# **COMMERCE (2014)**

## FORM TWO NATIONAL ASSESSMENT ANSWERS

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### **SECTION A:**

1.

i	ii	iii	iv	V	vi	vii	viii	ix	X
d	c	c	c	b	d	b	b	c	a

2.

LIST A	i	ii	iii	iv	v	vi	vii	viii	ix	X
LIST B	Е	О	Н	В	K	I	C	N	A	F

**3.** 

- (i) Capital Goods
- (ii) Chain or Channel of distribution
- (iii) Supply Schedule
- (iv) Itinerant (Machingas)
- (v) Utility
- (vi) Fixed Cost
- (vii) Production
- (viii) FIFO Arrangement
- (ix) Consumable Goods
- (x) Warehouse

#### **SECTION B:**

4.

- (a) Luxury Needs: are needs that a human can live without. (Eg. Needs for Cars, HD Television, Jewelries, Smart Phones)
- **(b)** Constructive Industry: is a branch of industry that deals with construction of building, bridges, railways and roads.
- (c) **Deferred payment:** is a type of installment selling in which the buyer possess the property or an asset bought after paying the **first** installment.
- (d) Consumer: is a person who use/consume goods or services.
- (e) Stock Administration: is a process of managing stock at a desirable quantity and quality in a warehouse. It is a process which involves stock taking, stock control and management and stock valuation..

5.

- (a) Trader: is a person who buys and sells goods for the aim of making profit.
- (b) Five functions of Wholesaler:
  - *i*. Buying goods wholesaler purchase goods from producers
  - ii. Warehousing wholesaler stores goods until they are demanded by other traders
  - iii. Selling goods wholesaler sales goods to retailers
  - iv. Transportation wholesaler transfer goods from producers and to retailers
  - v. Market research wholesaler collects information about the goods in the market

#### **SECTION C:**

6. Answer:

a) Cost of sales or Cost of Goods Sold (COGS)

Cost of goods sold	<u>540,000</u>
Less: Closing Stock	40,000
COGAS	580,000
Add: Purchases	500,000
Opening Stock	80,000

b) Average Stock

#### Formula:

Average Stock = 
$$\frac{Opening Stock + Closing Stock}{2}$$
Average Stock = 
$$\frac{80000 + 40000}{2}$$

Therefore Average Stock = 60,000

c) Rate of stock turnover

#### Formula:

RST 
$$= \frac{Cogs}{Average Stock}$$
RST 
$$= \frac{540000}{60000}$$

Therefore Rate of stock turnover = 9 times.

d) Order Point

### Formula:

Order point/re-order level =  $[Daily\ Sales \times Delivery\ Times] + Minimum\ Stock$ 

Order Point = 
$$[80 \times 5] + 120$$

Therefore Order point = 520 Kg.

7.

(a) **Specialization:** is the process where by labour performs only one activity and becoming very good at it with the aim of increasing production. Is the process of performing only one activity and become best at it.

### (b) Disadvantages of Specialization

- i. Monotony or Boredom Danger of boredom for workers
- ii. Unemployment A machines and techniques develop, they may replace workers and cause unemployment
- iii. Loss of creativity It may lead to a decline in craftsmanship
- *iv.* Decrease in variety of goods As machinery takes over, output is standardized which may reduce variety of available goods
- v. If one person or department fails the other department will also fail