

III Semester M.B.A. Degree Examination, February 2016 (CBCS) (2014 – 15 & Onwards) Paper – 3.4.2 : Management CONSUMER BEHAVIOUR

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 70

Instruction: Answer all Sections.

SECTION - A

Answer any five of the following questions. Each question carries five marks.

 $(5 \times 5 = 25)$

- 1. What do you mean by diversity of consumer behaviour? List out the determinants of individual consumer behaviour.
- 2. What is the impact of the digital revolution and mobile phone revolution on consumer behaviour?
- 3. Explain the personality traits that can influence consumer research.
- Explain the impact of life styles and psychographics on consumers' buying decision.
- 5. Explain the perceptual process. What factors are responsible for perceptual distortion?
- 6. Elaborate the salient features of cognitive dissonance and consumer delights in FMCGs Market.
- 7. Mention the cultural factors and subcultural factors influence on consumer behaviour.

SECTION-B

Answer any three questions. Each question carries ten marks.

 $(3\times10=30)$

"Needs and wants of marketers in India are manipulate gullible consumers".



- 9. Describe the impact of economic, political and legal factors influence on consumer buying decision.
- 10. Illustrate the Howard Sheth model of buying behaviour and explain its current relevance.
- 11. Discuss the organisational buying beaviour and buying decision process.

SECTION - C

Compulsory Section.

 $(1 \times 15 = 15)$

Case Study.

- 12. A car making company is deciding to make flying cars in India. You are required to:
 - a) Explain the motivation of consumer in buying this car and your way of promoting it.

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- b) Segment, targeting and position the flying car in Indian market.
- c) Explain how the diffusion of the idea will be facilitated by you.