LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI - 600 034



B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION - **ECONOMICS**

FIFTH SEMESTER - APRIL 2017

EC 5507 - FISCAL ECONOMICS - II

Date: 05-05-2017 Time: 09:00-12:00

Dept. No. Max.: 100 Mark

PART – A (5 x 4 = 20 Marks) Answer any FIVE questions not exceeding 75 words each.

- 1. What do you mean by Personal Income Tax?
- 2. List out the taxes which are levied by the State Government.
- 3. Differentiate between Taxes and Duties.
- 4. What are the various functions of Panchayat Samithies?
- 5. What is a Value Added Tax?
- 6. Write a short note on Union Budget?
- 7. What do you mean by Federal Finance?

PART – B (4 x 10 = 40 Marks) Answer any FOUR questions not exceeding 250 words each

- 8. Explain the Wealth Tax of India.
- 9. Give an account on Sales Tax of India.
- 10. Discuss the functions of Gram Panchayats in India.
- 11. Briefly explain the Excise Duties levied by the Central Government.
- 12. Explain the role of Finance Commissions.
- 13. Critically evaluate the functions and resources of Municipal Corporations.
- 14. Distinguish between Revenue Budget and Capital Budget.

PART – C ($2 \times 20 = 40 \text{ Marks}$) Answer any TWO questions in about 900 words each.

- 15. Evaluate the Taxes which are levied by the Central Government of India.
- 16. Discuss the Causes and Consequences of Deficit Budgeting in India.
- 17. Critically examine the Centre-State Financial Relations of India.
- 18. Analyse the recommendations of the 14th Finance Commission.
