DIPLOMA IN MODERN OFFICE PRACTICE (DMOP)

Term-End Examination December, 2024

December, 2024 **BSSI-014: STENOGRAPHIC SKILLS** Time: 2 Hours Maximum Marks: 50 *Note*: (i) *Part-A*: All questions are compulsory. (ii) **Part-B**: Attempt any **six** questions out of total eight questions. (iii) **Part-C**: Attempt any **two** questions out of total four questions. (iv) Marks are indicated on the right side. Part—A 1 Fill in the blanks: $10 \times 1 = 10$ (a) PB/TD/ChJ/KG are consonant. (b) Strokes have vowel places. After 'D', 'SH' is always written

- (e) In many words two vowels occur consecutively each being separately pronounced. To represent these special signs have been given in shorthand principles. These are called
- (g) Circle cannot be used when a vowel precedes sounds.
- (h) The strokes of MP/MB are calledstrokes.
- (i) F/V hook scan not be applied tostrokes.
- (j) A light strokes can be for the addition of tr/dr/thr.
- 2. Write the following short forms/phrases in shorthand: $10\times1=10$
 - (a) As we can
 - (b) Out of
 - (c) Instruction
 - (d) English

- (e) I hope you will
- (f) Under
- (g) I think you should be
- (h) Wished
- (i) Wonderful
- (j) Passenger

Part—B

Note: Attempt any **six** questions out of total eight.

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 $6 \times 3 = 18$

- 3. When is stroke 'S' or 'Z' written? Give example.
- 4. Explain with examples of the use of the small hook representing 'N' and 'F/V'.
- 5. How are the compound consonant QW, GW, MP, MP, WH and 'WL' written? Give suitable example.
- 6. What are the principles governing the use of upward and downward 'R'? Give example.
- 7. Define 'Phraseography' and 'Phraseogram'. Give a few examples.
- 8. How is the circle 'S' added to straight strokes?

- 9. How will you differentiate a small loop with a large loop? Give *two* examples of each with rules.
- 10. Define Prefix. How is different from a Suffix? How will you represent a dot prefix and a dot suffix? Give example of each.

Part—C

Note: Attempt any **two** questions out of total four.

 $2 \times 6 = 12$

- 11. How many vowels are there in English shorthand and how are they represented at different places? Explain with example.
- 12. What are the Dipthongs? How many Dipthongs are there in Pitman shorthand? Explain with suitable examples.
- 13. What is the use of halving principle in shorthand? State the rule of halving of straight strokes with *two* examples of each.
- 14. What is a Left and Right Motion? State the rules of joining of 'S' circle to straight and curved strokes, initially, medially and finally with *two* examples of each.

