ZOOLOGY

Paper - I

Time allowed : **Three** Hours

Maximum Marks: 200

Question Paper Specific Instructions

Please read each of the following instructions carefully before attempting questions:

There are EIGHT questions in all out of which FIVE are to be attempted.

Questions no. 1 and 5 are compulsory. Out of the remaining SIX questions, THREE are to be attempted selecting at least ONE question from each of the two Sections A and B.

Attempts of questions shall be counted in chronological order. Unless struck off, attempt of a question shall be counted even if attempted partly. Any page or portion of the page left blank in the Question-cum-Answer Booklet must be clearly struck off.

All questions carry equal marks. The number of marks carried by a question/part is indicated against it.

Answers must be written in **ENGLISH** only.

Neat sketches may be drawn, wherever required.

SECTION A

| Q 1. | Write notes on the following in about 150 words each: | | 8×5=40 | |
|-------------|---|-----------------------------------|--------|--|
| | (a) | Metamerism in Annelids | 8 | |
| | (b) | Affinities of Onychophora | 8 | |
| | (c) | Parasitic adaptations in Ascaris | 8 | |
| | (d) | Aerial respiration in bony fishes | 8 | |
| | (e) | Characteristics of Cetaceans | 8 | |

| Q2 . | (a) | Discuss the status of Rhynchocephalia. | 10 |
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| | (b) | Trace the origin of tetrapods. | 15 |
| | (c) | Write a detailed account of diurnal and nocturnal migration in birds. | 15 |
| Q3. | (a) | Describe the function of testosterone and estrogen in man. | 10 |
| | (b) | Write an essay on the parental care in Amphibians. | 15 |
| | (c) | Give an illustrative account of the appendicular skeleton of a bony fish. | 15 |
| Q4. | (a) | Discuss the terrestrial locomotion in vertebrates. | 20 |
| | (b) | Give a comparative account of the arterial loops in Reptiles and | 20 |

SECTION B

| Q 5. | Writ | e notes on the following in about 150 words each: 8×5 | =40 |
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| | (a) | Biomes | 8 |
| | (b) | Sign Stimuli | 8 |
| | (c) | Modern Apiculture | 8 |
| | (d) | Acquired Immunodeficiency Syndrome | 8 |
| | (e) | Measure of Central Tendency | 8 |
| Q6. | (a) | What do you understand by Population Dynamics? Explicate the phenomenon in Fisheries and Wildlife management. | 20 |
| | (b) | Give a comprehensive account of an oil-seed pest, emphasizing its effects and management. | 20 |
| Q7. | (a) | Define ethology and describe "group living" in animals. | 20 |
| | (b) | What is CFC? Give an account of the consequences of ozone layer depletion in the environment. | 20 |
| Q8. | (a) | Describe the application of Regression Analysis after Least Square Method citing biological examples. | 20 |
| | (b) | What is Electron Microscope? Describe the principle and applications of SEM. | 20 |