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Fourth Semester MBA Degree Examination, June/July 2018 Mergers, Acquisitions and Corporate Restructuring

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks:100

(07 Marks)

Note: Answer any FOUR questions from Q.No.1 to Q.No.7.

- What is Bootstrap game (03 Marks)
- Explain Demerger 2 (03 Marks)
- Explain Hubris Hypothesis of corporate takeovers. 3 (03 Marks)
- Mention Porter's Five Forces. (03 Marks)
- What is meant by equity curve out? (03 Marks)
- What is purchase consideration? (03 Marks)
- Describe tender offer. How it differs from open market purchase of stock? (03 Marks)

SECTION - B

Note: Answer any FOUR questions from Q.No.

- Explain the different types of merger. (07 Marks)
- 2 Explain BCG matrix and its importance. (07 Marks)
- What is MLP? Explain its types. 3 (07 Marks)
- Discuss five stage model of merger process. (07 Marks)
- What is meant by 'synergy' of a merger? Explain its types. (07 Marks)
- Differentiate between Pooling of Interest method and Purchase method of Accounting. (07 Marks)

SECTION - C

Critically examine the SEBI takeover code.

Note: Answer any FOUR questions from Q.No.1 to Q.No.7.

- Explain the theories of merger. (10 Marks)
- Explain the need for corporate restructuring in the present day scenario. (10 Marks)
- Explain the key due diligence activities in a merger and acquisition transaction. (10 Marks)



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4 Explain various takeover defenses available to target company.

(10 Marks)

5 What common mistakes do companies make during W& A transaction?

(10 Marks)

6 Discuss the legal process relating to approval of merger.

(10 Marks)

7 Explain managerial challenges in mergers and acquisitions.

(10 Marks)

CASE STUDY – [Compulsory]

The H Ltd wants to acquire T Ltd. The balance sheet of T Ltd as on March 31 (current year) has

the following assets and liabilities:

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Liabilities	Amt	Assets	Amt		
	(Rs. in lakh)		(Rs. in lakh)		
Equity share capital	400	Cash	10		
(4 lakh shares of Rs.100 each)	j.	Debtors	65		
Retained earnings	100	Inventories	135		
10.50% debentures	200	Plant & Equipment	650		
Creditors and other liabilities	160				
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Additional information:

i) The shareholders of 'T' Ltd, will get 1.5 share in 'H' Ltd, for every 2 shares: The shares of the 'H' Ltd would be issued at its current market price of Rs.180 per share. The debenture holders will get 11% debentures of the same amount. The external liabilities are expected to be settled at Rs.150 lakh. Dissolution expenses of Rs.15 lakh are to be net by the acquiring company.

ii) The following are projected incremental free cash flows (FCFF) expected from acquisition

for 6 years (Rs. in lakh):

Year end 1	Rs.150
2	Rs.200
3	Rs.260
4	Rs.300
5	Rs.220
6	Rs.120

iii) The free cash flow of 'T' Ltd is expected to grow at 3% per annum, after 6 years.

iv) Given the risk complexion of 'T' Ltd, cost of capital relevant for 'T' Ltd, cost of capital relevant for 'T' Ltd cash flows has been decided @ 13%.

v) There is unrecorded liability of Rs.20 lakh.

Advise the company regarding financial feasibility of the acquisition.

Note: PV @ 13%

1 = 0.885, 2 = 0.783, 3 = 0.693, 4 = 0.613, 5 = 0.543, 6 = 0.480.

(20 Marks)