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BOARD DIPLOMA EXAMINATION, (C-14) OCT/NOV-2015 DCE-THIRD SEMESTER EXAMINATION

CONSTRUCTION PRACTICE

Time: 3 hours [Total Marks: 80

PART—A

 $3 \times 10 = 30$

Instructions: (1) Answer **all** questions.

- (2) Each question carries three marks.
- (3) Answers should be brief and straight to the point and shall not exceed *five* simple sentences.
- 1. State any three functions of a foundation in buildings.
- 2. Define ultimate and safe-bearing capacities of soils.
- 3. What is bond in masonry? Why is it essential?
- **4.** Define the terms :
 - (a) Mullion
 - (b) Rebate
- **5.** State any three differences between hipped roof and gable roof.
- **6.** List any six types of decorative ceiling.
- **7.** What are the various types of scaffolding?

- **8.** What is pointing? When do you recommend pointing to a masonry work?
- 9. Write any three objectives of painting.
- 10. What is solar energy? Write any two advantages of solar energy.

PART—B

 $10 \times 5 = 50$

Instructions: (1) Answer any **five** questions.

- (2) Each question carries ten marks.
- (3) Answers should be comprehensive and the criterion for valuation is the content but not the length of the answer.
- **11.** State any ten components of a building and explain their functions.
- **12.** What is soil exploration? Explain the method of auger boring with a neat sketch.
- **13.** Write the comparison between brick masonry and stone masonry.
- **14.** Explain the various types of fixture and fastening of door.
- **15.** Explain the method of providing standard weather proof course for RCC flat roof.
- **16.** Draw and explain bifurcating staircase with a neat sketch.
- 17. Explain the method of white washing for new and old surfaces.
- **18.** Write in detail about (a) preliminary audit and (b) detailed audit in energy audit.

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