ST. JOSEPH'S EVENING COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS) VI SEMESTER B.A. EXAMINATIONS APRIL 2018

INDIAN ECONOMIC ISSUES

Duration: 2.5 Hours Max. Marks: 70

SECTION - A

I) Answer any TEN of the following questions.

(10x2=20)

- 1. Mention any two major indicators of India as a developing economy.
- 2. Mention the sources of Agriculture Finance.
- 3. What is public distribution system in India?
- 4. Give the meaning of parallel economy.
- 5. What are the reasons for disinvestment?
- 6. What are PSUs?
- 7. What are conventional and non conventional sources of energy?
- 8. Give the meaning of small scale industries.
- 9. State any two objectives of Industrial Policy of 1991.
- 10. What do we mean by deficit financing?
- 11. What is maternal mortality rate?
- 12. What is NRHM? State any two of its objectives.

SECTION - B

II) Answer any FOUR of the following questions.

(4x5=20)

- 13. Explain the reasons for the low level of productivity in Indian agriculture.
- 14. What are the drawbacks of agricultural marketing?
- 15. Write a short note on the types of irrigation practiced in India.
- 16. Explain the reasons for the recent growth in the public expenditure in India.
- 17. Discuss the causes and consequences of water pollution.
- 18. Write a short note on the road transport in India.

SECTION - C

III) Answer any TWO of the following questions.

(2x15=30)

- 19. Discuss various poverty alleviation programs in India.
- 20. Illustrate the problems of public sector enterprises in India.
- 21. Critically examine the source of revenue for the recent union budget in India. Examine the structural changes that have taken place in the Indian budget after 1991.
- 22. Give an overview of the health systems in India. Mention the measures to improve health system in India.