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FINAL COURSE: GROUP – I

PAPER – 1: FINANCIAL REPORTING

ANSWER TO PART – I CASE SCENARIO BASED MCQS

1. Option (a) : ₹ 8,40,000
2. Option (b) : ₹ 42,000
3. Option (d) : ₹ 50,000
4. Option (c) : 11.4375%
5. Option (c) : ₹ 15,000
6. Option (a) : ₹ 22,875
7. Option (b) 2.40
8. Option (a) 2.29
9. Option (d) Executory contract and non-derivative contract
10. Option (c) Equity
11. Option (b) : Z Ltd. is an associate of H Ltd.
12. Option (b) : G Ltd. is an associate of H Ltd.
13. Option (b) : Y Ltd. is an associate of H Ltd.
14. Option (d) : ₹ 36 lakhs
15. Option (d) All of the above

ANSWERS OF PART – II : DESCRIPTIVE QUESTIONS

1. Consolidated Balance Sheet of A Ltd. and its subsidiary, S Ltd. as at 31st March, 20X3

	Particulars	₹ in 000s
I.	**Assets**	
	(1) Non-current assets	
	(i) Property, plant & equipment (W.N.4)	7,120.00
	(ii) Goodwill (W.N.3)	1,032.00
	(2) Current assets	
	(i) Inventories (550 + 100)	650.00
	(ii) Financial assets	
	(a) Trade receivables (400 + 200)	600.00
	(b) Cash & cash equivalents (200 + 50)	250.00
Total Assets		**9,652.00**
II.	**Equity and Liabilities**	
	(1) Equity	
	(i) Equity share capital (2,000 + 200)	2,200.00
	(ii) Other equity	
	(a) Retained earnings (W.N.6)	1190.85
	(b) Securities premium	160.00
	(2) Non-controlling interest (W.N.5)	347.40
	(3) Non-current liabilities (3,000 + 400)	3,400.00
	(4) Current liabilities (W.N.8)	2,353.75
Total Equity & Liabilities		**9,652.00**

Notes:

1. Since the question required not to prepare Notes to Accounts, the column of Notes to Accounts had not been drawn.
2. It is assumed that shares were issued during the year 20X2-20X3 and entries are yet to be made.

Working Notes:

1. Calculation of purchase consideration at the acquisition date i.e. 1st April, 20X1

	₹ in 000s
Payment made by A Ltd. to S Ltd.	
Cash	1,000.00
Equity shares (2,00,000 shares x ₹ 1.80)	360.00
Present value of deferred consideration (₹ 5,00,000 x 0.75)	375.00
Total consideration	1,735.00

2. Calculation of net assets i.e. net worth at the acquisition date i.e. 1st April, 20X1

	₹ in 000s
Share capital of S Ltd.	500.00
Reserves of S Ltd.	125.00
Fair value increase on Property, Plant and Equipment	200.00
Net worth on acquisition date	825.00

3. Calculation of Goodwill at the acquisition date i.e. 1st April, 20X1 and 31st March, 20X3

	₹ in 000s
Purchase consideration (W.N.1)	1,735.00
Non-controlling interest at fair value (as given in the question)	380.00
	2,115.00
Less: Net worth (W.N.2)	(825.00)
Goodwill as on 1st April 20X1	1,290.00
Less: Impairment (as given in the question)	258.00
Goodwill as on 31st March 20X3	1,032.00

4. Calculation of Property, Plant and Equipment as on 31st March 20X3

		₹ in 000s
A Ltd.		5,500.00
S Ltd.	1,500.00	

Add: Net fair value gain not recorded yet	200.00		
Less: Depreciation [(200/5) x 2]	(80.00)	120.00	1,620.00
			7,120.00

5. Calculation of post-acquisition gain (after adjustment of impairment on goodwill) and value of NCI as on 31st March 20X3

