## DIPLOMA IN APPAREL MERCHANDISING/DIPLOMA IN APPAREL MERCHANDISING APPLIED (DAPMER/DAPMERA)

**Term-End Examination** 

December, 2024

## BHC-007: MANAGEMENT OF MERCHANDISING FUNCTION AND APPAREL MANUFACTURING

Time: 3 Hours Maximum Marks: 100

Note: Attempt any five questions. All questions carry equal marks.

1. (a) Explain the following:

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- (i) Types of suppliers identified by apparel manufacturing units.
- (ii) Factors affecting the sourcing of fabric and trims.
- (b) Explain export finance requirement. What are the types of export finances? Describe them.

| 2. | (a) | Briefly describe the process of strategic   |
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|    | ( ) | sourcing in the apparel industry. Discuss   |
|    |     | its advantages and disadvantages. 10  |
|    | (b) | Discuss the documentation framework required for textile exports.                             |
| 3. | (a) | Explain the different types of letter of credit.  |
|    | (b) | Write about the different types of sleeves and cuffs with the help of suitable illustrations. |
| 4. | (a) | Describe the following: 10  |
|    |     | (i) Spreading technique   |
|    |     | (ii) Equipments used in spreading of fabric   |
|    | (b) | Describe any <i>five</i> constructive stitches using suitable diagrams wherever necessary.    |
| 5. | (a) | Explain the following: 10   |
|    |     | <ul><li>(i) Sewing threads and their importance</li><li>(ii) Types of threads</li></ul>       |
|    | (b) | Explain Bundle System in the Apparel Industry.  |

- 6. (a) Write about the role of testing laboratory in the garment manufacturing industry. 10
  - (b) Describe the care labelling system used in apparel industry, using suitable figures/diagrams.
- 7. (a) Explain stages and elements of apparel costing.
  - (b) Describe the following: 10
    - (i) Factors affecting pricing of apparel
    - (ii) Pricing strategy used for apparel
- 8. Write short notes on any *four* of the following:

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- (a) Lead time
- (b) Export credit insurance
- (c) Methods of pattern making
- (d) Pockets
- (e) Marker mode
- (f) Relationship between fabric, thread and needle
- (g) Cost sheet