BACHELOR OF ARTS (FACILITY AND SERVICES MANAGEMENT) (BAFSM)

Term-End Examination June, 2025

BFO-005: FIRE SAFETY IN FACILITIES

Time: 3 Hours Maximum Marks: 100

Note: (i) Answer any five questions in about 600 words each.

- (ii) All questions carry equal marks.
- Define Fire. Explain the characteristics of fire and the different grades of fire.
- 2. Identify the different types of fire risk assessments. Discuss the important methods in qualitative fire risk assessment.

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- 3. What are the different points to be considered while selecting a fire detector?
 How are inspections and tests for fire detectors carried out?
- 4. What is the need for retrofitting during the renovation of a building? Explain the process of hiring and managing contractors for renovating a building.
- 5. Discuss the benefits as well as the limitations of reviewing fire safety systems.

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- Outline the provisions for 'means of egress' as specified in National Building Code-Part
 Explain the distinct features of 'means of egress'.
- 7. Discuss the physical, physiological and psychological effects of fire on people. Also elaborate the ways to mitigate these effects.

- 8. Discuss how fire affects the environment.

 Suggest ways how the negative environmental impact arising from fire events can be minimized.
- 9. What are the *five* most important causes of hospital fire? Discuss the proactive actions that should be taken in case of a fire in a hospital.
- 10. Write short notes on the following in about 150 words each: $4 \times 5 = 20$
 - (a) Difference between Passive and Active fire protection method
 - (b) Challenges that fire fighters face
 - (c) Difference between flammable and combustible material
 - (d) Importance of fire safety in shopping malls

