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BOARD DIPLOMA EXAMINATION, (C-14) MARCH/APRIL—2017 DCE—THIRD SEMESTER EXAMINATION

CONSTRUCTION PRACTICE

Time : 3 hours]

[Total Marks : 80

PART—A 3×10=30

Instructions : (1) Answer **all** questions.

- (2) Each question carries **three** marks.
- (3) Answer should be brief and straight to the point and shall not exceed *five* simple sentences.
- **1.** State any three functions of plinth.
- 2. Write any three situations where underreamed piles are used.
- **3.** Define the following terms :
 - (a) Course
 - (b) Closer
 - (c) Stretcher
- 4. List various types of locks used for doors and windows.
- 5. List out any four types of roof.
- 6. State any three functions of ceiling.
- 7. What is spiral staircase? Where is it used?

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- 8. List any six protective and decorative finishes of buildings.
- 9. How do you prepare the surface for distempering?
- **10.** State three applications of solar energy.

Instructions : (1) Answer any five questions.

- (2) Each question carries **ten** marks.
- (3) The Answers should be comprehensive and the criterion for valuation is the content but not the length of the answer.
- **11.** Explain briefly the functions of any ten components of a building.
- **12.** Explain the procedure for laying the dampproof course at the basement.
- **13.** What is rubble masonry? State various factors to be considered while constructing rubble masonry of any type.
- **14.** Write short notes on the following : 4+3+3
 - (a) Sunshade
 - (b) Canopy
 - (c) Sun-breakers
- **15.** Explain the method for flooring with Cuddapah slabs.
- **16.** Write the construction of formwork for slab and beam with the aid of a neat sketch.
- **17.** State three objectives of painting and describe the method of paintings on wood surface.
- **18.** Explain the benefits associated with the use of building energy management system.

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