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POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN ENVIRONMENTAL LAW (PGDENLW)

Term-End Examination

December, 2016

MLE-023 : INTERNATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL LAW AND POLICY

Time: 3 hours Maximum Marks: 100

Note: (i) The question paper is divided into three parts.

Part A, B and C.

(ii) All parts are compulsory.

PART - A

Answer in brief the following in about 50 words.

10x2=20

- Atmospheric Testing.
- 2. Acid deposition.
- 3. Madrid Protocol on Environment Protection to the Antarctic Treaty, 1991.
- 4. UNEP Regional Sea Conventions.
- 5. Barcelona Convention, 1976.
- 6. Principle 10 of the Rio Declaration, 1993.
- 7. Principle of Proportionality.

- **8.** Impact of Biodiversity on life on earth.
- 9. Protection against commercial exploitation of wild animals.
- 10. Traditional Knowledge and the TRIPs Agreement.

PART - B

Attempt **any four** of the following questions in about **300** words. Each question carries **10** marks. **4x10=40**

- **11.** Define Armed Conflict. Discuss its impact on environment.
- **12.** Analyse the issues involved in the Indo-Nepal and Indo-China water conflicts.
- **13.** Discuss the main features of the UN Framework Convention on Climate Change, 1992.
- **14.** Analyse the provisions of the UN Convention on the Law of the Sea, 1982 which deals with Environmental Protection.
- **15.** Discuss the key provisions of the Cartegena Protocol on Biosafety, 2000.
- **16.** Examine the linkages between the Environment and Intellectual Property Rights.

PART - C

Attempt any two questions in about 600 words. Each question carries 20 marks. 2x20=40

- 17. Define Human Rights. Examine the relationship between Human Rights and Environmental Rights.
- **18.** Analyse the need for fair and equitable sharing of Genetic and Biological resources. Examine the efforts made in this connection at the international level.
- 19. What do you understand by the term "Plant Variety". How are plant varieties protected under the Indian Law?
- 20. What do you understand by the term "Climate Change"? Discuss its impact on the environment and efforts made to deal with this problem at the national level