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.(Eco) END SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS NOVEMBER - 2023 SEMESTER - II 22PECCT2008 - Development Economics

Total Duration : 2 Hrs. 30 Mins.

Total Marks : 60

Section B

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

- 1. What are the various stages of Development?
- 2. Explain Technical Progress.
- 3. Explain Economic Reform in India.
- 4. Mention the various social obstacles to Development.
- 5. Write a brief note on Sustainable Development.
- 6. Distinguish between Balanced and Unbalanced Growth.
- 7. Explain Social Welfare Function.
- 8. What are Development Banks?

Section C

- I Answer any **TWO** questions $(2 \times 10 = 20 \text{ Marks})$
- 9. Examine the characteristics of Underdevelopment and Structural Change.
- 10. Elucidate the role of Agriculture in Economic Development.
- 11. Explain in detail Critical Minimum Effort Thesis.
- 12. Discuss about the various Choices of Techniques.

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

13. Discuss the role of Micro-credit in Economic Development.
