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**POST GRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN
PATENT PRACTICE**

(PGCPP)

**Term-End Examination
December, 2023**

**MIR-023 : INDIAN PATENT LAW AND
PROCEDURES**

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 100

Note : (i) *The question paper is divided into three parts : Part A, Part B and Part C.*

(ii) *All the Parts are compulsory.*

Part-A

Write short notes on any *four* of the following in about **150** words each. Each question carries **5** marks. 4×5=20

1. Patentee
2. Innocent infringement
3. Gillette Defence
4. True and first inventor
5. Multiple licensing

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Part-B

Attempt any *five* questions from the following in about **300** words each. Each question carries 10 marks. 5×10=50

6. Explain the attributes of patent of addition.
7. How do patent examiners conduct patent search ? Discuss.
8. What is the difference between provisional and complete specification ?
9. Discuss the objectives of patenting.
10. Discuss pre-grant opposition procedure.
11. Discuss the grounds for revocation of a patent.
12. Explain the patent cooperation treaty.

Part-C

Attempt any *two* questions from the following in about **500** words each. Each question carries 15 marks. 2×15=30

13. Discuss the prerequisites for obtaining compulsory license.
14. Who can file an international patent application ? What are the benefits of filing an international patent application ?
15. Discuss the powers and functions of National Biodiversity Authority.
16. Discuss the emerging issues in patenting and protection of traditional knowledge.

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