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DIPLOMA EXAMINATION IN ENGINEERING/TECHNOLOGY/ MANAGEMENT/COMMERCIAL PRACTICE — APRIL, 2018

BUSINESS STUDIES

[Time: 3 hours

(Maximum marks: 100)

PART — A

(Maximum marks: 10)

Marks

- I Answer all questions in one or two sentences. Each question carries 2 marks.
 - 1. Define business.
 - 2. State the meaning of prospectus.
 - 3. Recognize internal trade.
 - 4. State the meaning of third party insurance.
 - 5. Define joint stock company.

 $(5 \times 2 = 10)$

PART — B

(Maximum marks: 30)

- II Answer any five of the following questions. Each question carries 6 marks.
 - 1. Explain the characteristics of partnership firm.
 - 2. Distinguish between shares and debenture.
 - 3. Outline the characteristics of internal trade.
 - 4. Distinguish between life and general insurance.
 - 5. Summarise the advantages of sole proprietorship.
 - 6. Explain different types of companies.
 - 7. Explain the meaning of fire and marine insurance.

 $(5 \times 6 = 30)$

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PART -- C

(Maximum marks: 60)

(Answer one full question from each unit. Each full question carries 15 marks.)

UNIT -- I

III Define industry. State the various classification of industry. 15 OR IV Distinguish between private company and public company. 15 UNIT - II V Explain the memorandum of association and its contents. 15 OR VI Describe the term prospectus and its contents. 15 UNIT — III VII Distinguish between wholesaler and retailer. 15 VIII Explain the procedure involved in export trade. 15 UNIT - IV IX Explain the principles of insurance. 15

X Explain the different types of marine insurance policies.