SHRIMATHI DEVKUNVAR NANALAL BHATT VAISHNAV COLLEGE FOR WOMEN (AUTONOMOUS) (Affiliated to the University of Madras and Re-accredited with 'A+' Grade by NAAC) Chromepet, Chennai — 600 044. B.Sc. (PBPB) END SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS NOVEMBER - 2023 SEMESTER - V 20UPBCT5010 - Taxonomy of Angiosperms and Economic Botany

Total Duration : 2 Hrs 30 Mins.

Total Marks : 60

Section B

Answer any **SIX** questions $(6 \times 5 = 30 \text{ Marks})$

- 1. List the rules of Binomial Nomenclature.
- 2. Sketch and explain on inflorescence and its types.
- 3. How will you identify a species of Asclepiadaceae family?
- 4. Describe the cultivation of rice, highlighting the agroclimatic conditions required, soil types and nutritional requirements needed for good field.
- 5. Enumerate the stamen classification proposed by Carolus Linnaeus.
- 6. Outline the APG-III system of classification adding a note on merits and demerits.
- 7. Explain the economic importance of Euphorbiaceae family.
- 8. Outline the techniques used in extraction of rubber from Hevea braziliensis.

Section C

Answer any **THREE** questions $(3 \times 10 = 30 \text{ Marks})$

- 9. Describe the techniques used in preparation of herbarium.
- 10. Botanists prefer Bentham & Hooker system of classification to identify a plant. Justify the statement with a neat sketch.
- 11. Compare the family characters of Papilionaceae, Caesalpiniaceae and Mimosaceae.
- 12. Discuss the diagnostic features of the family Orchidaceae with neat sketches.
- 13. Explain the extraction methods of cotton and list its uses.
