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(SEM III) ODD SEMESTER THEORY EXAMINATION 2009-10 MARKETING OF SERVICES

Time: 3 Hours]

[Total Marks: 100

Note:

- (1) Attempt all questions.
- (2) All questions carry equal marks.
- (3) Be precise in your answer.
- (4) No second answer book will be provided.
- 1 Attempt any four parts of the following: 5×4=20
 - (a) "Service economy is a cultural construct."
 - (b) What is service quality and why is service quality difficult to evaluate or measure?
 - (c) How is the service package developed to be an augmented service offering?
 - (d) Why has a need for internal marketing emerged in service firms?
 - (e) What are the various approaches to services target market selection?
 - (f) What is a brand? What is the difference between brand image and brand identity?

- 2 Attempt any two of the following: $10 \times 2 = 20$
 - (a) Both buyers and sellers seek relationships. Elaborate.
 - (b) What different roles do customers perform in service processes ?
 - (c) What is the role of promotions in marketing of services?
 - (d) What kind of pricing strategies are being used by:
 - (i) Cell-phone
 - (ii) Retailers.
- 3 Attempt any two of the following: $10\times2=20$
 - (a) "Globalisation of services is quite different from that of goods." Discuss and elaborate.
 - (b) What is the importance of customers in service marketing?
 - (c) Why should the service marketers concern themselves with new developments in technology? Discuss.
- 4 Answer any two of the following: $10\times2=20$
 - (a) Discuss the marketing mix strategies related with insurance sector. Explain with suitable examples.
 - (b) "Inseperability of financial services poses a number of challenges for marketers." Elaborate.

- (c) "Internationalisation of services has new challenges for service providers." Discuss.
- 5 Write short notes on any two of the following: $10 \times 2 = 20$
 - (a) Future of telemarketing for promoting the banking business in India.
 - (b) What are the challenges to globalisation of service ?
 - (c) What are the customer's expectation related to the Home loan services ?