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(Public Finance)

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Time Allowed: Three Hours | [Maximum Marks: 70

Note: Answer **five** questions in all, selecting **one** question from each unit. Question **No. 1** is **compulsory**.

- 1. Write short notes on the following: $3 \times 10 = 30$
 - (a) Difference between progressive tax and regressive tax.
 - (b) Canon of Coordination.
 - (c) Compensatory Finance
 - (d) Capital Levy.
 - (e) Wagnar's Law

- (f) Taxable Capacity
- (g) Repudiation of Loan
- (h) Divisible Pool.
- (i) Functional Finance.
- (j) Difference between Revenue Deficit and Capital deficit.

Unit-I

- 2. Explain, in detail, the various principles of taxation given by Adam Smith and Bastable? 10
- 3. Explain the principle of "Ability to pay". How would you measure the "Ability to pay" of an individual?

Unit-II

- 4. What are the various effects of Public Expenditure on Production and Distribution? 10
- Distinguish between Redeemable Debt and Irredeemable Debt. What are the different method of repayment of Public debt? 10

Unit-III

- 6. Explain the various principles of Federal Finance? What are the main reasons for dependency of the states on the centre for financial assistance?
- What are the main instruments of fiscal policy?
 Compare the main objectives of fiscal policy of developed economy with that of developing economy.

Unit-IV

- Explain the term "Deficit Financing "? What are the various evil effects of deficit financing. 10
- Discuss the various sources of income of central government and state governments in India. Give suggestions for the improvement in State finances in India.