

DOON UNIVERSITY, DEHRADUN-

Mid Semester Examination, Second Semester, 2017

School of Languages-Department of English

M.A. English Second Semester

Course: SLE-506: British Drama II

Time Allowed: 2 Hours

Maximum Marks: 30

Note: Attempt All Questions from Sections A, B, C.

SECTION: A (Short Answer Type Questions/ to be answered in about 25-50 words. Attempt All Questions.)

(Marks: 4)

- 1. An enemy of the people was adapted by which author?
- 2. Name Osborne's first play.
- 3. How does Rosencrantz and Guildenstern attempt to uncover the roots of Hamlet's strange behaviour?
- 4. Name the pioneer of the Theatre of Absurd.

SECTION: B (Short Answer Type Questions to be answered in about 50-100words. Attempt All Questions.)

(Marks: 12)

- 1. Role of language in Endgame?
- 2. A note on similarity between Jimmy Porter and John Osborne
- 3. Significance of the title in Rosencrantz and Guildenstern are Dead.
- 4. Write a brief note on Stockman as "an enemy" in An enemy of the people?

SECTION: C (Long Answer Type Questions to be answered in about 750 words Attempt Any Two Questions.)

(Marks: 14)

- 1. Write a brief note on Theatre of Absurd.
- 2. Discuss what might be the 'essence of human existence' with reference to Endgame.
- 3. Explain the "Angry Young Man Movement" in Look Back in Anger.