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**THIRD SEMESTER (CBCSS-UG) DEGREE EXAMINATION
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Sanskrit

SKT 4(3) C03—SAMSKRITAKAVYANUSEELANAM II
(SANSKRIT THEATRE AND KERALA CULTURE) (for Malayalam)

(2020-2023 Admissions)

Time : Two Hours and a Half

Maximum : 80 Marks

*Answers may be written in Sanskrit or in Malayalam.
In writing Sanskrit, Devanagari script should be used.*

I. Write short answer (Each question carries 2 marks ,ceiling 25) :

- 1 Who is the author of *Dasarupaka* ?
- 2 मार्गे पदानि खलु विषमीभवन्ति । विशदयत ।
- 3 यास्यत्यद्य शकुन्तलेति हृदयं संस्पृष्टमुत्कण्ठया । कस्य वचनमिदम् ?
- 4 शुश्रूषस्व गरुन् कुरु प्रियसखीवृत्तिं सपत्नीजने । कां प्रति कण्वस्योक्तिरियम् ?
- 5 को नामोष्णोदकेन नवमालिकां सिञ्चति । कस्य वचनमिदम् ?
- 6 अनुरूपस्य कस्य हस्ते कन्यका प्रतिपादनीयेति । कस्य हस्ते ?
- 7 Write down the names of *Ramayana* based dramas of Bhasa.
- 8 Write the names of dramas of Bhavabhuti.
- 9 Name the dramas of Kulasekhara.
- 10 Which are the instruments used in *Kuttiyattam* ?
- 11 Write down the Stotra works of Sankaracharya.
- 12 Write down the works of Dr. K.N. Ezhuthachan.

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- 13 Write down a few Sanskrit works on *Ayurveda*.
- 14 Write a note on *Manushyalayacandrika*.
- 15 What are *Pancabhuta-s* ?

(25 marks)

II. Write answers in a paragraph. (Each question carries 5 marks, ceiling 35) :

- 16 Write down the names of *Dasarupaka-s*.
- 17 Write a note on *Vikramorvasiya* of Kalidasa.
- 18 अर्थो हि कन्या परकीय एव । Annotate.
- 19 *Ascaryacudamani* of Saktibharda.
- 20 Write a short note on *Nangyarkutt*.
- 21 Write a note on the grammatical contribution of Melputur Narayanabhata.
- 22 Chattampi Svamikal and Kerala Renaissance.
- 23 Provide a note on Kerala contribution to *Vastuvidya*.

(35 marks)

III. Write two essays from the following. (Each question carries 10 marks) :

- 24 Write an essay on the description of nature in *Abhijnanasakuntala*.
- 25 Write an essay on Sanskrit theatre of Kerala focusing on *Kutiyattam*.
- 26 Life and works of Narayana Guru.
- 27 Kerala contribution to Sanskrit *Mahakavya-s*.

(2 × 10 = 20 marks)