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MS-301/HR-2302

Human Resource Planning

Master of Business Administration/P. G. Diploma in Human Resource Management
(MBA-10/12/13/16/17/PGDHRM-10/16/17)
Third/First Semester, Examination, 2018

Time: 3 Hours Max. Marks: 80

Note: This paper is of eighty (80) marks containing three (03) Sections A, B and C. Learners are required to attempt the questions contained in these Sections according to the detailed instructions given therein.

Section-A

(Long Answer Type Questions)

Note: Section 'A' contains four (04) long answer type questions of nineteen (19) marks each. Learners are required to answer *two* (02) questions only.

1. The current business environment has become so turbulent that organizations must plan their human resources. Explain reasons why organizations are more keen on human resource planning?

- "Performance appraisal is not merely for appraisal but is for accomplishment and improvement of performance." Explain. Describe the meaning of performance appraisal and the challenges of performance appraisal.
- 3. What is promotion policy? Describe the essentials of a sound promotion policy. How would you give due weightage to seniority and merit to promotion policy? Explain.
- 4. How will you evaluate the effectiveness of a self development programme? If it is not effective, what steps will you take to make it effective?

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 *four* (04) questions only. Answrs of these quesions must be restricted to two hundred fifty (25) words approximately.

Briefly discuss any four (04) of the following:

- 1. Psychological and Behavioural issues in Human Resource Planning.
- 2. Importance of Selection in Organizations.
- 3. Need for Succession Planning in Organizations.
- 4. Various Guidelines for Effective Human Resource Planning.

- Distinguish between Apprenticeship Training and Vestibule Training.
- 6. Pre-requisites for Introducing Human Resource Information System (HRIS) in an organization.
- 7. Ethical issues involved in Job Design and Job Analysis.
- 8. Various steps involved in Human Resource Accounting.

Section-C

(Objective Type Questions)

Note: Section 'C' contains ten (10) objective type questions of one (01) mark each. All the questions of this section are compulsory.

Fill in the blanks with appropriate words or phrases:

- 1. Human resource planning facilitates the realization of the
- 2. When planning for employment requirements, what must be forecasted.....?
- 4. Increasing the number and variety of tasks assigned to job is called.......

Which of the following statements is True/False?

- 6. The main objective of human resource planning is analyzing the past requirements. (True/False)
- 7. Human resource planning process is implemented within an organization continuously. (True/False)
- 8. Sales forecasting is the process of estimating the quantity and quality of people required to meet future needs of the organization. (True/False)
- 9. Human resource management is employer oriented. (True/False)
- 10. In an organization, research efforts that are made to evaluate current structure of human resource management are classified as human resource assessment. (True/False)