MLISc 1st Semester Examination, 2009 RESOURCE DESCRIPTION

PAPER-IIIA

(Theory)

Full Marks: 40

Time: 2 hours

Answer all questions

The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable

Illustrate the answers wherever necessary

- 1. Write briefly on any *two* of the following: 5+5
 - (a) Canon of Currency vs. Canon of Permanence.

- (b) Unit operations of cataloguing.
- (c) Entities of bibliographic description as enumerated in FRBR.
- (a) Write the steps to be followed in preparing a bibliographic record and relate the steps with the canons of cataloguing as enumerated by Dr. SR Ranganathan with each step.

Or

- (b) (i) What are the essential components of a cataloguing code?
 - (ii) Discuss the different levels of cataloguing code.
- 3. (a) What is FRBR? What are the benefits of FRBR? How FRBR is influencing cataloguing codes?

 4+6+5

(3)

Or

(b) Why is it necessary to organize Internet resources, what are the roles played by the librarians in organizing it? Discuss the different methods of organising Internet resources.

4+4+7