

DOON UNIVERSITY, DEHRADUN

Mid Semester Examination, M. Sc Sixth Semester 2017 School of Social Sciences

Course: SSEI 321 DEVELOPMENT ECONOMICS

Time Allowed: 2Hours

Maximum Marks: 30

Note: Attempt All Questions from Sections A and B and one from Section C.

Section A

Attempt all Questions.

(5x2=10)

- 1. Explain the concept of Economic Development according to Joseph Schumpeter.
- 2. Differentiate between the traditional and modern approach to the concept of **Economic Development**
- 3. What do you understand by PQLI? What are its elements
- 4. What determines the subsistence wage at which the surplus labour is available -for-employment-in-the-capitalist-sector-
- 5. What do you mean by capitalist surplus

Section B

Attempt all Questions.

(4x3=12)

- 1. Explain the positive effects of population growth
- 2. Explain the major issue in the measurement of the per capita income in underdeveloped countries
- 3. Lewis theory applies only to underdeveloped countries. Explain
- 4. What do you mean by demographic transition

Section C

Attempt any one question.

(8x1=8)

- 1. Explain Lewis theory of unlimited supply of labour
- 2. Explain the structural features of underdeveloped countries. Compare them with developed countries