

**POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN
SUSTAINABILITY SCIENCE (PGDSS)**

Term-End Examination

June, 2016

**MSD-015 : INSTITUTIONS, GOVERNANCE AND
POLICIES**

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 100

*Note : Answer all questions as per the instructions given in
each question.*

1. Attempt **any ten** questions. Define the following terms in about **100** words each. Each question carries **2** marks. **10x2=20**
- (a) Rules
 - (b) Transaction cost
 - (c) Treaties
 - (d) Governance
 - (e) Rule of law
 - (f) Market
 - (g) Civil Society
 - (h) Delegation
 - (i) Non-Governmental organisation
 - (j) Corruption
 - (k) Ecological Imperialism
 - (l) Bill
 - (m) Coastal Regulation Zone
 - (n) Environmental auditing
 - (o) ISO 1400

2. Attempt **any eight** questions. Answer the following questions in about **300** words each. Each question carries **5** marks. **8x5=40**

- (a) Describe in brief the polluter- pays principle.
- (b) What is institution ? Differentiate between formal and informal institution with examples.
- (c) What are the stages of institutional evolution in Williamson's analysis. Explain the relationship among these stages through a flow diagram.
- (d) Name any five international institutions associated with sustainable development.
- (e) Describe any five set of principles suggested by International Fund for Agricultural Development to measure the concept of governance and it's quality.
- (f) State any five 'do-it-yourself' methods used while conducting participatory Rural Appraisal.
- (g) Describe in brief any five challenges to good governance.
- (h) State any five sources of corruption.
- (i) What were the factors responsible for the origin of participatory approach to development ? Describe any three advantages of people's participation in governance and development.
- (j) What is green policy ? Name the four action plan that a green policy comprises of.
- (k) Describe in brief any five salient features of Protection of Plant Varieties and Farmers Rights Act, 2001.

- (l) Explain in brief the concept of Strategic Impact Assessment. Differentiate between Environment Impact Assessment and Strategic Impact Assessment.

3. Attempt **any four** questions. Answer the following questions in about **500** words each. Each question carries **10** marks. **4x10=40**

- (a) What are barriers to good governance ? Explain in detail any four barriers to good governance with suitable examples.
 - (b) Describe any five roles of Public Information Officer.
 - (c) Explain in detail any five actions and strategies suggested by the National Environmental Policy, 2006.
 - (d) What is Coastal Regulation Zone ? State any eight activities which are permitted in the Coastal Regulation Zone but regulated under this notification.
 - (e) What is environmental audit ? State any three aims of environmental audit. Describe any five goals of environmental audit.
 - (f) Name any five major areas covered under current international standard on Environmental Management System. Describe any five key elements of Environmental Management System.
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