# **Tertiary and Vocational Education Commission**

## **NVQ Level 05 – Semester II**

# **Construction Technology**

**Building Technology - 01** 

F45C001M09

**Three Hours** 

Answer any five (05) questions only

# **Question-01**

- a. Suggest the best type of foundation type if you have to construct a high rise building in the marshland. Justify your answer. (05 marks)
- b. Define the meanings of **job layout** and **site clearance** in construction sites. (05 marks)
- c. Name any five building components with their functions. (10 marks)

#### **Question-02**

- a. Discuss the similarities and differences between **clay bricks** and **cement blocks**. (05 marks)
- b. Do a comparison between load bearing structure and framed structure through any four points. (08 marks)
- c. State any eight (08) characteristics of good **random rubble**. (04 marks)
- d. Define the meanings of **substructure and superstructure** of the building. List out their components also. (03 marks)

#### **Question-03**

- a. Draw a neat and labeled sketch of **fully paneled door** in elevation for an opening size of 1200mm x 2200mm. (3 designs with approximate scale) (10 marks)
- b. Express the functions of the **window sill** and the **lintel** in wall. (04 marks)
- c. Suggest a suitable type of window for the building types and building elements mentioning below,
  - Cinema hall
  - School
  - Enclosed staircase
  - Bathroom
  - Cement blind wall
  - Sloping roof (06 marks)

### **Question-04**

- a. State that the five factors influence for the selection of **good formwork**. (05 marks)
- b. Draw a neat labeled diagram and name the parts of a proposed **beam** with the size of 300mm x 450mm. (07 marks)
- c. State any four precautions to be taken while **plastering**. (04 marks)
- d. Suggest any four precautions to be taken during **demolition** of existing buildings work.

(04 marks)

#### **Question-05**

- a. Design and sketch the plan and elevation of a **dog-legged shaped staircase**. Consider the floor to floor height of the building as 3m. (08 marks)
- b. Define the terms of **Newel post** and **Headroom** in vertical transportation. (04 marks)
- c. Explain four defects occurring in plastering with neat sketches. (08 marks)

### **Question-06**

- a. Separately describe the **procedures** and **importance** of water proofing in building construction used on concrete surfaces such as concrete roof top, concrete water tank and concrete slab etc. (08marks)
- b. Enlist any four types of **floor finishes**. (04 marks)
- c. State four names of the **pitched roof** types with its angles. Provide justifications for each roof types. (04 marks)
- d. Write down the necessities / requirements of having 'Scaffolding and Shoring' in construction fields. (04 marks)