		₹ in 000s	₹ in 000s
		NCI (20%)	A Ltd. (80%)
Acquisition date balance		380.00	Nil
Closing balance of Retained Earnings	300.00		
Less: Pre-acquisition balance	(125.00)		
Post-acquisition gain	175.00		
Less: Additional Depreciation on PPE [(200/5) x 2]	(80.00)		
Share in post-acquisition gain	95.00	19.00	76.00
Less: Impairment on goodwill	258.00	(51.60)	(206.40)
		347.40	(130.40)

6. Consolidated Retained Earnings as on 31st March 20X3

	₹ in 000s
A Ltd.	1,400.00
Add: Share of post-acquisition loss of S Ltd. (W.N.5)	(130.40)
Less: Finance cost on deferred consideration (37.5+41.25) (W.N.7)	(78.75)
Retained Earnings as on 31st March 20X3	1,190.85

7. Calculation of value of deferred consideration as on 31st March 20X3

	₹ in 000s
Value of deferred consideration as on 1st April 20X1 (W.N.1)	375.00
Add: Finance cost for the year 20X1-20X2 (375 x 10%)	37.50
	412.50
Add: Finance cost for the year 20X2-20X3 (412.50 x 10%)	41.25
Deferred consideration as on 31st March 20X3	453.75

8. Calculation of current Liability as on 31st March 20X3

	₹ in 000s
A Ltd.	1,250.00
S Ltd.	650.00
Deferred consideration as on 31st March 20X3 (W.N.7)	453.75
Current Liability as on 31st March 20X3	2,353.75

2. (a) Applying the guidance in Ind AS 109, a 'financial asset' shall be recorded at its fair value upon initial recognition. Fair value is normally the transaction price. However, sometimes certain type of instruments may be exchanged at off market terms (ie, different from market terms for a similar instrument if exchanged between market participants).

For example, a long-term loan or receivable that carries no interest while similar instruments if exchanged between market participants carry interest, then fair value for such loan receivable will be lower from its transaction price owing to the loss of interest that the holder bears. In such cases where part of the consideration given or received is for something other than the financial instrument, an entity shall measure the fair value of the financial instrument.

In the above case, since A Ltd has issued preference shares to its Holding Company – Z Ltd, the relationship between the parties indicates that the difference in transaction price and fair value is akin to investment made by Z Ltd. in its subsidiary.

Following is the table summarising the computations on initial recognition:

Market rate of interest	12%
Present value factor	0.56743
Present value	56,742,686
Loan component	56,742,686
Investment in subsidiary	43,257,314

Subsequently, such preference shares shall be carried at amortised cost at each reporting date. The computation of amortised cost at each reporting date has been done as follows:

Year	Date	Opening Asset	Days	Interest @ 12%	Closing balance
	1-Apr-20X1				56,742,686

1	31-Mar-20X2	56,742,686	365	6,809,122	63,551,808
2	31-Mar-20X3	63,551,808	365	76,26,217	71,178,025
3	31-Mar-20X4	71,178,025	365	85,41,363	79,719,388
4	31-Mar-20X5	79,719,388	365	95,66,327	89,285,715
5	31-Mar-20X6	89,285,715	365	10,714,285	100,000,000

Journal Entries to be done at every reporting date

Particulars		Amount	Amount
Date of transaction			
Investment - Equity portion	Dr.	43,257,314	
Loan receivable	Dr.	56,742,686	
To Bank			100,000,000
Interest income - March 31, 20X2			
Loan receivable	Dr.	6,809,122	
To Interest income			6,809,122
Interest income - March 31, 20X3			
Loan receivable	Dr.	76,26,217	
To Interest income			76,26,217
Interest income - March 31, 20X4			
Loan receivable	Dr.	85,41,363	
To Interest income			85,41,363
Interest income - March 31, 20X5			
Loan receivable	Dr.	95,66,327	
To Interest income			95,66,327
Interest income - March 31, 20X6			
Loan receivable	Dr.	10,714,285	
To Interest income			10,714,285
Settlement of transaction			
Bank	Dr.	100,000,000	
To Loan receivable			100,000,000

(b) The operations of G Ltd were discontinued on 30th April 20X2 and therefore, would be treated as discontinued operation for the year ending 31st March

20X3. It does not meet the criteria for held for sale since the company is terminating its business and does not hold these for sale.

