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

**Term-End Examination**

**December, 2016**

**MLE-021 : INTRODUCTION TO ENVIRONMENT**

*Time : 3 hours*

*Maximum Marks : 100*

*Note : This question paper has been divided into three Parts-  
Part - A, Part - B and Part - C. Attempt all the Parts.*

**PART - A**

Write a brief note on each of the following questions. Each question carries 2 marks. 10x2=20

1. Ecosystem.
2. Hazardous waste (management and handling) Rules, 1989.
3. Biodiversity.
4. Wild life Protection.
5. Fauna
6. Depletion of natural resources.
7. Public Liability Insurance.

8. Animal welfare.
9. Biomass.
10. Biodiversity Hotspots.

### PART - B

Attempt any four questions from this Part. Each question carries 10 marks. 4x10=40

11. Give a brief account of the Evolution of Environmental law in India between 1853 and 1980.
12. What is meant by the Environmental Management System ? Does the Environmental Management System model apply to all industries in India ? Explain.
13. What are the specified rules for making trade off and compromises ? Discuss.
14. Enumerate the causes of land degradation.
15. Discuss the concept of Environment in ancient tradition.
16. What do you understand by Policy Integration ? Discuss.

### **PART - C**

Attempt any two questions from this part. Each question carries 20 marks. **2x20=40**

17. What do you understand by the term 'Governance' ? How is it defined in terms of sustainable development ? Discuss.
  
  18. Critically analyse any five important judgements of the Supreme Court of India in the area of Environmental Pollution.
  
  19. Discuss the powers and functions of the Central Pollution Control Board in India. Do you suggest any amendments to this to make it more effective ?
  
  20. Discuss the challenges posed to the environment in the 21<sup>st</sup> century.
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