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## VI Semester B.Com. Degree (C.B.C.S.S. – Supplementary) Examination, April 2023 (2017 to 2018 Admissions) Core Course 6B18COM : FINANCIAL MARKETS AND SERVICES

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 40

### PART - A

- I. Answer all questions. Each carries 1/2 mark.
  - 1) CRA stands for
  - 2) Life Insurance Corporation of India was established in
  - 3) Factor charges a \_\_\_\_\_\_ to serve the seller and bear the risk.
  - 4) Stock brokers are to be a registered with

PART – B

- II. Answer any four questions. Each carries one mark.
  - 5) Define financial system.
  - 6) What is a call money market?
  - 7) What is Repo?
  - 8) What are bills discounting ?
  - 9) What is a commercial paper ?
  - 10) What is meant by depository services ?

 $(4 \times 1 = 4)$ 

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#### PART – C

- III. Answer any six questions (not exceeding one page). Each carries three marks.
  - 11) What are capital market intermediaries ?
  - 12) What is factoring ? What are its procedures ?
  - 13) Differentiate a merchant banker from a commercial banker.
  - 14) What is the limitations of Indian financial system ?
  - 15) What are the functions of stock exchange ?
  - 16) What are the benefits of participation in a depository ?
  - 17) What is money market mutual fund ? Explain.
  - 18) What are the functions of CRISIL?

# PART - D

IV. Answer any two questions. Each carries eight marks.

- 19) What is venture capital ? What are its features ?
- 20) Distinguish between primary market and secondary market.
- 21) What are the advantages and disadvantages of mutual funds ?

 $(2 \times 8 = 16)$ 

 $(6 \times 3 = 18)$