

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

Term-End Examination

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

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 100

Note : Answer **all** the questions from Part A. Each question carries 2 marks. Answer any **five** questions from Part B. Each question carries 10 marks. Answer any **two** questions from Part C. Each question carries 15 marks.

PART A

Explain the following in brief. Each question carries 2 marks.

10×2=20

1. Independence of Patent
2. Trading Principle under WTO
3. Mediation
4. Most Favoured Nation Treatment

5. The Industry Advisory Commission (IAC)
6. Doha Agenda
7. Novelty
8. Dispute Settlement Body
9. Software as a Legal Hybrid
10. Right of Priority

PART B

Answer any **five** of the following questions. Each question carries 10 marks. 5×10=50

11. Write a note on the intersection of Biotechnology and IPR.
12. Explain the patenting of computer software.
13. What do you understand by 'National Treatment' under the Paris Convention ? Describe its advantages. Is there any exception to this principle ?
14. Discuss the benefits of Patent Co-operation Treaty (PCT).
15. What are the advantages of Patent Law Treaty (PLT) ? Discuss.
16. Differentiate between Mediation and Arbitration.
17. Discuss the role of Indian Customs in combating illegal imports and exports of goods including protection of patents, trademarks and copyrights.
18. Discuss the minimum standards as provided under TRIPs Agreement concerning the availability, scope and use of patent rights.

PART C

Answer any **two** of the following questions. Each question carries 15 marks. 2×15=30

19. Discuss the role and initiatives of WIPO in the enforcement of IPR and resolution of disputes.
 20. What are the arrangements for biotechnology invention disclosure ? Explain some of the exclusions from patentability with reference to biotechnology patents.
 21. Can a life form be patented and made a monopoly ownership of a single person ? Discuss.
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