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JAWAHARLAL NEHRU TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY HYDERABAD MBA-I Semester Regular Examinations February -2010 BUSINESS COMMUNICATION AND SOFT SKILLS

Time:3hours Max.Marks:60

Answer any Five questions All questions carry equal marks

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- 1. What are different barriers to effective communication? Explain how to overcome such barriers to effective communication.
- 2. Differentiate between writing and reading. Explain about the essentials for effective writing and reading.
- 3. Comment on the statement, "Jargon creates ambiguity in communication". Justify your comments on this state explaining about Jargon and ambiguity.
- 4. Write a short note on Formal and Informal Interviews and explain the influence of ambiance and polemics in interviewing.
- 5. Explain the involvement of Culture, style and format in effective written communication.
- 6. Explain various types of technical reports, their formats and essentials of effective report writing.
- 7. Assuming yourself as a Marketing Manager write a letter to your superior summarizing your Marketing research in a specific region on your desired product.
- 8. Explain any three among the following:
 - a. Spoken Vs Written Communication
 - b. Role of Pitch, Tone and rate of speech in Oral communication
 - c. Formal Vs Informal Communication
 - d. Video Conferencing
 - e. Verbal Vs Non-verbal Communication