## B. Sc. 4<sup>th</sup> Semester (Honours) Examination, 2021 GEOLOGY

Course Id: 42013 Course Code: SHGEL-403C-10(T)

Course Title: Phanerozoic Stratigraphy of India

**Time: 1 Hour 15 Minutes** 

**Full Marks: 25** 

The figures in the right-hand side margin indicate full marks.

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

1. Answer *any five* of the following questions:

1x5 = 5

- a. Which volcanic rock mainly constitutes the Decan Trap?
- b. Which stratigraphic succession of India contains Equus sivalensis?
- c. What is the age of the Lameta Formation in the Narmada basin?
- d. Which Phanerozoic basin of India contains the Jalangi Formation?
- e. What is the age of the Permo-Triassic boundary?
- f. Which fossil fuel makes the Lower Gondwana rocks economically important?
- g. Write the name of the volcanic event that occurred at the end of the Cretaceous age in India.
- h. Which stratigraphic succession includes the Dhok Pathan Formation?
- 2. Answer *any two* of the following questions:

5x2 = 10

- a. Write down the Palaeozoic succession of Kashmir.
- b. Furnish the generalized stratigraphic succession of the Assam basin.
- c. Briefly describe the Lower Gondwana flora.
- d. Match the following columns:

i. Ammonite	A. Siwalik
ii. Glossopteris	B. Kutch basin
iii. Karai Shale	C. Jurassic
iv. Rajmahal trap	D. Gondwana
v. Main Boundary Fault	E. Cauvery basin

3. Answer *any one* of the following questions:

10x1 = 10

a. Briefly discuss on palaeoclimate and depositional history of the Gondwana rocks.

5+5=10

b. Write down the Jurassic stratigraphic succession of Kutch providing characteristic fossil assemblages of each unit.