

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

Term-End Examination

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December, 2014

**MLE-026 : ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION
MECHANISMS**

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 100

Note : All parts are compulsory.

PART A

Answer all the following questions in about 50 words.

Each question carries 2 marks.

10×2=20

Write short notes on the following :

1. Principle 13
2. Biodiversity
3. Environment Management Plan
4. Article 226 of the Constitution of India.
5. Operational Deficiencies
6. Silent Valley Project
7. Central Information Commission
8. Maroli – Umbergaon Project, Gujarat 2000
9. Green Bench
10. Forest

PART B

Attempt any **four** of the following questions in about 300 words. Each question carries 10 marks. $4 \times 10 = 40$

11. Explain the concept of Environmental Public Hearing.
12. Explain the need behind repealing National Environment Appellate Authority.
13. Write a note on Tehri Hydro Development Project.
14. Discuss the procedure for the conduct of Public Hearing.
15. Write a short notes on Compensatory Afforestation Fund Management and Planning Authority.
16. What is the rule of locus standi ? Analyse with the help of case laws.

PART C

Attempt any **two** of the following questions in about 600 words. Each question carries 20 marks. $2 \times 20 = 40$

17. Explain the type of information that can be sought under Right to Information Act. Discuss how the Right to Information Act can be used in Environmental decision-making.
 18. What is Public Interest Litigation ? Enumerate some significant Environmental Public Interest Litigations filed in India.
 19. What are the formal and non-formal provisions for Public Participation at different stages of the Public Process ? Discuss.
 20. Write notes on the following :
 - (a) Ministry of Environment and Forests Clearance
 - (b) Godavarman Case
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