefly explain the functionality of each component.

(15 marks)

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c) Describe the Domain Name System (DNS) and explain the role it plays in the Internet or the world wide web operations.

(15 marks)

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2) Suppose you are required to display the current price list for an online shop where items are categorised and organized as given below.

Table ItemsData
       ItemNo (primary Key)
       ItemName
       ItemCategory
       Unit
       PriceCode

Table PriceData
       PriceCode (primary Key)
       UnitPrice
       EffDate

Write HTML/PHP code to display a price list consisting of item number, item name and effective unit price, for an online shop. Items must be ordered according to item category in a tabulated format.

Note: - assume that you already have a working database connection (connection name "$MYSQL_CONN").

(25 marks)

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3) Write a Java Script code to validate following conditions of a phone number for a web application

- Only numbers are allowed
- Can start with country code(94)or 0 with area or operator code (validating operator or area codes is not required)
- Total length must be 10 (without country code) or 11 (with country code)

Note:- you may call your function as "validate"

(25 marks)

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