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Third Semester B.Arch. Degree Examination, June/July 2015 History of Architecture - II

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks:10

Note: 1. Answer any FIVE full questions.

- 2. Draw relevant and neat sketches.
- 3. Sketches carry 50% weightage
- a. Explain the Evolution of Hindu Temple "Shikhara" with an example each at Bheetargaon and Deogarh. (15 Marks)
 - b. Explain the following Temple terminologies with one/two sentences (sketch is not required)
 i) Girbha Griha ii) Vimana iii) Pradakshina Patha iv) Anatarala v) Mandapa.
 (05 Marks)
- 2 Write short notes on the following (any four).
 - a. Dharmaraja Ratha.
 - b. Bheema Ratha.
 - c. Draupadi Ratha.
 - d. Nakula Sahadeve Ratha.
 - e. Arjuna Penance.

(20 Marks)

- 3 Elaborately explain the geometric proportions adopted by CHOLA Rulers in Brihadeshwara Temple at Tanjore, along with the discussions of its Vimana. (20 Marks)
- Discuss the Pandyan contributions on the glorification of Gopurams showing evolution of form and purpose of the structure along its ornamentation. (20 Marks)
- 5 Elaborately discuss the characteristics of Indo Aryan Temples at Orissa with plan and elevation. (20 Marks)
- Discuss the salient features of "Khajuraho Group of Temples" (Architectural significance) with an example.

 (20 Marks)
- 7 a. Elaborate the design features of Hoysala temples at Belur.

(10 Marks)

b. Sketch the plan and view of Kesava temple at Somnathpur.

(10 Marks)

8 Emphasize the glory of Vijayanagara dynasty on its temple Architecture, with an example.
(20 Marks)
