M.Sc., MEDICAL PHYSICS DEGREE EXAMINATION (Revised Regulations for Candidates admitted from 2010-2011 Batch onwards) FIRST YEAR PAPER VI – PHYSICS OF MEDICAL IMAGING

Q.P. Code: 284016

Time: Three hours Maximum: 100 marks

I. Elaborate on : $(2 \times 20 = 40)$

1. Discuss in detail the principles of image formation in computed tomography scanner. Describe the various generations CT scanner with special emphasis on multislice CT.

- 2. a) Explain in detail the principles and working of a rotating anode x-ray tube.
 - b) Discuss about the various reasons for x-ray tube failure.
 - c) Briefly discuss about the z-axis flying focal spot.

II. Write notes on: $(10 \times 6 = 60)$

- 1. Factors affecting image quality in CT
- 2. Signal encoding in MRI
- 3. Radiographic film
- 4. Modulation Transfer Function.
- 5. Artefacts in computed radiography
- 6. Gradient echo sequence
- 7. Direct digital radiography
- 8. Mammography equipment
- 9. Types of radiographic grids
- 10. Write a short note on digital subtraction angiography
