



ORIENTAL STUDIES TRIPOS Part II

South Asian Studies

Wednesday 3 June 2008 09.00 – 12.00

SA.14 PALI AND PRAKRIT SPECIFIED TEXTS

Candidates should answer all questions.

*Write your number **not** your name on the cover sheet of each Answer Book.*

STATIONERY REQUIREMENTS

*20 Page Answer Book x 1
Rough Work Pad*

**You may not start to read the questions
printed on the subsequent pages of this
question paper until instructed that you may
do so by the Invigilator.**

1 (a) Translate into ENGLISH: (20 marks)

- 57 n' atthi nissaraṇam loke kiṁ vivekena kāhasi
bhūñjahi kāmaratiyo māhu pacchānutāpiṇī
58 sattisūlūpamā kāmā khandhā 'sam adhikuṭṭanā
yam tvam kāmaratiñ brūsi arati dāni sā mamañ
59 sabbattha vihatā nandī tamokkhandho padālito
evam jānāhi pāpima nihato tvam asi antaka

Selā

- 60 yam tam isīhi pabbatam thānam durabhisambhavam
na tam dvaṅgulipaññāya sakkā pappotum itthiyā
61 itthibhāvo no kiṁ kayirā cittamhi susamāhite
ñānamhi vattamānamhi sammā dhammañ vipassato
62 sabbattha vihatā nandī tamokkhandho padālito
evam jānāhi pāpima nihato tvam asi antaka

Somā

Therīgāthā 57–62

(b) Write brief comments on the following words: *kāhasi* (57); *dvaṅgulipaññāya* (60); *pappotum* (60). (5 marks)

2 (a) Translate into ENGLISH: (20 marks)

katham ca bhikkhave bhikkhu dhammesu dhammānupassī viharati chasu
ajjhattikabāhiresu āyatanesu. idha bhikkhave bhikkhu cakkhum ca pajānāti rūpe
ca pajānāti, yam ca tadubhayam paṭicca uppajjati samyojanam tam ca pajānāti,
yathā ca anuppannassa samyojanassa uppādo hoti tam ca pajānāti, yathā ca
uppannassa samyojanassa pahānam hoti tam ca pajānāti, yathā ca pahinassa
samyojanassa āyatim anuppādo hoti tam ca pajānāti; sotam ca pajānāti sadde ca
pajānāti — pe — ghānam ca pajānāti gandhe ca pajānāti — pe — jivham ca
pajānāti rase ca pajānāti — pe — kāyam ca pajānāti phoṭṭhabbe ca pajānāti — pe
— manam ca pajānāti dhamme ca pajānāti, yam ca tadubhayam paṭicca uppajjati
samyojanam tam ca pajānāti ... yathā ca pahinassa samyojanassa āyatim
anuppādo hoti tam ca pajānāti ... atthi dhammā ti vā pan' assa sati paccupatthitā
hoti yāvad eva ñānamattāya paṭissatimattāya, anissito ca viharati na ca kiñci loke
upādiyati.

Majjhima-nikāya I 61,11–31

(b) Comment on the forms *bhikkhave*, *phoṭṭhabbe*, and *upādiyati* in the above passage. (5 marks)

3 Translate into ENGLISH and comment on the language: (25 marks)

(A) iy[am] dhamma-lipī devānampriyena priyadasinā rāñā lekh[ā]pitā (B) [i]dha na kiṁ-ci jīvam ārabhitpā prajūhitavyam (C) na ca samājo katavyo (D) bahukām hi dosam̄ samājamhi pasati devānampriyo priyadasi rājā (E) asti pi tu ekacā samājā sādhu-matā devānampriyasa priyadasino rāño (F) purā mahānase[mhi] devānampriyasa priy[a]dasino rāño anudivasam̄ bahūni prāṇa-sata-sahasrāni ārabhisu sūpāthāya (G) se aja yadā ayaṁ dha[m]ma-lip[i] likhitā tī eva prāṇā ārabhare sūpāthāya dvo morā eko mago so pi mago na dhruvo (H) ete pi trī prāṇā pachā na ārabhisare

Aśoka, Rock Edict 1, Girnar version

4 (a) Translate into ENGLISH: (20 marks)

कोलाहलगभूयं आसी मिहिलाए पव्वयन्तमि ।
तइया रायरिसिंमि नमिंमि अभिणिक्खमन्तमि ॥ ५ ॥
अब्भुट्टियं रायरिसिं पव्वज्ञाठाणमुत्तमं ।
सक्को माहणरूवेण इमं वयणमब्बवी ॥ ६ ॥
किण्णु भो अञ्ज मिहिला कोलाहलगसंकुला ।
सुव्वन्ति दारुणा सदा पासाएसु गिहेसु य ॥ ७ ॥
एयमद्युं निसामित्ता हेऊकारणचोइउ ।
तउ नमी रायरिसी देविन्द इणमब्बवी ॥ ८ ॥
मिहिलाए चेइए वच्छे सीयच्छाए मणोरमे ।
पत्तपुफ्फलोवेए बहूणं बहूगुणे सया ॥ ९ ॥
वाएण हीरमाणंमि चेइयंमि मणोरमे ।
दुहिया असरणा अत्ता एए कन्दन्ति भो खगा ॥ १० ॥
एयमद्युं निसामित्ता हेऊकारणचोइउ ।
तउ नमि रायरिसिं देविन्दो इणमब्बवी ॥ ११ ॥
एस अग्गी य वाऊ य एयं डज्जवह मन्दिरं ।
भयवं अन्तेउरं तेणं कीस णं नावपेक्खह ॥ १२ ॥

Uttarādhyayanasūtra 9.5–12

(b) Comment on the metre in stanzas 5 and 9 of the above passage. (5 marks)

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