

POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN
ENVIRONMENTAL LAW (PGDENLW)

Term-End Examination

December, 2012

MLE-026 : ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION
MECHANISMS

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 100

Note : This question paper has been divided into 3 parts. Part A, Part B and Part C. All the parts are compulsory. Answer all the questions from Part A. Attempt any four questions from Part B and any two questions from Part C. Part A carries 20 marks, Part B carries 40 marks and Part C carries 40 marks.

PART-A

Attempt the following :

2x10=20

1. Amicus Curiae
2. Green Tribunals
3. Principle 10
4. Post Monitoring
5. Cancellation of Public Hearing
6. Downstream impact

7. Farakka Barrage
8. Public hearing as a solution for corruption
9. Continuing Mandamus
10. Principle 13.

PART-B

Attempt *any four* questions from this Part. Each question carries 10 marks . **4x10=40**

1. Write a note on social audit as a method of Public hearing.
2. Write a note on Compensatory Afforestation.
3. Write a note on Suo moto disclosures.
4. What is the importance of public participation in EIA ? (Environment Impact Assessment)
5. Write a note on National Environment Appellate Authority.
6. What is the criticism of EIA (Environment Impact Assessment). Notification 2006 ? Discuss.

PART- C

Attempt *any two* questions from this Part. Each question carries 20 marks. 2x20=40

1. What is the rule of Locus Standi ? How have the Supreme Court and the High Courts liberalised this Rule ? Discuss in the light of case law.
 2. Discuss the grounds on which information may not be disclosed under the Right to Information Act, 2005.
 3. What is the need for Green Tribunal ? Discuss.
 4. What are the roles of different actors in EIA Process ?
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