

**Goa Vidyaprasarak Mandal's**  
**GOPAL GOVIND POY RAITURCAR COLLEGE OF COMMERCE AND**  
**ECONOMICS, PONDA-GOA**  
**B. COM. CBCS (SEMERSTER-IV) EXAMINATION, APRIL 2019**  
**BUSINESS ENVIRONMENT**

**Duration: 2 Hours**

**Marks: 80**

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**Instructions:** (i) All questions are compulsory.  
(ii) Figures to the right indicate marks.

**Q. 1 Write short notes, any four:** **(4x4=16)**

- (a) Characteristics of socialist economy, any four.
- (b) Causes of unemployment, any four.
- (c) Economic dualism, any four points.
- (d) Bank rate & its impact on business.
- (e) Define 'Consumer' under the Consumer Protection Act, 1986.
- (f) Objectives of the Right to Information Act, 2005.

**Q. 2 Write short notes, any four:** **(4x4=16)**

- (i) Industrial estates in Ponda taluka of Goa.
- (ii) Promotion of entertainment industry in Goa
- (iii) Importance of NRIs to Goan economy.
- (iv) Responsibility of business to employees.
- (v) Business Groups in Goa, any four.
- (vi) Mhadei Bachao Andolan in Goa.

**Q.3 Point out the factors affecting business environment. Elaborate** **(12)**

**OR**

**Q.3 How monetary policy affects business? Explain.** **(12)**

**Q.4 Comment upon environmental laws in India.** **(12)**

**OR**

**Q.4 Comment upon provisions of the Environmental Protection Act, 1986.** **(12)**

**Q.5 What are consumer rights? Explain.** **(12)**

**OR**

**Q. 5 Outline composition and powers of District Forum under the CPA, 1986.** **(12)**

**Q. 6 Why people oppose industries in Goa. Justify your answer.** **(12)**

**OR**

**Q. 6 Comment upon the socio-economic indicators of Goa.** **(12)**

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