A ANDHRA UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF DISTANCE EDUCATION MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION (Old Regulations) III YEAR ASSIGNMENT QUESTION PAPER 2010-11

B 302: SALES AND ADVERTISING MANAGEMENT

Assignment No 1

Answer All Questions:

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- 1. "Sales Forecasting is the corner stone for successful sales planning". Discuss and explain the different techniques for forecasting sales.
- 2. Explain the process for Recruiting salesman and identify the sources from which you can recruit salesmen for the following products.
 - a) Industrial Goods,
 - b) FMCG
 - c) Pharmaceuticals
- 3. What techniques would you adopt for motivating of salesman? Discuss both the financial and non-financial incentives.
- 4. Name a product and three media that would mix well together to advertise the product. Defend your media mix choices.
- 5. Explain the process of communication selling and discuss the importance of Integrated Marketing Communication (IMC)

Assignment No 2

Answer All Questions:

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- 1. Explain the importance of Sales Promotion and the difference between Consumer and Dealer Promotion offers with suitable examples.
- 2. "Advertising forces people to buy products that they do not need for want" Explain whether advertising is desirable for an economy.
- 3. Why is it necessary to evaluate the effectiveness of Advertising? Explain some of the techniques used for pre-testing of an advertising copy.
- 4. What is an advertising agency? What are the services provided by an advertising agency?
- 5. What techniques would you adopt for motivating of salesman? Discuss both the Financial and non-financial incentives.