## **BLISc 1st Semester Examination, 2009**

## LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SCIENCE (LIBRARY AND SOCIETY)

PAPER—IA

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

- 1. Write short notes on any *two* of the following:  $5 \times 2$ 
  - (i) RRRLF
  - (ii) Academic and Public Libraries
  - (iii) National Knowledge Commission.

(a) Discuss the duties and responsibilities of librarians as envisaged by Rabindra Nath Tagore.

## Or.

- (b) Discuss the salient features of NAPLIS as enunciated in Prof. D.P. ChattopadhyayCommittee Report.
- 3. (a) What is Resource Sharing? Discuss the resource sharing of Libraries in the light of Networking.

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## Or

(b) Write a brief note on the library development in India during Moghul period. 15