SH-V/Geology-502C-12/19

B.Sc. 5th Semester (Honours) Examination, 2019-20 GEOLOGY

Course ID: 52012 Course Code: SHGEL-502C-12(T)

Course Title: Economic Geology

Time: 1 Hour 15 Minutes Full Marks: 25

The figures in the 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:

 $1 \times 5 = 5$

- (a) What is an ore?
- (b) What is tenor?
- (c) Define epigenetic ore deposit.
- (d) What is cockade ore?
- (e) Name one important economic mineral occurring in Greenstone belt.
- (f) Define VMS deposit.
- (g) Name a complex ore which can yield two metals.
- (h) What is eluvial placer deposit?
- **2.** Answer *any two* of the following questions:

 $5 \times 2 = 10$

- (a) Compare between stratiform and stratabound ore deposits with examples.
- (b) Describe the important geochemical characteristics of ore forming hydrothermal solution.
- (c) Describe various types of placer deposits.
- (d) Write short notes on (i) porphyry-type deposit, (ii) skarn deposit
- **3.** Answer *any one* of the following questions:

 $10 \times 1 = 10$

- (a) Briefly describe the magmatic processes responsible for the formation of ore deposits.
- (b) Describe the processes of supergene enrichment of base metal sulphide deposits.

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