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B.Tech. (Ind. Engg. & Mgt.) (Spl. in TQM) PT (Sem.-6)
SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT

Subject Code: IEM-604 M.Code: 71000

Time: 3 Hrs. Max. Marks: 40

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:

- 1. Attempt All EIGHT questions from SECTION-A carrying TWO marks each.
- 2. Attempt any SIX out of EIGHT questions from SECTION-B carrying FOUR marks each.

SECTION-A

1. Answer briefly:

- a) Can Supply Chain Management (SCM) be considered as a strategy for differentiation? If yes, why and how this should be exploited?
- b) Explain the design options for a distribution network in supply chain management.
- c) Briefly describe the importance, objectives and functions of purchase management function in supply chain.
- d) How do firms carry out aggregate planning in a supply chain?
- e) Discuss how outsourcing works? Why would a firm want to outsource?
- f) Discuss the importance of outsourcing services like third and fourth party logistics.
- g) How has Globalization impact to supply chain management? How do organizations manage the risks of a globalized supply chain?
- h) Discuss Environment friendly supply chain practices deployed by organizations.

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SECTION-B

- 2. Describe the process view of a supply chain. Explain cyclic view and push pull view of supply chain.
- 3. Elaborate upon role of network design in supply chain. Discuss the factors influencing network design decisions in organizations.
- 4. What do you understand by selective inventory control? Explain ABC analysis technique for inventory control giving appropriate example.
- 5. How do firms manage uncertainties in a supply chain? Explain.
- 6. Explain the steps involved in supplier certification and quality audit in supply chains.
- 7. What modes of transportation are best suited for large, low value shipments? Why?
- 8. Explain the procedures adopted for import and export of goods.
- 9. Describe four distinct phases of benchmarking for supply chain management.

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