

POST GRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN  
PATENT PRACTICE

Term-End Examination

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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**

1. Answer the following and ensure that the answer is brief. **2x10=20**
- (a) Explain the meaning of assignee under patents Act.
- (b) What is utility model patent ?
- (c) Define invention under the Indian patents Act 1970.
- (d) Define a patent agent.
- (e) Define prior publication.
- (f) What do you mean by innocent infringement ?

- (g) Define patent under the patents Act.
- (h) Who is a legal representative under patents Act 1970 ?
- (i) Define novelty.
- (j) What is traditional knowledge ?

## PART - B

Answer *any five* questions from this part. 5×10=50

- (a) Explain the different type of patent with examples.
- (b) Explain the basic elements of patentability.
- (c) What are the ground for revocation of patents under patents Act ?
- (d) What are attributes of patent of addition ?
- (e) What are the different sources of patent information ?
- (f) What do you mean by multiple licensing ?
- (g) Explain pre - grant opposition under the Patents' Act.
- (h) Explain the defences available under the Patents Act 1970 against any suit for infringement.
- (i) What are the objective of Intellectual Property Appellant Board (IPAB) ?

## PART - C

Answer *any two* of the following questions.  $15 \times 2 = 30$

- (a) Mention the different methods of technology transfer.
  - (b) Discuss the things that cannot be patented under patents, Act.
  - (c) Discuss the procedure for Grant of patent in India.
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