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## **B.Sc (Nursing) DEGREE EXAMINATION**

(For Trained Nurses)

First Year

**Non-Semester** 

### Paper III – BIOCHEMISTRY AND BIOPHYSICS

Q.P. Code: 684884

Time: Three hours Maximum: 75 marks

Answer All questions.

Answer Section A and B in a SEPARATE answer book.

SECTION – A (BIOCHEMISTRY)

I. Essay:  $(1 \times 15 = 15)$ 

1. Define Gluconeogenesis. Write in detail the pathway and regulation of gluconeogenesis.

### II. Write Short Notes on:

 $(3 \times 5 = 15)$ 

- 1. Ketone bodies.
- 2. Plasma proteins and their functions.
- 3. Mitochondria.

#### **III. Short Answer Questions:**

 $(5 \times 2 = 10)$ 

- 1. What is normal serum levels of sodium and potassium?
- 2. Name two digestive enzymes.
- 3. Define Glycogenolysis.
- 4. Write two enzymes that are elevated in jaundice.
- 5. What are lipo proteins? Give two examples.

SECTION – B (BIOPHYSICS)

I. Essay:  $(1 \times 15 = 15)$ 

1. Describe the various types of pulleys and explain the lever mechanism in the human body.

# II. Write Short Notes on :

 $(2 \times 5 = 10)$ 

- 1. Pulse oximeter.
- 2. Application of light in nursing.

# **III. Short Answers Questions:**

 $(5 \times 2 = 10)$ 

- 1. What is centrifugal force?
- 2. What is the use of Calorimeter?
- 3. What is ocular pressure?
- 4. What is piezo electric effect?
- 5. What is electrolysis?

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