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**THIRD SEMESTER M.Sc. DEGREE (REGULAR/SUPPLEMENTARY)
EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2023**

(CBCSS)

Forensic Science

FSC 3E 15—QUESTIONED DOCUMENTS AND FORENSIC ACCOUNTING

(2020 Admission onwards)

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 30 Weightage

I. Answer any *four* of the following. Short Answer Type Questions. Weightage 2 :

- 1 What are holographic documents ?
- 2 What are charred documents ?
- 3 Give the meaning and making of screen prints.
- 4 Give the characteristics of a printout made from an ink jet printer.
- 5 What are the important aspects of forensic auditing in determining illegal money trail ?
- 6 How are invisible writing made ?
- 7 Give the causes for non-age related variation in handwriting.

(4 × 2 = 8 weightage)

II. Answer any *four* of the following. Short Essay Type Questions. Weightage 3 :

- 8 Discuss the concept of evolution of individuality of handwriting, according to stages of age of an individual.
- 9 Describe the application of ESDA in document examination.
- 10 What are the types of erasures ?
- 11 Give the method of printing the Indian Currency Notes. Name the places where they are printed.
- 12 Describe the importance of linguistics in determining the identification of an author of an anonymous letter.

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- 13 What constitutes to money laundering ? Name the law for it.
- 14 Describe the term 'Built Up Document'.

(4 × 3 = 12 weightage)

III. Answer any *two* of the following. Long Essay Type Questions. Weightage 5 :

- 15 Describe the method of handwriting comparison to identify the author of a handwritten letter.
- 16 Write a note on the use of the Video Spectral Comparator in detection of alterations, additions and interpolations in a document.
- 17 Write a note on ageing of documents. How are artificially aged documents detected ?
- 18 How is evidence gathered in cases of money laundering and fraud ?

(2 × 5 = 10 weightage)