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## **MSCZO-502**

#### **Taxonomy & Evolution**

M.Sc. Zoology (MSCZO)

1st Semester Examination, 2023 (June)

Time: 2 Hours] Max. Marks: 70

**Note:** This paper is of Seventy (70) marks divided into two (02) Sections A and B. Attempt the questions contained in these sections according to the detailed instructions given therein.

#### **SECTION-A**

### (Long Answer Type Questions)

**Note:** Section 'A' contains Five (05) long answer type questions of Nineteen (19) marks each. Learners are required to answer any Two (02) questions only.

 $(2 \times 19 = 38)$ 

**1.** Give a brief history of taxonomy.

- **2.** Write an essay on the importance of taxonomy.
- **3.** Write in detail about the international code of the zoological nomenclature.
- **4.** What is chemotaxonomy? Explain the significant of chemotaxonomy.
- **5.** Definition and basic concepts of biosystematics, taxonomy and classification.

#### **SECTION-B**

### (Short Answer Type Questions)

**Note:** Section 'B' contains Eight (08) short answer type questions of Eight (08) marks each. Learners are required to answer any Four (04) questions only. (4×8=32)

- 1. Write a short note on taxonomy & Evolution.
- **2.** Describe procedure of classification.
- **3.** What do you understand by binomial system of nomenclature?
- **4.** Write notes on significance of taxonomy.

- **5.** Write an essay on Lamarckism.
- **6.** Write short notes on any *two* of the following
  - (a) Mutation.
  - (b) Hardy-Weinberg law of genetic equilibrium.
- **7.** Write short notes on Isolation.
- **8.** Write an essay on natural selection.