

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

Term-End Examination

00852 December, 2014

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

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 100

Note : Answer *all* the questions from Part A. Each question carries 2 marks. Answer any **five** questions from Part B. Each question carries 10 marks. Answer any **two** questions from Part C. Each question carries 15 marks.

PART A

Answer the following questions briefly.

10×2=20

1. Give any two reasons which influenced the establishment of Patent Cooperation Treaty (PCT).
2. What are the reliefs provided under the Patent Law Treaty in respect of time limit and reinstatement of right ?
3. Define Novelty.

4. What is Doha Agenda ?
5. What do you mean by independence of Patents ?
6. List the provisions regarding Most Favoured Nations (MFNs) in the TRIPs Agreement.
7. What is the objective behind WTO Agreement ?
8. List any two important features of TRIPs Agreement.
9. Mention two situations in which the infringement of patent rights will take place.
10. Justify the policy of granting compulsory licenses for the patented invention.

PART B

Answer any five of the following questions. Each question carries 10 marks. 5×10=50

11. Explain the advantages of the PCT system with reference to the Patent Office, Applicant and National Economy.
12. Explain the patenting of computer software.
13. Explain the role assigned to Police to search and seize infringing goods under the Trade Marks Act, 1999.
14. Write a note on intersection of Biotechnology and IPR.
15. Software is a legal 'hybrid'. Comment.
16. The TRIPs Agreement provides for tough but fair enforcement measures. Comment.
17. What do you understand by 'National Treatment' under Paris Convention ? Describe its advantages. Is there any exception to this principle ?
18. Write a note on structure and organs of WIPO.

PART C

*Answer any **two** of the following questions. Each question carries 15 marks. 2×15=30*

- 19.** Explain the trading principles laid down under WTO framework.
 - 20.** Discuss the national efforts in genetic resource protection.
 - 21.** Discuss the role and initiatives of WIPO in the enforcement of IPR and resolution of disputes.
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