

**POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN  
INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS  
(PGDIPR)**

00522

**Term-End Examination  
December, 2014**

**MIP-005 : PROTECTION OF INDUSTRIAL PROPERTY  
AT THE NATIONAL LEVEL**

*Time : 2 hours*

*Maximum Marks : 50*

**Note : All parts are compulsory.**

**PART A**

1. Attempt any **five** questions. Each question carries **two** marks.  $5 \times 2 = 10$
- (a) What is meant by Geographical Indications (GI) ?
  - (b) Who can apply for patent ?
  - (c) What is meant by 'right to surrender' in the context of a patent ?
  - (d) Define 'Design' under the Industrial Designs Act, 2000.
  - (e) What is a trademark ?
  - (f) Define Biopiracy.
  - (g) Define Breeder's rights.
  - (h) What are Farmer's rights ? Explain.

## PART B

2. Attempt any *two* questions. Each question carries *five* marks.  $2 \times 5 = 10$

- (a) Explain the constitution of the Competition Commission of India.
- (b) Write a note on Patent Information System (PIS).
- (c) Discuss the restrictive trade practices as given in the MRTP Act, 1969.

### PART C

3. Attempt any *two* questions. Each question carries *five* marks.  $2 \times 5 = 10$
- (a) Discuss the evolution of the philosophy of the modern patent system.
  - (b) Explain the procedure for obtaining a patent in India.
  - (c) What are the limitations on patentee's rights ? Explain.

## PART D

4. Answer any *two* questions. Each question carries *ten* marks. 2×10=20

- (a) What kinds of trademarks can be registered under the (Indian) Trade Marks Act, 1999 ? Discuss the grounds for refusal of registration of a trademark in India.
  - (b) What is meant by infringement of trademarks ? Under what condition the use of a registered trademark does not amount to infringement ? Explain.
  - (c) Define biodiversity and biological resources. How are Intellectual Property Rights (IPRs) related with biodiversity ?
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