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**POST GRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN PATENT  
PRACTICE (PGCPP)**

**Term-End Examination**

**December, 2017**

**MIR-022 : INTERNATIONAL FRAMEWORK FOR  
PATENT PROTECTION**

*Time : 3 hours*

*Maximum Marks : 100*

- Note :** (i) *Answer all the questions from Part-A. Each question carries 2 marks.*
- (ii) *Answer any five questions from Part-B. Each question carries 10 marks.*
- (iii) *Answer any two questions from Part-C. Each question carries 15 marks.*

**PART - A**

Answer all the questions briefly. Each question carries 2 marks. 10x2=20

1. Uniform Domain Name Dispute Resolution.
2. 'Single Communication'.
3. 'Most Favoured Nation' treatment.
4. Patent Law Treaty (PLT).
5. Difference between the concept of forfeiture in respect of Patents and Industrial Design.
6. Major provisions of WCO IPR model legislation.

7. Efforts in the developing countries to bring Traditional Knowledge into state of art in the states adopting mixed novelty criterion.
8. The Right of Priority under Paris Convention.
9. Software Patenting.
10. Two main feature of TRIPs Agreement.

### **PART - B**

Answer any five questions from this part. Each question carries 10 marks. **5x10=50**

11. Discuss the role of WIPO in Domain Name Dispute Resolution.
12. Write a note on intersection of Biotechnology and IPR.
13. Software is a 'legal hybrid'. Explain this statement.
14. Discuss the dispute settlement mechanism of the WTO.
15. How does IP Crime Action group help in combating IPR Crime ?
16. Discuss the main features of Convention on Biodiversity (BD).
17. Discuss the role of WTO in promotion of indigenous creativity and innovations.
18. Can the IP system be a useful tool to prevent unethical practices ? Explain.

### PART - C

Answer any two questions from this part. Each question carries 15 marks. 2x15=30

19. How is WTO structured to function? Which areas are being given special emphasis by WTO? Explain.
  20. Discuss the advantages available under the Patent Cooperation Treaty (PCT) to the patent office, the applicant, and the National economy and industry.
  21. What is compulsory licensing? Discuss the grounds on which the grant of compulsory licenses is allowed under TRIPs Agreement.
  22. What is mediation? How is the process of mediation conducted and terminated? Also explain the role of a mediation in settlement of a dispute.
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