The Board of directors of U Ltd have decided to terminate the operations of G Ltd. from 30th April 20X2. They have made a formal announcement on 15th February 20X2, thus creating a valid expectation that the termination will be implemented. This creates a constructive obligation on the company and requires provisions for restructuring.

A restructuring provision includes only the direct expenditures arising from the restructuring that are necessarily entailed by the restructuring and are not associated with the ongoing activities of the entity.

The termination payments fulfil the above condition. As per Ind AS 10 'Events after Reporting Date', events that provide additional evidence of conditions existing at the reporting date should be reflected in the financial statements. Therefore, the company should make a provision for ₹ 520 lakhs in this respect.

The relocation costs relate to the future conduct of the business and are not liabilities for restructuring at the end of the reporting period. Hence, these would be recognised on the same basis as if they arose independently of a restructuring.

The lease would be regarded as an onerous contract. A provision would be made at the lower of the cost of fulfilling it and any compensation or penalties arising from failure to fulfil it. Hence, a provision shall be made for ₹ 410 lakhs.

Further operating losses relate to future events and do not form a part of the closure provision.

Therefore, the total provision required = ₹ 520 lakhs + ₹ 410 lakhs = ₹ 930 lakhs.

3. (a) **Hours taken to produce 1 unit** = 6,500 hours / 6,500 units = 1 hour per unit.

Fixed production overhead absorption rate:

= Fixed production overhead / labour hours for normal capacity

= ₹ 1,500 / 7,500 = ₹ 0.2 per hour

Management should allocate fixed overhead costs to units produced at a rate of ₹ 0.2 per hour.

Therefore, fixed production overhead allocated to 6,500 units produced during the year (one unit per hour) = 6,500 units x1 hour x ₹ 0.2 = ₹ 1,300.

The remaining fixed overhead incurred during the year of ₹ 200 (₹ 1,500 – ₹ 1,300) that remains unallocated is recognized as an expense.

The amount of fixed overhead allocated to inventory is not increased as a result of low production by using normal capacity to allocate fixed overhead.

Variable production overhead absorption rate:

= Variable production overhead/actual hours for current period

= ₹ 2,600 / 6,500 hours = ₹ 0.4 per hour

Management should allocate variable overhead costs to units produced at a rate of ₹ 0.4 per hour.

The above rate results in the allocation of all variable overheads to units produced during the year.

Closing inventory = Opening inventory + Units produced during year – Units sold during year = 2,500 + 6,500 – 6,700 = 2,300 units

As each unit has taken one hour to produce (6,500 hours / 6,500 units produced), total fixed and variable production overhead recognized as part of cost of inventory:

= Number of units of closing inventory x Number of hours to produce each unit x (Fixed production overhead absorption rate + Variable production overhead absorption rate)

= 2,300 units x 1 hour x (₹ 0.2 + ₹ 0.4) = ₹ 1,380

The remaining ₹ 2,720 [(₹ 1,500 + ₹ 2,600) – ₹ 1,380] is recognized as an expense in the income statement as follows:

	₹
Absorbed in cost of goods sold (FIFO basis) (6,500 – 2,300) = 4,200 x ₹ 0.6	2,520
Unabsorbed fixed overheads, not included in the cost of goods sold	200
Total	**2,720**

(b) **Either**

Accounting treatment in the books of M Ltd (Functional Currency Rupees (₹))

M Ltd will recognize sales of ₹ 996 lacs (12 lacs Euro x 83)

Profit on sale of inventory =₹ 996 lacs – ₹ 830 lacs = ₹ 166 lacs.

