

**POST GRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN
PATENT PRACTICE**

Term-End Examination

December, 2011

**MIR-022 : INTERNATIONAL FRAMEWORK OF
PATENT PRACTICE**

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 100

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- 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.*
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PART - A

Note : Explain the following questions briefly. **10x2=20**

1. Principle of National Treatment.
2. Most - favoured Nation Principle.
3. Compulsory licensing.
4. What is DOHA Agenda.
5. Patent Law Treaty.

6. Structure of World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO).
7. Define Invention.
8. What is the Grace Period for the payment of maintenance fees under the Paris convention for the protection of Industrial Property ?
9. What do you understand by the term 'Single Communication' ?
10. How mediation proceedings are commenced by WIPO Arbitration and Mediation Centre ?

PART - B

Answer any five questions from this part.
Answers should not exceed 300 words per question.

5x10=50

1. What are the effects of Right of Priority ?
2. Explain the functioning of the PCT system.
3. Explain the mission and activities of WIPO.
4. Enumerate the functions of the conference under the WIPO.
5. Discuss the working of Uniform Domain Name Dispute Resolutions.
6. Discuss the principal features of the Paris convention.
7. What are the exceptions to Patent Right under Article 30 of TRIPs Agreement ?
8. Explain the advantages of the PCT system in reference to the patent office, Applicant and National Economy.

PART - C

Note : Answer *any* 2 questions from this part in not more than 450 words per answer. **2x15=30**

1. Discuss the Dispute settlement Mechanism and procedure at WTO.

 2. What are the arrangements for biotechnology invention disclosure ? Explain some of the exclusions from patentability with reference to biotechnology patents.

 3. Discuss the role of Indian Police in combating IPR Crime.
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