B. B. A. (SERVICES MANAGEMENT) (BBASM)

Term-End Examination June, 2025

BSM-013 : DELIVERING AND PERFORMING SERVICES

Time: 2 Hours Maximum Marks: 50

Note: Answer all the questions.

1. (a) Fill in the blanks:

 $5 \times 1 = 5$

- (i) Service quality can be defined as the degree of between customer expectations and perceptions of the service.
- (ii) The process of identifying and designing services to meet customer needs is called

- (iii) refers to the degree to which service employees are trained to manage customer relationships.
- (iv) The concept of helps identify points where a service is delivered or received.
- (v) is the physical evidence that accompanies a service such as brochures websites or facilities.
- (b) State whether the following statements are True or false : $5\times1=5$
 - (i) The intangibility of service makes them easy to evaluate before purchase.
 - (ii) Service delivery is entirely dependent on technology and not on human resource.

- (iii) Service recovery is a critical element when a service fails to meet customer expectations.
- (iv) Managing services performance involves only monitoring customer feedback.
- (v) Good service is only given to external customers.
- 2. Answer any two of the following questions in about 100 words each. Each question carries2 marks: 2×5=10
 - (a) What is the significance of service blue printing in service delivery?
 - (b) How does the tangibility of service differ from that of physical product?
 - (c) Define service encounter.
 - (d) What are the key differences between product-oriented business and service-oriented business?
 - (e) Explain the role of employee behaviour in delivering high quality service.

- (f) What is relationship between customer satisfaction and service quality?
- (g) Discuss the importance of feedback in service performance improvement.
- 3. Answer any four of the following questions in about 250 words each. Each question carries
 5 marks: 4×5=20
 - (a) Explain the role of technology in improving the efficiency of service delivery.
 - (b) Discuss the impact of cultural differences on the delivery and performance of services in the global economy.
 - (c) What is service recovery? Describe the steps involved.
 - (d) How does service failure affect customer loyalty?
 - (e) Discuss the challenges and strategies involved in maintaining consistent service quality.

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- (f) Explain the concept of moments of truth in service delivery and its impact on customer perceptions.
- 4. Answer any *one* question in **500** words :

 $1 \times 10 = 10$

- (a) Analyse the role of employees in the service delivery process. How do employee satisfaction and motivation affect the overall service performance?
- (b) Discuss the steps involved in the service design process. How can business ensure that service design meets the customer expectations and are efficient in delivery?

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