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Brand Management

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Time: 3 Hours] Max. Marks: 80

Note: This paper is of Eighty (80) marks divided into three (03) sections A, B and C. 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 any two (02) questions only.

 $(2 \times 19 = 38)$

1. Elaborate various functions of brand and types of brands. Explain with suitable example; how a brand offers a number of benefits to customers and firms.

- **2.** Discuss the importance of building brand image. Explain how to compete with foreign brands.
- **3.** Elaborate the global branding strategies with suitable example and explain the factors measuring brand performance.
- **4.** Explain the concepts, method and types of brand adoption practices and enumerate factors influencing decision for Brand extension.

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.** Explain Strategic brand management process.
- **2.** What is Brand leverage?
- **3.** Define Re-branding.
- **4.** Define Brand Audit.
- **5.** What are Brand extension elements?

- **6.** What is meant by Co-branding?
- 7. What do you understand by brand communication?
- **8.** Explain different types of brand.

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. $(10\times1=10)$

State True of False:

- **1.** A trademark can be registered for a product but not for a service.
- **2.** Demand for a commodity is a function of price.
- **3.** To avoid injuring a company's main business while trading up or down, the firm should use multiple brands.
- **4.** It is risky to use the corporate name as a brand name for a fashion product.
- **5.** Brand selection has shifted somewhat from being less art to becoming more science.

- **6.** A generic brand mark cannot be registered and receives no legal protection.
- 7. According to the updated Trademark Act, to file a trademark application, any firms are no longer required to first put the mark into use in inter-state or foreign commerce but may instead rely on intent to use.
- **8.** Once a brand trademark is registered, the owner's rights are intact for ten years with or without "use."
- **9.** A Private brand makes it possible for a retailer to offer a product at lower price and higher margin.
- **10.** Local branding strategy assumes that market is heterogeneous.