Question 5) For a body in pure rolling, its rotational kinetic energy is 1/2 times of its translational kinetic energy. The body should be?

- (A) Solid cylinder
- (B) Ring
- (C) Solid sphere
- (D) Hollow sphere

## Answer: (A)

## Solution:

Given,

Rotational K.E = (1/2) Translational K.E

$$(\frac{1}{2})I\omega^2 = (\frac{1}{2}) \times (\frac{1}{2})mv^2$$

In pure rolling,  $v = R\omega$ 

$$(\frac{1}{2})I\omega^2 = (\frac{1}{4}) mR^2\omega^2$$

 $I = (\frac{1}{2}) \text{ mR}^2$ 

Here, it is a solid cylinder