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DISTANCE EDUCATION

B.B.M. DEGREE EXAMINATION, DECEMBER 2008.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE AND FINANCING OF FOREIGN TRADE

Time: Three hours Maximum: 100 marks

PART A — $(5 \times 8 = 40 \text{ marks})$

Answer any FIVE questions.

Each answer should not exceed 1 page.

- 1. Explain the features of CIF and EXW terms.
- 2. State the features of invoice.
- 3. Explain the objectives of exchange control.
- 4. Explain the features of any two types of foreign currency accounts with suitable examples.
- 5. Give an account for consignment exports.
- 6. Explain the features of export performance guarantee with an example.
- 7. What is forfeiting? State its features.
- 8. Explain the features of overseas investment insurance cover of the ECGC.

PART B — $(4 \times 15 = 60 \text{ marks})$

Answer any FOUR questions.

Each answer not to exceed 3 pages.

- 9. Explain the methods of correcting disequilibrium in balance of payments.
- 10. Elaborate the features of marine insurance policy.
- 11. Discuss the functions of foreign exchange department of a commercial bank.
- 12. Examine the role of commercial banks in financing exports at the post shipment stage.
- 13. Explain the features of various types of export guarantees.
- 14. Explain the role of EXIM bank in financing Indian commercial banks.
- 15. Describe the features of standard policy of the ECGC.

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