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BOARD DIPLOMA EXAMINATION, (C-09) MARCH/APRIL—2017 DCE—SIXTH SEMESTER EXAMINATION

TRANSPORTATION ENGINEERING

Time: 3 hours [Total Marks: 80

PART—A

 $3 \times 10 = 30$

Instructions: (1) Answer **all** questions.

- (2) Each question carries three marks.
- (3) Answers should be brief and straight to the point and shall not exceed *five* simple sentences.
- 1. State the functions of IRC.
- **2.** Draw the sketch of cross-section of a road structure and label the components.
- **3.** State the surveys required for fixing alignment.
- **4.** Differentiate between expansion and construction joints.
- **5.** Name the components of permanent way.
- **6.** Distinguish between the following:
 - (a) Points and Crossings
 - (b) Acute crossing and Obtuse crossing
- **7.** What are the main requirements of good crossing?

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- 8. Distinguish between three kinds of alignment for bridges.
- **9.** List the types of piers with sketches.
- **10.** Write any four circumstances where submersible bridges are constructed.

PART—B

 $10 \times 5 = 50$

Instructions: (1) Answer any **five** questions.

- (2) Each question carries ten marks.
- (3) Answers should be comprehensive and the criterion for valuation is the content but not the length of the answer.
- 11. Explain how transported soils by water and wind are formed.
- **12.** (a) Define the term 'alignment'.
 - (b) State the factors influencing selection of alignment for road.
- 13. Explain how the alignment of a hill road is fixed.
- **14.** (a) State the advantages of cement concrete roads.
 - (b) Explain the method of construction of cement concrete road.
- **15.** (a) What is the necessity for sub-surface drainage?
 - (b) Explain clearly how the sub-surface drainage is provided in less permeable area.
- **16.** (a) What is creep in rail? What is its effect? How is it concreted?
 - (b) Explain different types of rail joints with sketches.
- **17.** (a) What is meant by plate laying? List two methods adopted.
 - (b) Explain how the telescopic method is adopted in plate laying.
- **18.** Explain three types of culverts with neat sketches.

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