

Instructions to candidates.

Answer All Questions.

Duration: 01 Hour

Number of questions: Four (04) Questions

Mark allocation: 100 marks

- 01)
- i) What is an EIA ? Why is it important to adopt it? (10 marks)
 - ii) List main steps of an EIA process. (05 marks)
 - iii) Briefly describe "Screening" in the EIA process. (10 marks)
- 02) What factors determine the **Price and Market** of mineral commodities? Discuss with examples. (25 marks)
- 03) Discuss your opinion on issues prevailing in the Sri Lankan Mineral industry. (25 marks)
- 04) What are the restrictions on employment of labourers under Mines and Minerals Act No 33 of 1992 of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka? (25 marks)

