

**V semester B.Com examination, November/December 2008**  
**(Semester scheme)(New)**  
**COMMERCE (Paper-5.3)**  
**Entrepreneurship Development Programme**  
**Time : 3 hrs max. marks:90**

**SECTION-A**

1. Answer any ten sub-questions. Each sub question carries 2 marks (10x2=20)

- a) Define entrepreneur.
- b) Mention any two advantages of a joint stock company form of organization.
- c) What is meant by a business opportunity?
- d) What is meant by a business plan?
- e) Expand the following abbreviations: SFC, IIBI
- f) Mention any two features of a sick industry.
- g) Mention any four types of an entrepreneur.
- h) Mention any two advantages of a partnership firm.
- i) Mention any two functions of a business plan.
- j) Mention any two sources of getting business opportunities/ideas.
- k) Mention the general types of financial assistance required by a small scale enterprise.
- l) Mention any four advantages of a sole-trading concern.

**SECTION-B**

Answer any five of the following. Each question carries 5 marks.

2. Explain briefly the importance of an entrepreneur (any five points).
3. Explain briefly any five problems faced by small scale industries in India.
4. Explain briefly any five factors which influence the choice of a business opportunity.
5. Mention any five factors which cause the failure of a business plan.
6. What is an industrial estate? Explain briefly any four of its objectives.
7. Explain briefly any five consequences of industrial sickness.
8. Explain briefly any five factors influencing an entrepreneur.
9. Explain briefly any five advantages of preparing a business plan.

### **SECTION-C**

Answer any three of the following. Each question carries 15 marks.

10. Explain in detail any eight problems faced by women entrepreneurs in India.
11. Explain any ten advantages of small scale industries.
12. Explain the steps involved in starting a small scale industry.
13. Explain in detail any five major aspects in a business plan.
14. Write a detailed note on the financial incentives available to small scale industries.