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**B. A. (VOCATIONAL STUDIES)
MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM
ENTERPRISES
(BAVMSME)**

Term-End Examination

December, 2025

**BERE-141 : INSTITUTIONAL SUPPORT TO
MSMEs**

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 100

Note : (i) Attempt any *five* questions.

(ii) All questions carry equal marks.

1. How is Micro, Small and Medium Enterprise defined in India ? Explain the steps for MSME registration. 5+15

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2. “The State Financial Corporation (SFC) has played a crucial role in shaping the financial landscape of the state.” Elaborate with illustration. 20
3. Explain the objective and history behind the establishment of Tool rooms and Technological Centres for MSMEs. 20
4. Discuss the many direct financial assistance packages that are being offered by the Small Industries Development Bank of India (SIDBI). 20
5. (a) What are the objectives of the ZED Certification Scheme ? 10
(b) What are the objectives of MSME Innovative Scheme ? 10
6. Explain the kinds of marketing support provided to MSMEs through the National Small Industries Corporation (NSIC). 20

7. (a) Explain why the PMEGP (Prime Minister Employment Generation Programme) is important. What are its objectives ? 10
- (b) To qualify for the benefits offered by the PMEGP, what are the conditions that an individual must fulfill ? 10
8. Write short notes on any *two* of the following : 10+10
- (a) Objectives and functions of Livelihood Business Incubator (LBI)
- (b) Credit Guarantee Schemes for NBFCs
- (c) Role of Coir Board
- (d) Functions of RBI

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