First Semester M.B.A. – Technology Management/Health Service Management/Financial Service Management Examination, December 2009/January 2010 MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEMS

Time: 3 Hours Max. Marks: 80

SECTION - A

Answer all sub-questions. Each question carries two marks.

 $(2 \times 5 = 10)$

- 1. a) What are the phases in the decision-making process?
 - b) What is data mining?
 - c) What is prototyping?
 - d) What is knowledge engineering?
 - e) What is hacking?

SECTION - B

Answer any five questions. Each question carries seven marks.

 $(7 \times 5 = 35)$

- 2. Explain the function of transaction processing systems.
- 3. What are the benefits of online systems?
- 4. Discuss the planning information needs of MIS.
- 5. What are the database requirements of information system?
- 6. Discuss the development stages of an information system.
- 7. Describe the future trends in software quality assurance.
- 8. Discuss briefly the MIS security check list.

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SECTION - C

Answer any two questions. Each question carries ten marks.

 $(10 \times 2 = 20)$

- 9. Explain the application of expert systems and knowledge engineering in various fields.
- 10. Discuss the information security policy check list.
- 11. Explain the phases in the decision-making process of information system.
- 12. Describe the various database models in use.

SECTION - D

Answer any one question carrying fifteen marks.

 $(15 \times 1 = 15)$

- 13. Explain the stages in software development life cycle.
- 14. Describe the implementation and maintenance of MIS.
