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M.Sc. (Part—I) Semester—II (CBCS Scheme) Examination ZOOLOGY

Paper-V

(Molecular Cell Biology)

Time—Three Hours]

[Maximum Marks-80

- Note: -(1) All questions are compulsory
 - (2) All questions carry equal marks.
 - (3) Illustrate your answers with suitable diagrams wherever necessary.
- 1. Give an account of the following:
 - (a) Proteins of biomembranes.
 - (b) Membrane potential.
 - (c) Cell-matrix adhesion.
 - (d) Active transport.

OR

- (e) Structural components of basal lamina.
- (f) Trasporters.
- (g) Collagens.
- (h) Facilitated diffusion.

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| 2. Describe the modes of cell signal | lıng | aling |
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OR

Describe the G-protein-coupled receptors that activate or inhibit adenylyl cyclase. 16

- 3. Explain the following:
 - (i) Calcium as second messenger.
 - (j) Features of signal transducing systems.
 - (k) Wnt pathway.
 - (1) JAK-STAT pathway.

OR

- (m) Signal transduction in vision.
- (n) Hedgehog pathway.
- (o) cAMP as second messenger.
- (p) Smad pathway.

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Describe the cell cycle checkpoints.

OR

Describe the extrinsic and intrinsic mechanisms of apoptosis.

- 5. Give an account of the following:-
 - (q) Protein export across nuclear membrane.

- (r) Functions of lysosomes.
- (s) Addition of isoprenyl groups as post-translational modification of proteins.
- (t) Termination of protein synthesis in eukaryotes.

OR

- (u) Protein uptake into ER.
- (v) Elongation phase of protein synthesis in eukaryotes.
- (w) Proteolytic processing as post-translational modification of proteins.
- (x) Glycosylation of proteins in ER. 16