

## JAIPURIA INSTITUTE OF MANAGEMENT, NOIDA SECTION C ONLY

## THIRD TRIMESTER (Batch 2018-20) END TERM EXAMINATIONS, MARCH 2019

Course Name	Sales Management & Business Development	Course Code	MKT3 02
Max. Time	2 hours	Max. Marks	40

## INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1. Attempt any four questions. All questions carry equal marks.
- 2. Make sure that you are clear and crisp in answers.
- 3. Attach the question paper clearly marked X on questions attempted with answer sheet.
- 1. Why is it necessary to establish sales territories that are approximately equal in sales potential? Why is it important to match the right salesperson with the right territory?
- 2. (a) Why should sales managers conduct job analyses before recruiting salespeople? How is the job description used in managing the sales force?
  - (b) Discuss the basic elements that all initial sales training programs must cover. Are these elements any different from elements of continuous training programs?
- 3. Name some extrinsic and intrinsic rewards that can be used in motivating the sales force. Do you believe that most salespeople can be effectively "steered" by financial compensation? Explain.
- 4. (a) Identify outcome-based, behavior-based, and professional development measures that could be used for sales force performance evaluations. In your opinion, which of these three categories of measures are most important for evaluating salespeople?
  - (b) How will you start your comments to the salespeople, who may be quite defensive about their behavior with regard to selling costs?
- 5. Describe how sales managers can use the latest telecommunications technology and developments in information management to more effectively and efficiently lead and direct the sales force.
- 6. What do you understand by Top-down and Bottom-up forecasting approaches? Which forecasting methods are used under Top-down and Bottom-up approaches and why?
- 7. What are the different sales presentation methods? Which method would you recommend for a water purifier? What are the benefits of using demonstration as a selling tool?