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**NO BOOK TEST 01**  
**CPU3149: WEB TECHNOLOGIES**  
**DURATION: ONE HOUR ONLY (1 HOUR)**



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Time: 04.15 pm to 05.15 pm

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Answer **ALL** Questions.

**Q1). A bookshop owner decides to take the business to next level by having a web presence.**

- i. List four benefits of having a web site for the business.
- ii. List two advantages and two disadvantages of introducing 'client server architecture' based system to the bookshop. Briefly describe how each of them affects the business.
- iii. Briefly describe how two of the web protocols can be used to improve the current business process of the bookshop.
- iv. List four fundamentals which are important in web designing. Taking two of them briefly describe how they are related to the bookshop website.
- v. Briefly describe two ways to improve the bookshop website using different animation technologies.

**Q2). One leading property sales company has a static web site which they have been using for the past few years. They plan to revamp their website with more dynamic content.**

- i. List four drawbacks of having a static website.
- ii. Briefly describe two facts to be considered when conducting the web development for the new website, with an example for each of them.
- iii. Briefly describe two ways to improve the user experience of the web site by using JavaScript technology.
- iv. Describe a scenario in property sales web site, where server side programming can be useful.
- v. Describe briefly how using CSS can improve the maintainability of the web site, taking two examples.

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