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(2014 Admn. Onwards)

General Course for B.Com./B.S.W.

3A11 COM/CMN : DISASTER MANAGEMENT

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 40

PART – A

I. Answer **all** questions. **Each** carries $\frac{1}{2}$ marks :

- 1) TDRM stands for _____
- 2) The Disaster Management Act was passed in the year _____
- 3) Hawaiian is a type of _____
- 4) Endogenous Hazards is a _____ type of Hazard. ($\frac{1}{2} \times 4 = 2$)

PART – B

II. Answer **any four** questions. **Each** carries **one** mark :

- 5) Define hazards.
- 6) What is hail ?
- 7) What is soil erosion ?
- 8) What are the goals of disaster management ?
- 9) What is cold wave ?
- 10) What is DDMA ? (1×4=4)

PART – C

III. Answer **any six** questions (**not exceeding one page**). **Each** carries **three** marks :

- 11) What are the stages of hailstorm development ?
- 12) What happens when a volcano erupts ?

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- 13) Explain the role of media in disaster management.
- 14) State the functions of Seismological observatory.
- 15) What are the objectives of National policy on disaster management ?
- 16) State the causes of pest infestation.
- 17) What are the causes of soil erosion ?
- 18) Explain the different approaches to manage the environmental hazards.

(3×6=18)

PART – D

IV. Answer **any two** questions. **Each** carries **eight** marks :

- 19) Explain the pre-disaster stage preparedness.
- 20) What is landslide ? Explain the mitigatory measures for landslide ?
- 21) What are the types of exogenous hazards ?

(2×8=16)