

BLISC 2nd Semester Examination, 2013

LIBRARY AND SOCIETY

PAPER—BLI-201

Full Marks : 40

Time : 2 hours

Answer **all** questions

The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable

Illustrate the answers wherever necessary

GROUP – A

I. Write short notes on any two of the following :

5 × 2

(i) Right to Information Act of India

(ii) Structure of Model Public Libraries Act

(Turn Over)

(2)

(iii) Meaning and characteristics of information
Literacy

(iv) Local History Collection.

GROUP – B

2. (a) Distinguish among the terms profession,
occupation and vocation. Is librarianship a
profession ? Discuss. $7\frac{1}{2} + 7\frac{1}{2}$

Or

- (b) What are the needs of public library law ?
Discuss the provisions of Delivery of Books
and Newspapers Acts 1954. 5 + 10

GROUP – C

3. (a) Discuss the role of any national level
library association in India in professional
development of librarians. 15

(3)

Or

(b) Trace the history of library and information science education in India. 15