

**MASTER OF LIBRARY AND
INFORMATION SCIENCE**

Term-End Examination

June, 2006

**MLIE-106 : PUBLIC LIBRARY SYSTEM
AND SERVICES**

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 100

Note : Attempt **all** questions. All questions carry equal marks. Illustrate your answers with suitable examples and diagrams wherever necessary. Write relevant Q. No. before writing the answer.

1.1 What are the objectives of library policy ? Discuss the recommendations of NAPLIS on public library system in India.

OR

1.2 Discuss the role of public libraries in social change.

2.1 What are the various sources of finance in public libraries ? Discuss the present scenario of public library financing in India.

OR

2.2 “Human Resources Management is important in libraries as the libraries are labour-intensive organisations.” — Discuss the statement in the context of public libraries.

3.1 What do you mean by ‘Organisational Structure’ ? Describe the recommendations of Model Public Library Bill for organisational structure.

OR

3.2 Discuss the measures used for performance evaluation of a public library and describe the problems associated with it.

4.1 Describe the IT-based services of public libraries. State the problems faced by libraries in the application of IT.

OR

4.2 Make a comparative study of public library scenario in India and UK.

5.0 Write short notes on any **three** of the following (in about 300 words each) :

- (a) RRRLF
- (b) Structure of public libraries in Maharashtra
- (c) Non-book materials
- (d) Specifications of periodical racks
- (e) LIBSYS