On balance sheet date, receivables from G Ltd. will be translated at closing rate i.e. 1 Euro = ₹ 85. Therefore, unrealised forex gain will be recorded in standalone profit and loss of ₹ 24 lacs. (i.e. (85 - 83) x 12 Lacs)

Journal Entries

		₹ (in Lacs)	₹ (in Lacs)
G Ltd. A/c	Dr.	996	
To Sales			996
(Being revenue recorded on initial recognition)			
G Ltd. A/c	Dr.	24	
To Foreign exchange difference (unrealised)			24
(Being foreign exchange difference recorded at year end)			

Accounting treatment in the books of G Ltd (Functional currency EURO)

G Ltd will recognize purchases on 1st February, 20X1 of Euro 12 lacs which will also be its closing stock at year end.

Journal Entry

		(in Euros)	(in Euros)
Purchases	Dr.	12 lakhs	
To M Ltd.			12 lakhs

Accounting treatment in the consolidated financial statements

Receivable and payable in respect of above-mentioned sale / purchase between M Ltd and G Ltd will get eliminated.

The closing stock of G Ltd will be recorded at lower of cost or NRV.

	Euro (in lacs)	Rate	₹ (in lacs)
Cost	12	83	996
NRV (Assumed Same)	12	85	1020

Therefore, no write off is required.

The amount of closing stock of ₹ 996 lacs includes two components–

Cost of inventory for ₹830 lacs; and

Profit element of ₹166 lacs; and

At the time of consolidation, the second element amounting to ₹166 lacs will be eliminated from the closing stock.

Journal Entry

		₹ (in Lacs)	₹ (in Lacs)
Consolidated P&L A/c	Dr.	166	
To Inventory			166
(Being profit element of intragroup transaction eliminated)			

Or

Calculation of the Book Value as per financial and tax purposes.

Financial Accounting: **₹ 000's**

Year	1	2	3	4	5
Gross Block	100	100	100	100	100
Accumulated Depreciation	20	40	60	80	100
Carrying Amount	80	60	40	20	0

Tax Accounting: **₹ 000's**

Year	1	2	3	4	5
Gross Block	100	100	100	100	100
Accumulated Depreciation	25	50	75	100	100
Carrying Amount	75	50	25	0	0

Calculation of DTL: **₹000's**

Year	1	2	3	4	5
Carrying Amount	80	60	40	20	0
Tax Base	75	50	25	0	0
Difference	5	10	15	20	0
Deferred Tax Liability (Difference x 30%)	1.5	3	4.5	6	0

4. (a) Value as on 31st March, 20X2

Original cost	₹ 3,00,000
Less: Amortisation (3,00,000 x 1/5)	(₹ 60,000)
Net Value	₹ 2,40,000

Value as on 31st March, 20X3

On 1st April, 20X2, the impairment is recorded by writing down the asset to the estimated value of ₹ 1,50,000, which necessitates a ₹ 90,000 charge to profit & loss (carrying value, ₹ 2,40,000 less fair value ₹ 1,50,000).

Amortisation provided for the financial year 20X2-20X3 is ₹ 75,000 (₹ 1,50,000/2)

Net value is = ₹ 1,50,000 – ₹ 75,000 = ₹ 75,000.

Value as on 31st March, 20X4

As of 1st April, 20X3, the carrying value of the patent is ₹ 75,000.

Revalued amount of patent is ₹ 3,00,000.

Out of total revaluation gain of ₹ 2,25,000, ₹ 90,000 will be charged to profit & loss and balance amount of ₹ 1,35,000 (₹ 2,25,000 – ₹ 90,000) will be credited to revaluation reserve.

Amortisation provided for the financial year 20X3-20X4 is ₹ 75,000 (₹ 3,00,000 /4)

Net value is = ₹ 3,00,000 – ₹ 75,000 = ₹ 2,25,000.

