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#### THIRD SEMESTER BA DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2022

(Regular/Improvement/Supplementary)

#### **ECONOMICS: COMPLEMENTARY COURSE FOR MASS COMMUNICATION**

GECO3C03T: ESSENTIALS OF ECONOMICS-MONEY, BANKING, FINANCE AND TRADE

Time: 1 ½ Hours Maximum Marks: 40

# SECTION A: Answer the following questions. Each carries *two* marks. (Ceiling 12 Marks)

- 1. Define equation of exchange.
- 2. What is stagflation?
- 3. Write a note on FRBM Act.
- 4. How does open market operation brings price stability?
- 5. Distinguish between public and private finance.
- 6. What are the objectives of fiscal policy?
- 7. Differentiate between internal and external trade.

# SECTION B: Answer the following questions. Each carries *five* marks. (Ceiling 18 Marks)

- 8. Elaborate the recommendations of the 14<sup>th</sup> Finance Commission.
- 9. Explain the causes and effects of inflation.
- 10. How does devaluation and revaluation of currency affect export?
- 11 Discuss the functions of commercial banks.
- 12. Examine trade as an engine of growth.

### SECTION C: Answer any one question. Each carries ten marks

- 13. Discuss the instruments of monetary policy.
- 14. Evaluate the Principle of Maximum Social Advantage.

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