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**SECOND SEMESTER M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION
MAY / JUNE 2006**

Branch: PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT

PM 2.2.1 LABOUR AND MANAGERIAL ECONOMICS

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 75

PART- I

Answer any five questions. All questions carry equal marks.

Answers should not exceed 300 words.

1. Give the profile of Indian Labour force.
2. What are the factors affecting labour supply.
3. Explain the concept of productivity linked bonus.
4. What are the advantages of modern technology from labour force point of views?
5. What is the changing nature of labour problems in India?
6. What are the characteristics of pure competition?
7. What is price lining?
8. What is capital budget?

(5x6=30 Marks)

PART - II

Answer any three questions. All questions carry equal marks.

Answers should not exceed 1200 words.

9. Explain the important cost determinants in modern manufacturing enterprises.
10. What is payback period? What are its characteristics? Also, explain its advantages.

11. Profit is reward for enterprise and innovation - substantiate.
12. Explain the process of business decision – making.
13. Labour problems in a developing economy is different from that of developed economy – substantiate.
14. Discuss the flexibilities and rigidities in Indian labour market.

(3x15=45 Marks)