

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

Term-End Examination

June, 2018

**MIR-023 : INDIAN PATENT LAW AND
PROCEDURES**

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 the following in brief.

10x2=20

1. Prior claiming.
2. Biological Diversity.
3. Standard Patent.
4. Inventive Steps.
5. Evergreening of Patents.
6. Pharmaceutical Substance.
7. Traditional Knowledge.
8. Indirect Infringement of Patent.
9. Injunction.
10. Potential Licence

PART - B

Answer **any five** questions from this part. **5x10=50**

11. Explain the powers and functions of controller of patents under the Patents Act, 1970.
12. Explain the term prior art search.
13. Discuss the various grounds for revocation of a patent.
14. Discuss the salient features of Intellectual Property Appellate Board (IPAB).
15. Critically examine the provisions relating to benefit sharing under the Biological Diversity Act.
16. Discuss the procedure for filing a patent in India.
17. How can we protect traditional knowledge ? What are the issues related to its protection ? Discuss.
18. Write a note on Administration of Patents.

PART - C

Answer **any two** of the following questions. **2x15=30**

19. What are the reliefs available for Infringement of patents under the Patents Act, 1970 ? Discuss.
20. Discuss the patent strategies followed by applicants for filing Patent Cooperation Treaty (PCT). What are the benefits of using PCT System ?
21. What are the pre-requisites for obtaining compulsory licence ? Discuss the provisions relating to grant of compulsory licence as contained in chapter XVI of the Patents Act, 1970.