LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI - 600 034

B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION – **ECONOMICS**

FIFTH SEMESTER - NOVEMBER 2007

EC 5401 - TAMIL NADU ECONOMY

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Date: 03/11/2007 Dept. No. Max.: 100 Marks
Time: 9:00 - 12:00

PART - A

Answer any FIVE questions in about 75 words each.

 $(5 \times 4 = 20 \text{ marks})$

- 1. Bring out the geographical nature of Tamil Nadu.
- 2. Give an account of sex ratio and density of population in Tamil Nadu.
- 3. Define package Programme.
- Write a short note IRDP.
- 5. Make out a brief resume of Rural banking in Tamil Nadu.
- 6. Define Small Men's Bank.
- 7. What is Rail-road coordination?

PART - B

Answer any FOUR questions in about 250 words each.

 $(4 \times 10 = 40 \text{ marks})$

- 8. Bring out the success and failures of Textile industry in Tamil Nadu.
- 9. State the important role of agriculture in economic development.
- 10. Define agricultural marketing. Bring out the defects of the same. How will you rectify the same?
- 11. Define small scale and cottage industries. Discuss the important role played by automobile industry in Tamil Nadu.
- 12. Compare and contrast budgets of Tamil Nadu 2006 and 2007.
- 13. Evaluate the performance of allied activities of agriculture in Tamil Nadu.
- 14. Bring out the merits and demerits of roadways and railways in Tamil Nadu.

PART - C

Answer any TWO questions in about 900 words each.

 $(2 \times 20 = 40 \text{ marks})$

- 15. Critically examine the working of green revolution in Tamil Nadu.
- 16. Bring out the success and failures of sugar industry and cement industry in Tamil Nadu.
- 17. Examine the performance of anti-poverty programmes in Tamil Nadu.
- 18. How do non-banking and banking financial institutions contributes for the development of backward and rural areas of Tamil Nadu.
