

TUTOR MARKED ASSIGNMENT
MED-008: Globalisation and Environment
Programme Code: MAEOH

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Maximum Marks: 100

Note: * **This assignment is based on the entire course.**
* **All questions are compulsory. Marks for the questions are shown within brackets on the right-hand side.**
* **Please answer in your own words; do not copy from the course material.**

1. Briefly discuss the Greenhouse effect on the earth. Explain how globalisation is responsible for large scale disruption of ecosystems. (10)
 2. Distinguish between: (5x2 = 10)
 - (i) Floods and droughts
 - (ii) Sudden and Insidious disasters
 3. What is meant by North-South divide? Discuss the role of MNCs, TNCs and IFIs in economic globalisation. (10)
 4. Write short notes on the following: (3.5+3.5+3 = 10)
 - i. Rio +5 and Rio +10
 - ii. Biodiversity Convention
 - iii. UNEP
 5. Mention any five multilateral agreements related to transnational air pollution. Discuss the world Bank's environmental agenda. (10)
 6. Discuss briefly the environmental concerns of South Asia with special reference to Sri Lanka. (10)
 7. Define NGOs. Explain its origin and briefly discuss the different perspectives of NGOs. (10)
 8. Write short notes on the following: (5x6 = 30)
 - i. Chilka Bachao Andolan and Chipko Movement
 - ii. Seed Suicides in India
 - iii. Indicators of Sustainability of Food Security
 - iv. Environmentally Sound Technologies
 - v. Environmental Ethics; and
 - vi. Role of Judiciary in Curbing Air Pollution
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