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Third Semester B. Arch. Degree Examination, Dec.2016/Jan.2017
History of Architecture II

Max. Marks:100

Time: 3 hrs.

Note: 1. Answer any FIVE full questions
2. Draw relevant sketch.

- 1 a. Briefly explain the origin of Dravidian temple with examples. (10 Marks)
b. Briefly explain the origin of indo Aryan temple with examples. (10 Marks)
- 2 Why is the Vaikuntaperumal temple at Kancheepuram considered as a milestone in the evolution of Dravidian temple? Explain. (20 Marks)
- 3 a. Briefly state the contribution of Cholas to Dravidian architecture. (05 Marks)
b. Sketch the plan and view of Brihadeshwara temple at Tanjavur. (15 Marks)
- 4 a. Explain the characteristics of the 'star temples' of Hoysalas. (08 Marks)
b. Sketch the plan of Hoysalesvara temple at Halebid and state its features. (12 Marks)
- 5 a. Briefly state the characteristics of Orissan temples. (08 Marks)
b. Sketch the plan and section of Lingaraja temple at Bhubaneshwar. (12 Marks)
- 6 a. Briefly state the features of Hindu architecture at Rajputana with the help of one example. (10 Marks)
b. Sketch the plan and side elevation of the Surya temple at Modhera, naming all the parts. (10 Marks)
- 7 a. Why is it said that the Khajuraho group represents the climax of Indio – Aryan style? Explain. (08 Marks)
b. Sketch the plan and side elevation of Khandariya Mahadev temple at Khajuraho. (12 Marks)
- 8 a. Briefly state the special features of the Vijayanagar temples. (08 Marks)
b. Sketch the layout of the temple town of Srinangam and mention its salient features. (12 Marks)

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important note : 1. On completing your answers, compulsorily draw diagonal cross lines on the remaining blank pages.
2. Any revealing of identification, appeal to evaluator and/or equatorial writing of 10 x 50 will be treated as malpractice