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**First Professional MBBS Degree Supplementary Examinations -
February 2016**

PHYSIOLOGY- PAPER II

Time: 3 Hours

Total Marks: 50

- *Answer all questions*
- *Draw Diagrams wherever necessary*

Long essay

(10)

1. A young woman has puffy skin and hoarseness of voice. Her plasma TSH concentration is low. Answer the following questions based on your knowledge in physiology :

- Explain the physiological basis of her symptoms
- Describe the mechanism of action of thyroid hormones
- Explain the regulation of its synthesis
- What are its effects on nervous system

(2+2+2+4=10)

Short essays

(2x5=10)

2. Describe connections and functions of thalamus
3. Ovarian changes during a normal menstrual cycle

Answer briefly

(5x3=15)

4. Functions of middle ear
5. Absolute refractory period
6. Cyclic GMP as second messenger
7. Functions of parietal lobe of brain
8. Milk ejection reflex

Draw and label

(2x2½=5)

9. Pathway of crude touch
10. Visual pathway

Explain the physiological basis of the following

(5x2=10)

11. Chorea
12. Referred pain
13. Aldosterone escape phenomenon
14. Puberty
15. Bitemporal hemianopia

