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Fourth Semester B.Arch. Degree Examination, Dec.2015/Jan.2016
History of Architecture – III

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks:100

Note: Answer any FIVE full questions.

- 1 Describe the beginnings of Islamic Architecture in India, including the features of the Quwat-ul-Islam mosque. (20 Marks)
- 2 a. Elaborate on the features of the IMPERIAL STYLE. (08 Marks)
b. What was the technique used to provide a circular dome over a square plan? Explain with Tomb of Iluttmish as example. (12 Marks)
- 3 a. What is 'Provincial style'? (08 Marks)
b. How was the Islamic Architecture of Beagal different from other provincial styles? Explain with two examples. (12 Marks)
- 4 a. What is a RAUZA? (06 Marks)
b. What are the architectural features and style of the Ibrahim Rauza at Bijapur? (14 Marks)
- 5 a. Why is Mughal Architecture considered the zenith of Islamic Architecture in India? (10 Marks)
b. With the help of sketches, describe the architectural features of HUMAYUN's TOMB. (10 Marks)
- 6 Elaborate on the TAJ MAHAL as an example of the synthesis of the Persian and Indian architectural traditions. (20 Marks)
- 7 Describe the characteristic features of St.Paul cathedral in Kolkata and the style of architecture it represents. (20 Marks)
- 8 Describe in detail the major landmarks and layout of Lutyens' Delhi. (20 Marks)

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Important Note : 1. On completing your answers, compulsorily draw diagonal cross lines on the remaining blank pages.
2. Any revealing of identification, appeal to evaluator and/or equations written eg. 42+8 = 50, will be treated as malpractice.