Model Answer

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Section-A

Q.1 Objective Types

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Section-B

Q.2

- Introduction: Public Library
- Definition
- Public Library Norms
- Public Library Standards
- Public Library Guidelines
- Public Library Manifesto
- Indian Public Library Standard -
 - 1. Finance

- 2. Library Personnel
- 3. Building
- 4. Design
- 5. Furniture
- Summary and Conclusion

Q.3

- Introduction
- Need of planning
- Planning of Furniture
- Indian library Standards
 - 1. Specification of Library furniture and fittings
 - 2. Design of library buildings- Recommendations
- Summary and Conclusion.

Q.4

- Introduction
- What is public library
- Important features of public library
- Social role of public library
 - 1. Self-education center of the society
 - 2. Community information center
 - 3. Cultural center of society
 - 4. Supporting role of public library in literacy activity
 - 5. As an impartial democratic institution of the society
- Summary and Conclusion

Q.5

- Introduction
- Policy and planning
- Job description
- Human Resource Management-
 - 1. Staffing level
 - 2. Human Resource Management
 - 3. Selection

- 4. Training and development
- 5. The skill of library staff
- 6. Job analysis
- 7. Performance evaluation
- Summary and conclusion.

Q.6

- Introduction
- Application of IT in public library
 - 1. Housekeeping procedure
 - 2. Acquisition
 - 3. Cataloguing
 - 4. Circulation control
 - 5. Bar coding
 - 6. Serials control
 - 7. Information search and retrieval
 - 8. Database design
- Summary and conclusion.

Q.7

- Introduction
- Concept of organisational structure of public library system
 - 1. Definitions
 - 2. Structure
 - 3. Organisation
 - 4. System
 - 5. Component
- Public library structure in India

Pyramidal Structure- 1. The National Library

- 2. The State Central Library
- 3. The District Central Library and
- 4. The Block Library and the Panchayat Library
- Summary and conclusion

Q.8

Introduction

- Public library finance
 - 1. Approaches to Public library financing
 - 2. Sources of Public library finance- Central Government

State Government
Initiative of voluntary organisations

• Summary and Conclusion

Q.9 (i)

- Introduction
- Pre planning
- Planning proper
- Physical planning
- Administration- POSDCORB

Q.9 (ii)

- Introduction
- Planning of library building

Q.9 (iii)

- Introduction
- Physical resources: Building
- Documentary resources: Print materials
