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## MLIS/I Sem.

## Paper M-106: MARKETING OF LIBRARY AND INFORMATION PRODUCTS AND SERVICES

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Time: 3 hours

Maximum Marks: 70

(Write your Roll No. on the top immediately on receipt of this question paper.)

## Attempt all questions.

- 1. Either, 1-1. What do you understand by the concept of marketing? Discuss, by giving examples, the need for marketing of LIS products and services.
- Or, 1-2. Discuss the core marketing functions as applicable in the field of library and information science. 121/2
- 2. Either, 2-1. Explain the concept consumer-buyer behaviour'. Discuss, by giving examples, which factors affer consumer-buyer behaviour in libraries.
  - Distinguish between 'Marketing' and Or, 2-2. 'Selling' by giving examples. Discuss the role of marketing mix in the marketing of LIS products and services.

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- 3. Either, 3-1. Define the term 'Strategic Planning'.

  Discuss the basic tasks in strategic planning as applicable in marketing of LIS products and services.
  - Or, 3-2. Write an essay on the application of market segmentation concept in library services and products.

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- 4. Either, 4–1. Define the concept 'Marketing Information System'. Discuss its need, use and steps to be involved in designing and developing a MIS for a University library.
- Or, 4-2. Define the term 'Management Consultancy'. Discuss its need and application in libraries. Enumerate the qualities of a 'Management Consultant'. 121/2
- 5. Write notes on any four of the following:
  - (i) Marketing Research
  - (ii) Repackaging of Information
  - (iii) Advertisements in Libraries
  - (iv) Pricing of LIS Products and Services
- (v) E-Marketing
  - (vi) Marketing Ethics.

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