B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, 2010

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(ECONOMICS)
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(SECOND YEAR)

(PART-III)

(PAPER-VI)

660. PUBLIC FINANCE

(Including Lateral Entry and Double Degree)

May] [Time : 3 Hours Maximum : 100 Marks

Answer any FIVE questions.

All questions carry equal marks. $(5 \times 20 = 100)$

- 1. Discuss the distribution and stabilization functions of the State.
- 2. Why has public expenditure increased in recent years?
- 3. Discuss the cannons of taxation.
- 4. What is meant by taxable capacity? What are the factors that determine the taxable capacity?
- 5. Distinguish impact, shifting and incidence of a tax. What are the factors that determine the incidence of indirect taxes ?
- 6. What are the objectives of fiscal policy of India?
- 7. What are the different forms of public debt.
- 8. Examine the guiding principles of federal finance.
- 9. Explain the various objectives of <u>deficit financing</u>. Explain the consequences of it.
- 10. Critically examine the major recommendations of the 10th Finance Commission.