POST GRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN PATENT PRACTICE (PGCPP)

Term-End Examination

June, 2018

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 questions from this part. Each question carries 2 marks. 10x2=20

- **1.** Explain the following in brief:
 - (a) World Trade Organisation
 - (b) Alternative Dispute Resolution
 - (c) Most Favoured Nation Principle
 - (d) DOHA Agenda
 - (e) Invention
 - (f) Single Communication
 - (g) Free Trade
 - (h) World Custom Organisation
 - (i) Two main features of TRIPs Agreement
 - (j) Mediations

PART - B

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

- 1. Discuss the criteria which is required to be fulfilled for patentable subject matter.
- 2. Write a note on working of the WIPO Arbitration and Mediation Centre.
- 3. Discuss the main features of Convention on Biodiversity.
- **4.** Discuss the role of WTO in promotion of Indigenous Creativity and Innovations.
- 5. What are the exceptions to the patent rights under Article 30 of the TRIPs Agreement?
- 6. Can the IP system be a useful tool in preventing Unethical Practice? Discuss.
- 7. Software is a legal hybrid. Comment.
- 8. Discuss the need for International obligations for enforcement of IPR's.

PART - C

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

- 1. What is compulsory licensing? Discuss the grounds on which the grant of compulsory licences is allowed under the Patent Act, 1920.
- 2. Discuss the role of Indian Police in combating IPR Crime.
- **3.** Discuss the national efforts in genetic resource protection.