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DISTANCE EDUCATION

B.B.M. DEGREE EXAMINATION, DECEMBER 2009.

MONEY AND BANKING

Time: Three hours Maximum: 100 marks

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

Answer any FIVE questions.

All questions carry equal marks.

Each answer not to exceed a page.

- 1. Explain the characteristics of money.
- 2. How do you construct price index number?
- 3. Explain the features of capital market.
- 4. Define and illustrate credit creation.
- 5. Enumerate the role the SBI in promoting industries.
- 6. Write a note on Indian Private Sector Banks.
- 7. State the features of monetary policy of the RBI.
- 8. Explain the need for a Central Bank.

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

Answer any FOUR questions.

Each question carries 15 marks.

Each answer need not exceed 3 pages.

- 9. Elaborate the functions of money.
- 10. Examine the features of the Indian Money Market.
- 11. Briefly analyse the balance sheet of a commercial bank.
- 12. Describe the structure of Indian Commercial Banks.
- 13. Explain the functions of Reserve Bank of India.
- 14. Explain the changes in the Indian banking industry after the introduction of financial sector reforms since 1991.
- 15. Examine the role of the central bank in a developing economy.