Similarly, Value as on March 31, 20X5 = ₹ 2,25,000 – ₹ 75,000 = ₹ 1,50,000

Value as on March 31, 20X6 = ₹ 1,50,000 – ₹ 75,000 = ₹ 75,000

Value as on March 31, 20X7 = ₹ 75,000 – ₹ 75,000 = Nil

(b)

	20X3	20X2
Trading results	**₹**	**₹**
A. Profit before interest, fair value movements and tax	895,000	825,000
B. Interest on 8% convertible loan stock (20X2: 9/12 × ₹100,000)	(100,000)	(75,000)
C. Change in fair value of embedded option	(2,650)	(2,500)
Profit before tax	792,350	747,500
Taxation @ 33% on (A-B)	(262,350)	(247,500)
Profit after tax	**5,30,000**	**5,00,000**
Calculation of basic EPS		
Number of equity shares outstanding	1,500,000	1,500,000
Earnings	₹ 530,000	₹ 500,000
Basic EPS	35 paise	33 paise

Calculation of diluted EPS

Test whether convertibles are dilutive:

The saving in after-tax earnings, resulting from the conversion of ₹ 100 nominal of loan stock, amounts to ₹ 100 × 8% × 67% + ₹ 2,650/12,500

= ₹ 5.36 + ₹ 0.21 = ₹ 5.57.

There will then be 135 extra shares in issue.

Therefore, the incremental EPS is 4 paise (ie. ₹ 5.57/135). As this incremental EPS is less than the basic EPS at the continuing level, it will have the effect of reducing the basic EPS of 35 paise. Hence the convertibles are dilutive.

	20X3	20X2
Adjusted earnings	**₹**	**₹**
Profit for basic EPS	530,000	500,000
Add: Interest and other charges on earnings saved	102,650	77,500
as a result of the conversion	(100,000 + 2,650)	(75000+ 2500)

Less: Tax relief thereon	(33,000)	(24,750)
Adjusted earnings for equity	**599,650**	**552,750**

Adjusted number of shares

From the conversion terms, it is clear that the maximum number of shares issuable on conversion of ₹ 1,250,000 loan stock after the end of the financial year would be at the rate of 135 shares per ₹ 100 nominal (that is, 1,687,500 shares).

	20X3	20X2
Number of equity shares for basic EPS	1,500,000	1,500,000
Maximum conversion at date of issue 1,687,500 × 9/12		1,265,625
Maximum conversion after balance sheet date	1,687,500	–
Adjusted shares	**3,187,500**	**2,765,625**
Adjusted earnings for equity	₹ 599,650	₹ 552,750
Diluted EPS (approx.)	**19 paise**	**20 paise**

Note: Since Effective Interest Rate is not given, splitting of the convertible loan into liability and equity components as envisaged under Ind AS 109 cannot be done. However, since fair values of derivatives are given, the same is considered for accounting at FVTPL.

5. (a) The transaction price is ₹ 90 per container based on entity J's estimate of total sales volume for the year, since the estimated cumulative sales volume of 2.8 million containers would result in a price per container of ₹ 90. Entity J concludes that based on a transaction price of ₹ 90 per container, it is highly probable that a significant reversal in the amount of cumulative revenue recognized will not occur when the uncertainty is resolved. Revenue is therefore recognized at a selling price of ₹ 90 per container as each container is sold. Entity J will recognize a liability for cash received in excess of the transaction price for the first 1 million containers sold at ₹ 100 per container (that is, ₹ 10 per container) until the cumulative sales volume is reached for the next pricing tier and the price is retroactively reduced.

For the quarter ended 31st March, 20X8, entity J recognizes revenue of ₹ 63 million (700,000 containers x ₹ 90) and a liability of ₹ 7 million [700,000 containers x (₹ 100 - ₹ 90)].

Entity J will update its estimate of the total sales volume at each reporting date until the uncertainty is resolved.

