

C16-C-405

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## BOARD DIPLOMA EXAMINATION, (C-16) SEPTEMBER/OCTOBER - 2020 DCE—FOURTH 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 the classification of buildings as per NBC.
- 2. Differentiate between 'bearing piles' and 'friction piles'.
- 3. Define (a) frog and (b) course with respect to bricks.
- 4. List out any four functions of lintels.
- **5.** State any six advantages of steel trusses.
- **6.** Define the term 'curing'. List out various methods of curing the concrete.
- 7. State any four objectives of formwork.
- **8.** What is plastering? State any four objectives of plastering.

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- **9.** Define termite proofing.
- 10. List out the objectives of building safety audit.

## 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. Describe the method of soil exploration by Auger boring with its advantages and disadvantages.
- 12. Explain the method of providing under reamed pile foundation along with the situations where they are found to be more suitable.
- **13.** Explain with comparison between stone masonry and brick masonry constructions
- 14. (a) What are the common types and special types of doors?6(b) List out the fixtures and fastenings of doors and windows.
- 15. Explain the construction of cement concrete flooring.
- **16.** Describe the method of brick layer's scaffolding with the aid of a sketch.
- **17.** Explain the method of whitewashing for a new surface.
- **18.** Define energy management. State the aims of energy management of buildings.

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