THE AMERICAN COLLEGE, MADURAI

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Backlog Arrear Examination, March 2021

PGB 5507 Molecular biology Time: 3hrs
Marks: 75

I. Answer any FIVE of the following each not exceeding four pages.

(5X15=75)

- 1. Elucidate the organization of nuclear genome and study the regulation of gene expression using Operon concept.
- 2. Analyzing the molecular organization of DNA and account for its replication and repair mechanism.
- 3. Study the transcription and post transcriptional modifications of a Prokaryotic cell.
- 4. Find a role for initiation, elongation and release factors in the translational process.
- 5. Compare chloroplast and mitochondrial genome. Highlight their agronomic significance.
- 6. Evaluate cytoplasmic male sterility used in plant breeding.
- 7. What are Planticcines and Plantibodies. How will you prepare recombinant vaccines?