(b) **Statement of Cash Flows**

		₹ in lacs
Cash flows from Operating Activities		
Net Profit after Tax	4,450	
Add: Tax Paid	105	
	4,555	
Add: Depreciation & Amortisation (500 + 20)	520	
Less: Gain on Sale of Machine (70-60)	(10)	
Less: Increase in Deferred Tax Asset (855-750)	(105)	
	4,960	
Change in operating assets and liabilities		
Add: Decrease in financial asset (170 - 145)	25	
Less: Increase in other non-current asset (800 - 770)	(30)	
Less: Increase in other current asset (195 - 85)	(110)	
Less: Decrease in other non-current liabilities (3,615 – 2,740)	(875)	
Add: Increase in other current liabilities (300 - 200)	100	
Add: Increase in trade payables (150-90)	60	
	4,130	
Less: Income Tax	(105)	
Cash generated from Operating Activities		**4,025**
Cash flows from Investing Activities		
Sale of Machinery	70	
Purchase of Machinery [13,000-(12,500 – 500-60)]	(1,060)	
Purchase of Intangible Asset [50-(30-20)]	(40)	
Sale of Financial asset - Investment (2,500 – 2,300)	200	
Cash outflow from Investing Activities		**(830)**
Cash flows from Financing Activities		
Dividend Paid	(450)	
Long term borrowings paid (5,000 – 2,000)	(3,000)	

Cash outflow from Financing Activities		**(3,450)**
Net Cash outflow from all the activities		**(255)**
Opening cash and cash equivalents (460 – 60)		**400**
Closing cash and cash equivalents (220 – 75)		**145**

6. (a) The revenue from sale of goods shall be recognised at the fair value of the consideration received or receivable. The fair value of the consideration is determined by discounting all future receipts using an imputed rate of interest where the receipt is deferred beyond normal credit terms. The difference between the fair value and the nominal amount of the consideration is recognised as interest revenue.

The fair value of consideration (cash price equivalent) of the sale of goods is calculated as follows: ₹

Year	Consideration (Installment)	Present value factor	Present value of consideration
Time of sale	3,33,333	-	3,33,333
End of 1st year	3,33,333	0.949	3,16,333
End of 2nd year	3,33,334	0.901	3,00,334
	10,00,000		**9,50,000**

The Company that agrees for deferring the cash inflow from sale of goods will recognise the revenue from sale of goods and finance income as follows:

Initial recognition of sale of goods		₹	₹
Cash	Dr.	3,33,333	
Trade Receivable	Dr.	6,16,667	
To Sale			9,50,000
Recognition of interest expense and receipt of second installment			
Cash	Dr.	3,33,333	
To Interest Income			33,053
To Trade Receivable			3,00,280
Recognition of interest expense and payment of final installment			
Cash	Dr.	3,33,334	
To Interest Income (Balancing figure)			16,947
To Trade Receivable			3,16,387

Statement of Profit and Loss (extracts)
for the year ended 31st March, 20X2 and 31st March, 20X3

₹

	As at 31st March, 20X2	As at 31st March, 20X3
Income		
Sale of Goods	9,50,000	-
Other Income (Finance income)	33,053	16,947

Balance Sheet (extracts) as at 31st March, 20X2 and 31st March, 20X3

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	As at 31st March, 20X2	As at 31st March, 20X3
Assets		
Current Assets		
Financial Assets		
Trade Receivables	3,16,387	XXX

(b) The given scenario presents a twofold conflict of interest:

(i) ***Pressure to obtain finance and chartered accountant's personal circumstances***

The chartered accountant is under pressure to provide the bank with a projected cash flow statement that will meet the bank's criteria when in fact the actual projections do not meet the criteria. The chartered accountant's financial circumstances mean that he cannot lose his job, thus the ethical and professional standards required of the accountant are at odds with the pressures of his personal circumstances.

