Seat No. : _____

[Max. Marks : 50

(12)

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B.Com., Sem.-VI

CC-309 : Commercial Communication – VI

(Text : Petals of Life)

Time : 2 Hours]

- **Instructions :** (1) All questions in Section-I carry equal marks.
 - (2) Attempt any two questions from Section-I.
 - (3) Question No-5 in Section-II is compulsory

SECTION – I

- 1. (A) Answer any **four** questions in brief :
 - 1. What did Pete do on every Thanksgiving Day ?
 - 2. What is the surprising thing that we get to know about the Old Gentleman at the end of the story ?
 - 3. Why do we have tendency to imitate others ?
 - 4. How can we awaken the creative process within ourselves ?
 - 5. What did the boy want to tell his mother after getting back home ?
 - 6. How did Rakesh bring glory to the family ?
 - 7. How did Monsieur Lantin's wife die ?
 - (B) Write a short note on any **one** :
 - 1. J. Krishnamurti's advice on overcoming fear
 - 2. The little boy
 - 3. The surprise ending of the story *The False Gems*.
- 2. On behalf of Legend Plastics Ltd., Canada, write a letter of inquiry to the Gujarat Machines Ltd., Rajkot, for machines to manufacture plastic products. (20)

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OR

Draft a letter, requesting bank to open an irrevocable letter of credit.

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3. Draft an individual business report on opening a Sales Depot of Kesar Private Ltd. (20)

OR

Draft a Committee report on taking over an industrial unit.

4. (A) Read the following market report and answer the questions that follow : (12)

PIVOTALS PLUMMET ON DALAL STREET

A mixed pattern of trading with an easy inclination was noticed on the stock exchange today. Opening on a lower note, prices of select scripts tended to drift to tired bull unloading coupled with profit-taking at higher levels and lack of follow up support. The sentiment was adversely affected by the reports of institutional investors' offerings on selective basis. The advice from up-country stock markets was discouraging and some leading operators were avoiding new commitment in view of the forthcoming elections.

A few shares, however, moved up modestly on fresh short-covering and investment support at lower levels. RIL was in limelight in sustained demand, while Dmart, Adani and Coal India were among the firm scripts.

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Questions :

- 1. Explain the headline.
- 2. Which trend is indicated in the headline ?
- 3. Which stock exchange is mentioned in the report ?
- 4. Find out two factors responsible for the current trend.

(B) Match the following :

| | Α | В | |
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| 1. | Ex-dividend | trend | |
| 2. | Gray market | without dividend | |
| 3. | Punters | unauthorized market | |
| 4. | Sentiments | speculators | |
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SECTION – II

| 5. Choose the appropriate options : (any five) | | (10) | |
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| | 1. | Pete used to come to Union Square every Thanksgiving Day | |

- (a) for nine years
- (b) for six years
- (c) for five years
- (d) since his childhood

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- 2. Pete had to be taken to the hospital because
 - (a) he had an attack of asthma
 - (b) he had a heart attack
 - (c) he had an attack of indigestion
 - (d) none of the above
- 3. J. Krishnamurti advises us to be free from
 - (a) blind beliefs and traditions
 - (b) polite way of life
 - (c) good customs and good habits
 - (d) none of the above
- 4. We dread to stand alone when
 - (a) we are less creative
 - (b) we are inwardly afraid
 - (c) we are more resourceful
 - (d) none of the above
- 5. When the last boy was out, the school bus
 - (a) stood in the campus.
 - (b) rolled out of the gate.
 - (c) waited for another trip.
 - (d) none of the above.
- 6. He was waiting to eat ______ after going back home.
 - (a) lemon juice
 - (b) betel leaf
 - (c) sweets
 - (d) lemon pie

- 7. Rakesh's father told his neighbour, Mr. Bhatia that
 - (a) his son deprives him of food.
 - (b) his son beats him.
 - (c) his son does not talk to him.
 - (d) None of the above
- 8. After returning from America, Rakesh
 - (a) joined a private hospital
 - (b) joined a city hospital
 - (c) joined a government hospital
 - (d) opened his personal chamber
- 9. Monsieur Lantin's wife was fond of
 - (a) food and jewellery
 - (b) imitation jewellery and dresses
 - (c) jewellery and theatre
 - (d) jewellery and sarees
- 10. Monsieur Lantin once worked as a chief clerk in the
 - (a) Department of Interior
 - (b) Department of Finance
 - (c) Department of Investigation
 - (d) Department of Irrigation