2019

MAJOR

1st Semester Examination

OFFICE MANAGEMENT & SECRETARIAL PRACTICE

Paper—C 1-T

Secretarial Practice

Full Marks: 60 Time: 3 Hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks. Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

1. Answer any ten of the following questions:

2×10

- (a) Define a company Secretary.
- (b) What is Departmentation?
- (c) What is the relationship between 'System' and 'Procedure'?
- (d) Name two requisties of a valid meeting.
- (e) What is meant by 'Proper Length of Notice'?

- (f) Define 'Quorum'.
- (g) What is office lay-out?
- (h) What do you mean by 'Agenda'?
- (i) What is 'Notice'?
- (j) What is vote of thanks?
- (k) Define Adhoc Committee.
- (l) What is a 'point of order'?
- (m) What is Motion?
- (n) What do you mean by an unlawful meeting?
- (o) What is Resolution?
- 2. Answer any four of the following questions:

5×4

- (a) "A Private Secetary is more than a good short-hand typist"—Explain the statement.
- (b) What are the requisites of a valid meeting?
- (c) What factors would you consider as essential to good working environment?

- (d) Discuss the importance of office accomodation?
- (e) How do minutes of a meeting differ from proceedings?
- (f) Discuss the powers and duties of the chariman of a meeting.
- 3. Answer any two of the following questions: 10×2
 - (a) What are the advantages of dividing the office into departments? Explain the different departments in office.
 - (b) Draft the minutes of the proceedings of the eleventh Annual General Meeting of 'XYZ' Ltd., Calcutta, held on 21st Sept. 2019. 10
 - (c) Draft a notice of any Board Meeting of a Public Limited company (not being its First Board Meeting) with usual agenda.
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 - (d) Who is a secretary? Point out the importance of the secretaries in modern business world. What are the main functions of a secretary? 2+4+4