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VI Semester B.B.M. Examination, April/May 2015 (Semester Scheme) (Freshers) (2014-15 and Onwards) BUSINESS MANAGEMENT

Paper - 6.6: (Elective Paper - IV): Retail Management

Time: 3 Hours Max. Marks: 100

Instruction: Answer should be written in English only.

SECTION - A

Answer any 8 sub-questions of the following. Each sub-question carries 2 marks.

 $(8 \times 2 = 16)$

- 1. a) What is Online Retailing?
 - b) What is an Hyper Market?
 - c) What do you understand by a Reference Group?
 - d) What is Visual Merchandising?
 - e) What is Skimming Pricing?
 - f) What do you mean by Supply Chain Management?
 - g) What do you mean by EDI?
 - h) Give the meaning of Electronic Shelf Label.
 - i) Who is Touchy-Feely Shopper?
 - j) What are Mannequins?

SECTION - B

Answer any 3 questions. Each question carries 8 marks.

 $(3\times8=24)$

- 2. Who is a Retailer? Explain any five functions of a Retailer.
- 3. Briefly explain the stages of Consumer Decision-Making with an example.
- 4. Mention the Dimensions of Market Area Analysis.
- 5. Explain the importance of Store Layout and Visual Merchandising in Retail Management.



SECTION-C

Answer question no. 10 and any three of the remaining questions. Each question carries 15 marks. (4×15=60)

- 6. Elaborately explain the different Retail Theories.
- 7. Explain the factors influencing Indian Retail Industry.
- 8. Explain the factors influencing pricing. Elaborate various pricing methods in the context of retailing.
- 9. Bringout the importance of the "Legal Issues" and "Social Aspects" of Retailing.
- 10. Explain the factors that influence Customer's Buying Decisions. Elaborate with suitable examples.