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Program: Diploma in Information Technology / Computer Engineering Full Marks: 40
Year/Part: III/I [New Course] Pass Marks: 16
Subject: **Technical English** Time: 1.5 hrs

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Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable. The figures in the margin indicates full marks.

Attempt All Questions.

1. Read the passage carefully and answer the questions below. [4]

The kingdom of Nepal is situated to the north-east of Patna, at the distance of ten or eleven days journey from that city. The common road to it lies through the kingdom of Makawanpur, but the missionaries and many other persons enter it on the Bettiah quarter. Within the distance of four days journey from Nepal, the road is good in the plains of Hindustan but in the mountains it is bad, narrow and dangerous. At the foot of the hills the country is called Terai, and there the air is very unwholesome from the middle of March to the middle of November, and people in their passage catch a disorder called in the language of the country Aul, which is a putrid fever, and of which the generality of people who are attacked with it die within a few days; but on the plains there is no apprehension of it. Although the road be very narrow and inconvenient for three or four days at the passes of the hills, where it is necessary to cross and recross the river more than fifty times, yet, on reaching the interior mountains before you descend, you have an agreeable prospect of the extensive plain of Nepal, resembling an amphitheater covered with populous town and village the circumference of the plain is about 200 miles, a little irregular and surrounded by hills on all sides, so that no person can enter or come out of it without passing the mountains.

- a) What is the condition of road in the mountain?
- b) What is Aul and who are supposed to be its victims?
- c) What kind of air do you find in Terai?
- d) What is necessary to do with the river?

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2. Summarise the above paragraph to inform its main ideas in about one third of its size. [4]

3. Give similar or the nearest meaning of the following terms. [5]
Overcome, Euphoric, Cruel, Chap, Cottage

4. Predicting the content is very necessary and beneficial to the students. How can we predict any content to have the early impression or understanding of a text? [5]
5. Write a letter to the editor of a newspaper about the IT Company that has become more commercial and has forgotten all the promises made to its customers in your home town. [6]
6. Write a thanks speech for the party you are hosted by your friend on the occasion of his tenth marriage anniversary. [5]
7. Write with examples, the different ideas of forming words in English. [6]
8. A technical report is the different than a non-technical report. Write all the steps that are used to write a technical report. [5]

Good Luck !

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