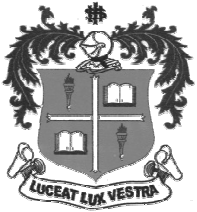


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B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION – ENGLISH LITERATURE

FIFTH SEMESTER – APRIL 2013

EL 5402 - COMMUNICATIVE GRAMMAR OF ENGLISH

Date : 10/05/2013

Dept. No.

Max. : 100 Marks

Time : 1:00 - 4:00

- I. Write an essay on the following topic varying your sentences in different grammatical forms.
(20 marks)

What should be the most productive role of students in the struggle for Sri Lankan Tamils

- II. Write an imaginary interview (10 questions) with the HOD on your expectations on the relevance of subjects prescribed in the new curriculum.
(10 marks)
- III. Write a short speech on the city of Chennai to a group of tourists and underline the adjectives and adverbs used by you.
(10 marks)
- IV. Write an email to your friend on **OVATIONS 2013** and a report on the same topic to a newspaper in formal writing.
(20 marks)
- V. Write a dialogue bet two friends on their career in direct speech and convert them into indirect speech in a paragraph form.
(10 marks)
- VI. Convert the active voice statements in the following news item into passive and identify the passive voice statements and list them :
(10 marks)

Marines likely to serve their prison term in Italy

New Delhi: The Italian marines are escorted by Italy's Deputy Foreign Minister Staffan de Mistura on a military special aircraft. Sources say there is a possibility that the marines could serve their prison term in Italy. There is an agreement between the two countries on the transfer of prisoners. 10:31 am: Reacting to Italy's decision to send back the marines, the Bharatiya Janata Party said it was a result of combined efforts of the Opposition, the government and the Supreme Court. "Must say the combined effort of the Opposition to persuade the government to carry on its diplomacy seems to have worked. The tough stand taken by the Supreme Court also had its impact," BJP leader Rajiv Pratap Rudy said. The government is calling it a diplomatic victory. Minister of State for Home Affairs RPN Singh said,

- VII. Analyse ten common errors committed in the current Indian English in our day to day speech and give the correct forms of them too.
(20 marks)
