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. M.A (HRM) END SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS NOVEMBER - 2023 SEMESTER - III **17PHRCT3A10 - Strategic Management**

Total Duration : 2 Hrs. 30 Mins.

Total Marks : 60

Section B

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

- 1. Explain the roles and responsibilities of Board of Directors.
- 2. Align the various types of business policies.
- 3. Discuss briefly about the strategic management process.
- 4. Describe a) Dupont's control model and b) Balanced Score Card.
- 5. Discuss about a) Strategic leadership and b) Corporate culture.
- 6. Write an account on generic and competitive strategies.
- 7. Write a note on Environmental scanning.
- 8. Give examples and enlighten the roles and skills required for top manager.

Section C

I - Answer any **TWO** questions $(2 \times 10 = 20 \text{ Marks})$

- 9. Synthesis of external factors are the major factors in environmental analysis Justify the statement.
- 10. Discuss in detail, the 7S framework of strategic management with the help of a neat illustration.
- 11. Explain the methodology of strategy implementation with a real example.
- 12. Incorporate SWOT Audit and explain various techniques to analyze the environment.

II - Compulsory question $(1 \times 10 = 10 \text{ Marks})$

13. Take a firm of your choice. Discuss how competitive advantage is developed and sustained over a long period of time.
