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M.B.B.S. DEGREE EXAMINATION – JULY, 2013 FIRST M.B.B.S. EXAMINATION BIOCHEMISTRY PAPER-II

Time: 2 ½ Hours Max. Marks: 50 **Answer all questions** 6+4=10 1) With the help of a diagram, describe the process of transcription. Add a note on post transcriptional modifications. **Enumerate kidney function tests and liver** 2+2+3+3=10 2) function tests. Write in detail about one kidney function test and one liver function test. **WRITE SHORT NOTES ON:** 5x4 = 203) Explain the absorption, transport and storage of dietary iron in the body. Requirement, sources and biochemical functions 4) of Selenium. **Describe Polymerase Chain Reaction (PCR) with** 5) diagram and list out two uses of it. Compare and contrast (1 similarity and 2 6) differences) DNA polymerase and RNA polymerase Androgens – Biosynthesis and Physiological and 7) **Biochemical functions.** 5x2=10**WRITE BRIEFLY ON:** 8) **Chemical Carcinogens** 9) **Biochemical functions of oxytocin** 10) How oxalates in diet inhibit absorption of iron and calcium? 11) Define Osmolarity and Osmolality 12) Serum alpha fetoprotein and carcinoembryonic antigen