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COMMERCE

(Speciality)

Course: 601

(Direct Tax—II)

Time: 3 hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

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Full Marks: 80 Pass Marks: 24

1. (a) Write True or False:

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(i) Any income arising from transfer of long-term capital asset, being shares and the transaction of sale of such securities is entered into a recognised Stock Exchange in India on or after 01.10.2004 shall be fully exempted.

- (ii) Reserve or Provision for bad and doubtful debt will be fully allowed to be debited u/s 36.
- (iii) From the Assessment Year, 2006–07, speculation loss shall be carried forward for 4 succeeding previous years.
- (iv) Income by way of Interest on Securities held as stock-in-trade is taxable under the head income from other sources.
- (b) Fill in the blanks:

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- (i) Income received as rent from sub-letting would be taxable under the head _____.
- (ii) Salary, bonus, interest, commission or remuneration received by a partner and allowed as deduction u/s 40(b) is taxable under the head
- (iii) Long-term capital loss can be carried forward for _____ succeeding previous years to be set off only from long-term capital gains.
- (iv) All those assets to which one rate of depreciation is applicable are known as _____.

- 2. Write short notes on any four of the following:
 - (a) Additional Depreciation [Sec. 32(1) (IIA)]
 - (b) Capital Gains exempted from Tax
 - (c) Deemed Income
 - (d) Specific Incomes [Sec. 56(2)]
 - (e) Difference between Tax Planning and Tax Avoidance
- Act, 1961? Explain charging provisions u/s 28 for the income taxable under the head profit and gains from business and profession.

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Or

(b) From the following Profit & Loss A/c of Mr. Anil, compute business income for the Assessment Year, 2018–19:

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Dr.	Particulars	₹ 60,000	By	Particulars Gross Profit	₹ 4,40,000
To	Salaries Rent	40,000	"	Rent from House Property	60,000
"	Discount Depreciation	10,000 15,000 10,000	n	Interest on Bank Deposits	20,000
n n	Legal Expenses Donations Municipal Taxes Insurance	8,000 4,000 12,000	27	Dividends from Indian Companies Lottery Winnings	15,000 45,000
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To " " " "	Particulars Entertainment Advertising Sales Tax Income Tax Travelling Expense	15,000 24,000 6,000 8,000	Ву	Particulars Bad Debts Recovered	5,000
n	Provision for Bad Debts Net Profit	6,000 3,55,000 5,85,000			5,85,000

Additional Information:

- (i) Salaries include ₹10,000 paid to proprietor's son for his casual help
- (ii) Rent was paid for the godown owned by the proprietor
- (iii) Out of municipal taxes ₹3,000, out of insurance premium ₹2,000 relate to let out house property
- (iv) Allowable depreciation—₹22,000
- (v) Donations were given to an approved institution
- (vi) Advertizing bill was paid through bearer cheque
- Define 'capital gain'. procedure for computation of capital Discuss 4+10=14

Or

Mr. Arindam owns two houses at Jorhat and Dibrugarh. He transfers the (b) following long-term capital assets during 2017-18:

duing -	Residential House	Gold	Silver
Date of sale Sale consideration (*)	Property at Dibrugarh 19.04.2017 9,00,000	20.04.2017	21.04.2017 5,00,000
Indexed cost of acquisition (₹)	4,00,000	6,00,000	1,50,000

Mr. Arindam purchases the following assets:

assets .	Date of purchase	Amount invested
Residential house at Guwahati	20.10.2017	7,50,000
Bonds of National Highway Authority of India (NHAI) for the purpose of Section 54EC	19.10.2017	2,50,000

Ascertain the amount of capital gain chargeable to tax for the Assessment Year, 2018-19. Can Mr. Arindam claim exemptions under Sections 54, 54EC and 54F?

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5. (a) What are the provisions of the Income-tax Act, 1961 regarding set-off of losses? Discuss briefly the provisions of the Income-tax Act regarding the carry forward of loss from business income and capital gain.

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(b) The following are the particulars of income and loss of an individual under different heads of income. Set off losses in the Assessment Year, 2018–19 and find out the Gross Total Income:

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6. (a) Explain the meaning, need and limitations of tax planning.

Or

(b) "A tax planner should have a thorough knowledge of various sources of law relating to the income tax." Discuss.

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