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## **INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES :**

- 1. Attempt any FIVE questions out of Eight questions
- 2. Each question carries TWENTY marks.
- 1. a) "Inadequate supervision and inspection cause construction failure." How?
  - b) Write a short note on the "Measures of construction failures".
- 2. Describe the professional & legal responsibilities to reduce the frequency and severity of construction failures.
- 3. Explain the factors affecting durability of concrete structures with emphasis on corrosion of reinforcement.
- 4. What are the points that one should keep in mind while supervision and inspection of any construction project to avoid future failures.
- 5. Explain major visual indications of distress in structures and their reasons in Concrete and Brick masonary.
- 6. Explain in detail "poor workmanship and improper materials are the main causes of construction failures".
- 7. Write down the Indian codal provisions for design of durable concrete structures.
- 8. Explain with the help of a diagnostic chart the steps involved in diagnosing the problem affecting a structure which may lead to failure.

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