B. A. DEGREE (C.B.C.S) EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2022

(2021 Admissions Regular,2020 Admissions Supplementary/Improvement,2019 & 2018 Admissions Supplementary)

SEMESTER III - CORE COURSE (BHARATHANATYAM) BH3B05B18 - EVOLUTION OF BHARATHANATYAM

Time: 3 Hours Maximum Marks: 80

Part A

I. Answer any Ten questions. Each question carries 2 marks

(10x2=20)

- 1. Write about the author of Silapathikaaram.
- 2. Write about Devadasi abolition act.
- 3. Name the deity and flower of Kurinji landscape.
- 4. Name any four literature from Chera Period.
- 5. Write a short note about the religions of Pandya dynasty.
- 6. What was the economic status of Chera?
- 7. Name the 4 Nayakas of Dance.
- 8. Write Rangadevasthuthi.
- 9. Write any 4 compositions of Balasaraswathi in Bharathanatyam.
- 10. Name any two legends from Melattur Bani.
- 11. What are the main features of Vazhvoor Bani?
- 12. Explain the relationship between Vadivelu and Swathi Tirunaal Maharaja.

Part B

II. Answer any Six questions. Each question carries 5 marks

(6x5=30)

- 13. Explain 'Thinnais' (Landscapes).
- 14. Write a short note about the landscape Marutham.
- 15. Define the term Chola Literature.
- 16. Explain the specialties of Chola Sculptures.
- 17. "Sringara stands supreme in the range of emotions ",Balasaraswathi.-Evaluate the statement.
- Write the contributions of Dr.Padma Subrahmanyam in the field of performing arts.
- 19. What are the major differences between the Repertoire of Tanjore Bani and Mellattur Bani?
- 20. Brief account of Vazhavoor Ramaiyya Pillai?
- 21. Write a short note on Vazhavoor Bani.

Part C

III. Answer any Two questions. Each question carries 15 marks

(2x15=30)

- 22. Write the notations of any Thillana and Jathiswaram that learned.
- 23. Explain the contributions of Tanjore brothers to the field of arts.
- 24. Write an essay about any two exponents of Bharathanatyam.
- 25. Define any four: a) Sabdam b) Keerthnam c) Padam d) Ashtapadi e)Thillana