EG-05

June - Examination 2018

BA Pt. III Examination

Poetry and Drama - III

Paper - EG-05

Time: 3 Hours [Max. Marks: - 100

Note: The question paper is divided into three sections A, B and C. Write answers as per given instructions.

Section - A

 $10 \times 2 = 20$

(Very Short Answer Questions)

Note: Answer all the questions in not more than 30 words each

- 1) (i) Give the titles of the two religious poems by T.S. Eliot prescribed in your course.
 - (ii) 'I kill where I please because it is all mine'. Name the poem from which this line has been taken. Name the poet too.
 - (iii) Which are the three female poets that Amy Lowell refers to in 'The Sisters'?
 - (iv) What was the irony of the death of Icarus?
 - (v) By whom was the drowning man saved in the poem 'Crossing of Rivers'.
 - (vi) What is the chief quality of a confessional poet?

- (vii) What do the two anecdotes described in the two African poems prescribed in your course Illustrate?
- (viii) What are 'silence' and 'stillness' in the poem 'Genesis' symbols of?
- (ix) What do you understand by the terms 'Libido'?
- (x) From which two works has the main plot of 'Haya Vadan' taken?

Section - B

 $4 \times 10 = 40$

(Short Answer Questions)

Note: Answer **any four** questions in not more than 200 words.

- 2) Write a critical appreciation of the poem 'To a Shade'.
- 3) Discuss 'Hawk Roosting' as a poem depicting violence and brutality.
- 4) Write a note on the sensuous images presented by Lowell in her poetry.
- 5) In the poem 'Anecdote of the Jar', Stevens portrays the complex relationship of human to nature. Discuss.
- 6) A poem must be real, not realism, but reality itself. Discuss with reference to 'The Red Wheelbarrow'.
- 7) Write a note on the theme of the poem 'In India'.
- 8) Comment on Daruwalla's depiction of Indian English as his 'Mistress'.
- 9) Comment on Kamala Das's belief in the spiritual evolution of man on the basis of the poem 'Ghanshyam'.

Section - C

 $2 \times 20 = 40$

(Long Answer Questions)

Note: Answer **any two** questions in not more than 500 words each.

- 10) Write a detailed note on the use of Irony in 'The Family Reunion'.
- 11) Critically comment on the relevance of the title 'Hayavadan'.
- 12) The poem 'Toads' is a well-argued poem about the external need to work and the inner urge to work. Elaborate.
- 13) Write an essay on Wallace Stevens as a spiritual poet in a secular age with reference to the poems you have read.