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CERTIFICATE IN HEALTH CARE WASTE MANAGEMENT

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Term-End Examination

June, 2010

BHM-001 : FUNDAMENTALS : ENVIRONMENT AND HEALTH CARE WASTE MANAGEMENT REGULATION

Time : 3 hours Maximum Marks : 70

Note : All Parts are compulsory.

PART - A

Answer *any two* of the following questions in **300-400** words each :

- Describe components of Ecosystem. Elaborate the production and consumption pattern of ecosystem.
- What are the major sources of Health Care waste ? What are the types of Health Care waste ? Discuss the steps involved in segregation and collection of waste.
 2+4+4=10
- 3. What are the chronic effects of gaseous pollutants generated in the health care facilities ? What are the effects of Dioxins and furans, on human health and environment, generated from incineration ? 4+6=10

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PART - B

Answer the short notes on *any five* of the following in **120-200** words : 5x6=30

- (a) Sources and Hazards of radiological pollutants in Hospitals.
- (b) Nosocomial infection
- (c) Pharmaceutical waste management
- (d) Key objectives of Basel convention
- (e) Current Health Care Waste Management Practices in Sri Lanka.
- (f) Waste from Dental clinics

PART - C

Write short notes on *any four* of the following in **100–150** words : **4x5=20**

- (a) Biodegradable and non-biodegradable waste.
- (b) Microwave Irradiation,
- (c) Centralised Bio-medical waste management facility in Delhi.
- (d) Qualitative method of waste survey in any health care institution.
- (e) Impact of Health care waste on Rag Pickers.