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BOARD DIPLOMA EXAMINATION, (C-14)

OCT/NOV—2016

DCE—FOURTH SEMESTER EXAMINATION

TRANSPORTATION ENGINEERING

Time : 3 hours]

[Total Marks : 80

PART—A

3×10=30

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

- (2) Each question carries **three** marks.
- (3) Answers should be brief and straight to the point and shall not exceed *five* simple sentences.
- **1.** Define (a) width of pavement, (b) gradient and (c) superelevation.
- 2. Define camber. State any two advantages of providing camber.
- **3.** Define alignment of a road. State any two factors influencing the selection of alignment of a road.
- **4.** Draw neat sketch of an expansion joint in concrete road and explain.
- **5.** State any three advantages of railways.
- **6.** Explain scissors crossing with the help of a sketch.
- **7.** State function of a marshalling yard. State the types of marshalling yards.

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- **8.** Define (a) afflux, (b) vertical clearance and (c) free board.
- **9.** State any three factors to be considered for selection of site for a bridge.
- **10.** Define bridge and culvert.

Instructions : (1) Answer any **five** questions.

- (2) Each question carries **ten** marks.
- (3) Answers should be comprehensive and the criterion for valuation is the content but not the length of the answer.
- **11.** Explain the components of a road with the help of a neat sketch.
- **12.** Explain the engineering surveys conducted to fix the alignment of a road.
- **13.** (*a*) State any four functions of traffic signs.
 - (b) State any three types of traffic signs and give two examples of each type.
- **14.** Explain the construction procedure of a WBM road.
- **15.** Explain the methods of providing surface drainage and subsurface drainage with the help of sketches.
- **16.** State various types of sleepers used in railways. State any three advantages and one disadvantage of any two types of sleepers.
- **17.** Draw neat sketch of a left-hand turnout and label the component parts.
- **18.** Explain a high-level causeway with the help of a sketch.

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