(ii) ***Duty to shareholders, employees and bank***

The directors have a duty to act in the best interests of the company's shareholders and employees, and a duty to present fairly any information the bank may rely on. The injection of capital to modernise plant and equipment appears to be for capacity expansion which will lead to greater profits, thus being in the interests of the shareholders and the employees. However, if such finance is obtained based on misleading information, it could actually be detrimental to the going concern status of the company.

It could be argued that there is a conflict between the short-term and medium-term interests of the company (the need to modernise the company) and its long-term interests (the detriment to the company's reputation if its directors do not conform to ethics).

Ethical principles guiding the chartered accountant's response

The chartered accountant's financial circumstances coupled with the pressure from the directors could end up in him knowingly disclosing incorrect information to the bank, thereby compromising the fundamental principles of objectivity, integrity and professional competence.

By exhibiting bias due to the risk of losing his job through reporting favourable cash flows to the bank, objectivity is compromised. Further, integrity is also compromised as by not acting in a straightforward and honest manner, incorrect information is knowingly disclosed. Forecasts, unlike financial statements, do not specify that they have been prepared in accordance with Ind AS. However, the principle of professional competence requires the accountant to prepare the cash flow projections to the best of his professional judgment which would not be the case if the projections showed a more positive position than what is actually anticipated.

Appropriate action

The chartered accountant faces an immediate ethical dilemma and must apply his moral and ethical judgment. As a professional, he is responsible for presenting the truth, and not to indulge in 'creative accounting' owing to pressure.

Thus, the chartered accountant should put the interests of the company and professional ethics first and insist that the report to the bank be an honest reflection of the company's current financial position. Being an advisor to the directors, he must prevent deliberate misrepresentation to the bank, no matter what the consequences to him are personally. The accountant should not allow any undue influence from the directors to override his professional judgment or integrity. This is in the long-term interests of the company and its survival.

It is suggested that the chartered accountant should communicate to the directors to submit the projected statement of cash flows to the bank, which reflects the current position of the company.

Knowingly providing incorrect information is considered as professional misconduct. To prevent such misconduct, a chartered accountant should not provide incorrect projected cash flows to the bank and colour the financial position of the entity. By adhering to the ethical principles, the chartered accountant will maintain his professional integrity and contribute to the trust and reliability placed in the work expected from him.

However, if he submits the incorrect projected statement of cash flows, he would be subject to professional misconduct under Clause 1 of Part II of Second Schedule of the Chartered Accountants Act, 1949. The Clause 1 states that a member of the Institute, whether in practice or not, shall be deemed to be guilty of professional misconduct, if he contravenes any of the provisions of this Act or the regulations made thereunder or any guidelines issued by the Council. As per the Guidelines issued by the Council, a member of the Institute who is an employee shall exercise due diligence and shall not be grossly negligent in the conduct of his duties.

(c)

Period	Fair value	To be vested	Cumulative	Expense
Start	100	100%	11,00,000	11,00,000
Period 1	132	94%	13,64,880	2,64,880
Period 2	139	91%	13,91,390	26,510
Period 3	141	85%	13,18,350	(73,040)
				13,18,350

Journal Entries

1st April, 20X0			
Employee benefits expenses	Dr.	11,00,000	
To Share-based payment liability			11,00,000
(Fair value of the SAR recognised)			
31st March, 20X1			
Employee benefits expenses	Dr.	2,64,880	
To Share-based payment liability			2,64,880
(Fair value of the SAR re-measured)			
31st March, 20X2			

Employee benefits expenses	Dr.	26,510	
To Share-based payment liability			26,510
(Fair value of the SAR re-measured)			
31st March, 20X3			
Share-based payment liability	Dr.	73,040	
To Employee benefits expenses			73,040
(Fair value of the SAR reversed)			
Share-based payment liability	Dr.	13,18,350	
To Cash			13,18,350
(Settlement of SAR)			