## BACHELOR IN AUDIOLOGY AND SPEECH LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY FIRST YEAR

## PAPER III – INTRODUCTION TO HEARING AND HEARING SCIENCES

Q.P. Code: 802303

Time: Three hours Maximum: 100 Marks

**Answer All questions** 

I. Elaborate on:  $(3 \times 10 = 30)$ 

1. Illustrate the middle ear system with a neat diagram.

- 2. Importance of case history in aiding the diagnosis.
- 3. Explain the scope of audiology as a profession.

II. Write notes on:  $(8 \times 5 = 40)$ 

- 1. TORCH complex.
- 2. Relation between phones and sones.
- 3. Distinguish between outer hair cell and inner hair cell.
- 4. Explain equal loudness contours.
- 5. Function of saccule.
- 6. Explain the procedure and interpretation of Schwabach test.
- 7. What are the different branches of audiology?
- 8. Noise induced hearing loss.

## III. Short answers on: $(10 \times 3 = 30)$

- 1. Define threshold.
- 2. A weighting network.
- 3. Cone of Light.
- 4. Minimal Audible Pressure.
- 5. Binaural summation.
- 6. Action potentials.
- 7. Cortilymph.
- 8. Timbre.
- 9. Pendred syndrome.
- 10. Interpretation of bing test.

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