LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 600 034

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

SECOND SEMESTER - APRIL 2017

EC 2501 - MICRO ECONOMICS - II

(12th BATCH ONWARDS)

Date: 04-05-2017 Time: 01:00-04:00 Dept. No.

Max. : 100 Marks

PART - A (5 X 4 = 20 Marks)

Answer any FIVE of the following each answer should not exceed 75 words.

- 1. Define Perfect Competition.
- 2. What is meant by Marginal Productivity?
- 3. Distinguish between Interest and Profit.
- 4. Define Rent.
- 5. What do you mean by Risk?
- 6. Write a short note on Utility Possibility Curve.
- 7. What does Compensation Principle mean?

PART B (4 X 10 = 40 Marks)

Answer any FOUR of the following each answer should not exceed 300 words.

- 8. Explain the factors which determine demand.
- 9. Discuss the factor pricing under Perfect Competition.
- 10. What are the features of Monopoly Market?
- 11. Describe the Ricardian theory of Rent.
- 12. Write short notes on Pareto Optimality and its assumptions.
- 13. Explain the Scitovsky's Paradox.
- 14. Discuss the relationship between Income Distribution and Price System.

PART C (2 X 20 = 40 Marks)

Answer any TWO of the following each answer should not exceed 900 words.

- 15. Elaborate the Marginal Productivity theory of Factor Pricing.
- 16. Briefly explain the Real theories of Interest.
- 17. Critically examine Kaldor-Hicks Compensation Principle.
- 18. Explain the role of prices in different economic systems.
