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SECOND SEMESTER M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, JULY/AUGUST 2004

Branch: Personnel Management

P.M. 223. ORGANISATIONAL BEHAVIOUR

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 75 Marks

Part I

Answer any **five** questions. All questions carry equal marks. Answers should not exceed 300 words.

- 1. What is an organization? Briefly explain the elements of an organizational structure.
- 2. Distinguish between Power and Politics.
- 3. What is group dynamics? Briefly discuss intra and intergroup relationships.
- 4. What is delegation of authority? What are the major elements in the process of delegation?
- 5. What is Trait theory of leadership? Explain.
- 6. What is the role of communication in organizational structure? Explain briefly.
- 7. What is Team building? Discuss its relevance in organizations.
- 8. What is sensitivity training? Explain briefly,

 $(5 \times 6 = 30 \text{ marks})$

Part II

Answer any three questions.
All questions carry equal marks.
Answers should not exceed 1200 words.

- 9. What is the role of Howthorne studies in Neo classical theory of organization—Discuss.
- 10. What is stress? Discuss the management of stress in organizations.
- 11. Discuss the salient features of Path Goal Theory of Robert House.
- 12. What are the major elements in Erikson's Developmental Model of Personality? Discuss.
- 13. What are the major barriers to communication? Discuss briefly.

 $(3 \times 15 = 45 \text{ marks})$