BUSINESS ENVIRONMENT

Sem	Subject Code	Category	Lecture		Theory		Practical	Credits
			Hrs P/W	Hrs P/Sem	Hrs P/W	Hrs P/Sem		
VI		Elective – I	5 hrs per week	75	6 hrs per week	75	-	5

OBJECTIVE

To gain knowledge on the whole environment related to the business.

UNIT - I

An Overview of Business Environment – Types – Internal and External, Micro and Macro – Environmental Analysis and Strategies Management – Techniques of Environmental Analysis – Steps and Approaches.

7 Hours

UNIT – II

Economic Environment – Nature and Structure of Economy – Economic Policies and Conditions – Political and Government Environment – Government and Legal Environment. 10 Hours

UNIT – III

Natural and Technological Environment – Innovation – Technology and Competitive Advantage – Demographic Environment – Population Size, Falling Birth Rate and Changing Age Structure – Migration an Ethnic Aspect.

UNIT - IV

Social Environment – Social Responsibility of Business – Consumer Protection – Need for Consumer Protection – Consumer Bill of Rights – Corporate Governance. 10 Hours

UNIT - V

Globalisation – Meaning and Dimensions – Features and Stages of Globalisation – Essential Conditions for Globalisation – Pros and Cons – Globalisation of Indian Business. **8 Hours**

Reference Books:

- 1. Francis Cherunilam, Business Environment, Himalaya Publishing House, Delhi.
- 2. K. Aswathappa, Business Environment, Himalaya Publishing House, Delhi.
- 3. Dr. S. Sankaran, Business Environment, Mangham Publication, Chennai.
- 4. Keith Davis William, C. Frederik, Business and Society, McGraw Hill International Books Co..
- 5. Sheik Saleem, Business Environment, Pearson Education, Chennai.
- 6. Dr. N. Premavathy, Business Environment, Sri Vishnu Publications, Chennai.