# M.S. DEGREE EXAMINATION BRANCH IV – E.N.T.

#### PAPER I – APPLIED BASIC SCIENCES IN OTO RHINO LARYNGOLOGY

O.P. Code: 222230

Time: Three Hours Maximum: 100 Marks

## Write Notes on:

I. ANATOMY:  $(4 \times 5 = 20)$ 

- 1. Cavernous sinus communications.
- 2. Petrous part of temporal bone.
- 3. Larynx of an infant.
- 4. Pterygopalatine fossa.

### II. PHYSIOLOGY: $(4 \times 5 = 20)$

- 1. Perilymph.
- 2. Alternate taste pathway.
- 3. Physiology of olfaction.
- 4. Theories of phonation.

## III. BIO-CHEMISTRY: $(3 \times 5 = 15)$

- 1. Biochemical changes after tracheostomy.
- 2. Iron metabolism.
- 3. Proteins in nasal secretions.

# IV. PHARMACOLOGY: $(3 \times 5 = 15)$

- 1. Corticosteroids.
- 2. Drug induced ototoxicity.
- 3. Chemotherapeutic drugs used in head and neck cancers.

#### V. PATHOLOGY: $(3 \times 5 = 15)$

- 1. Sjogren's syndrome.
- 2. Acoustic neuroma.
- 3. Paraganglioma of head and neck.

#### VI. MICROBIOLOGY: $(3 \times 5 = 15)$

- 1. Actinomyces.
- 2. Life cycle of rhinosporidiosis.
- 3. Mucor mycosis.

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