

**POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN
ENVIRONMENTAL LAW (PGDENLW)**

Term-End Examination

June, 2015

MLE-021 : INTRODUCTION TO ENVIRONMENT

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 100

*Note : This question paper is divided into 3 parts. **Part - A**, **Part - B** and **Part - C**. All parts are compulsory. From **Part - A** you have to attempt all the questions. From **Part - B** you have to attempt any 4 questions. From **Part - C** you have to attempt any 2 questions.*

PART - A

Write short notes on the following in about 50 words each. Each question carries 2 marks.

1. Air Pollution
2. Biodiversity hotspot
3. Flora and Fauna
4. Sustainable development
5. Ozone Layer Depletion

10x2=20

6. Threatened and Extinct species
7. Object of Wildlife Protection Act, 1972
8. Forest Management in India
9. Public Liability Insurance
10. Hazardous Waste Management

PART - B

Answer **any four** of the following questions in about **300** words each. Each question carries **10** marks. **4x10=40**

1. Outline the legal framework for environmental management in India.
2. Describe right to live in healthy environment. Is it a fundamental right under the Constitution of India ?
3. Discuss the origin and growth of sustainable development. How is it reflected in the judicial decisions of India ?
4. What is WCED ? Define its role in environmental governance.
5. State the power and functions of Pollution Control Boards set up in India.
6. Enumerate the important causes of water pollution. How is it regulated by laws and policies in India ?

PART - C

Attempt **any two** of the following questions in about **600** words each. Each question carries **20** marks.

2x20=40

1. What do you mean by forest conservation ? What legislative measure have been taken to preserve forest in India ?
 2. What is meant by Eco - System ? Explain biodiversity and natural resources.
 3. What is Governance Structure ? How is it defined in view with sustainable development ?
 4. Explain in short the significant development that took place in the international scenario with regard to environmental problems. What are their impacts in India ?
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