## **MBA Distance** (1<sup>st</sup> Semester) Examination, July 2018(DDE)

Session: January 2017-December 2018

**Subject: Principles and Practices of Management** 

Paper: MBD-101

TIME-3 hours Full marks: 80

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

## Group-A

Candidates are requested to answer any 6 questions

5x6=30

- 1. Is Management a profession? Discuss.
- 2. Distinguish between Management and Administration.
- 3. Explain the main features of Bureaucratic organization.
- 4. How does span of control facilitate effective management?
- 5. Discuss the major tenets of Scientific Principles of Management?
- 6. Explain briefly the steps involved in planning process.
- 7. How do the required managerial skills differ in the hierarchy of an organization?
- 8. Explain the role of manager in managing an organization.

## **GROUP-B**

Candidates are requested to answer any 5 questions

10x5=50

- 9. a) Discuss the levels of management.
  - b) Explain the importance of management.
- 10. a) State the characteristics of Democratic organizations.
  - b) Briefly explain the fourteen principles of management proposed by Henri Fayol.

- 11. a) Explain the various types of planning.
  - b) Mention the different types of departmentalization.
- 12. a) In short, explain the nature of control.
  - b) Describe the main features of staffing.
- 13. a) What is centralization?
  - b) Discuss the merits and demerits of centralization.
- 14. Explain the group development process.
- 15. Explain the steps involved in the controlling process. Give proper illustration.