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MS-401/FM-2102

Corporate Tax Planning/Taxation : Direct and Indirect

(नैगमिक कर आयोजन / कराधान : प्रत्यक्ष तथा अप्रत्यक्ष)

Master of Business Administration (MBA-10/12/13/16/17)

Third 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. "Tax Planning is a legal and moral way of Tax Saving." Discuss the statement. What are the objectives of tax planning?
- 2. Enumerate the deductions allowed to be made from 'income from house property'.
- 3. What are the specific provisions as concerned to depreciation and set off of losses and carry forward of losses under the Income Tax Act, 1961?

4. X Limited is a widely held company. It is currently considering a major expansion of its production facilities and the following alternatives are available:

	Alternatives			
Particulars	One	Two	Three	
	(₹)	(₹)	(₹)	
Share Capital	10,00,00,000	4,00,00,000	2,00,00,000	
Debentures (15%)	_	4,00,00,000	3,00,00,000	
Loan from financial institutions				
@ 18%		2,00,00,000	5,00,00,000	

Expected rate of return (before tax) is 25%. The rate of dividend of the company since its inception is not less then 20% and the date of dividend declaration is June 30 every year.

As a tax consultant advise the company which alternative it should opt giving reason.

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.

1. What are perquisites ? Explain with examples of taxable and tax-free perquisites.

- 2. Explain the provisions of Section 80 C of Income Tax Act, 1961 regarding deduction from GTI.
- 3. What is tax deducted at source? Discuss the provisions of TDS in brief.
- 4. Briefly explain the provisions of avoidance of double taxation agreements under the Income Tax Act, 1961.
- 5. Explain how and when tax credit is allowed in respect of Minimum Alternate Tax paid by a company.
- 6. What deductions are allowed in computing taxable profits of a business and also state expenses and losses which are not admissible.
- 7. What deductions are permitted from income from other sources?
- 8. Explain the provisions of Income Tax Act, 1961 in respect of residential status of a Company and Incidence of Tax.

Section-C

(Objective Type Questions)

Note: Section 'C' contains ten (10) objective type questions of one (1) mark each. All the questions of this Section are compulsory.

Indicate whether the following are True or False:

- 1. The year in which income is earned is known as Assessment year.
- 2. Tax evasion is unlawful and punishable.

- 3. Speculative business losses can be set off against any head of income.
- 4. Unlike tax planning, tax management has a limited scope.
- As for as possible depreciation should be calculated on W. D. V. basis for minimising tax incidence.
- 6. Refund of tax not credited to Profit and Loss Account cannot be added to book profits.
- 7. A Limited Liability partnership has perpetual succession.
- 8. The National Defence Fund set up by the Central Govt. is allowed @ 100%.
- 9. It is obligatory to pay advance tax where advance tax is payable ₹ 8,000 or more.
- 10. Dividend received from domestic company is taxable.