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Sixth Semester B.Arch. Degree Examination, June/July 2015 **Building Services - IV**

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks: 100

Note: Answer any FIVE full questions, selecting THREE from Part – A and TWO from Part - B.

PART - A

- 1 Write short notes on:
 - a. Frequency of sound
 - b. Sound intensity
 - c. Decibel scale
 - d. Inverse square law.

(20 Marks)

- 2 a. With a neat sketch explain how sound behaves in enclosed space.
- (10 Marks)

b. Explain the various space acoustic defects.

(10 Marks)

What is reverberation? Explain its relevance in acoustics?

(10 Marks)

Explain Sabire's equation.

(10 Marks)

- Write short notes on:
 - a. Sound absorption coefficient
 - b. Helmholtz resonater
 - c. Vibration isolation
 - d. Space absorbers.

- (20 Marks)
- As the architect of a proposed auditorium, what would be your recommendations with respect to:
 - a. Room geometry
 - b. Visibility
 - c. Audibility
 - d. Acoustic treatment.

(20 Marks)

PART - B

- 6 Discuss noise control measures applicable in outdoor urban noise control.
- (20 Marks)

- 7 Write short notes on :
 - a. sound masking
 - b. Transmission loss
 - c. Noise reduction co-efficient (NRC)
 - d. Floating floor construction.

(20 Marks)

- 8 Explain the following:
 - a. Noise control in office buildings.

(10 Marks)

b. Control of noise generated by HVAC system.

(10 Marks)

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