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## MANIPAL UNIVERSITY

## FIRST SEMESTER B. ARCH. DEGREE EXAMINATION – NOVEMBER 2015 SUBJECT: ARC 109 – HISTORY OF BUILT ENVIRONMENT – I (2014 SCHEME)

Wednesday, November 18, 2015

Time: 10:00 - 13:00 Hrs.

Max. Marks: 50

- Answer any FIVE of the following.
- Support your answers with sketches wherever required.
- 1A. Explain any six Planning and Architectural characteristics of a typical Indus Valley town. Draw sketches wherever relevant.
- 1B. Discuss the economy and society in the town of Harappa.

(6+4 = 10 marks)

- 2A. Write briefly about Stepped Pyramid. Illustrate with sketches.
- 2B. Describe the different spaces and their architectural characteristics in a typical house of Ur. Support your answer with neat sketches.

(4+6 = 10 marks)

- 3A. Describe in brief the typical architectural characteristics of the Roman Forum. Illustrate with sketches the Forum of Trajan in Rome.
- 3B. Explain with neat sketches at least two architectural features of Temple of Heaven at Peking in Beijing.

(6+4 = 10 marks)

4. With the help of neat sketches explain the basic planning principles of Ancient Greece.

(10 marks)

- 5A. Discuss the geography and the planning of Inca Civilization. Support your answer with neat sketches.
- 5B. What was the significance of causeways in Mayan Cities?

(7+3 = 10 marks)

- 6. Write short notes on any **FOUR** of the following. Support your answer with sketches wherever required.
- 6A. Bent Pyramid
- 6B. Ishtar Gate
- 6C. Hanging Garden
- 6D. Greek Orders
- 6E. Great Bath

 $(2\frac{1}{2} \text{ marks} \times 4 = 10 \text{ marks})$