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MIP-107

**POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN
INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS
(PGDIPR)**

Term-End Examination

December, 2023

**MIP-107 : TRADE SECRETS, COMPETITION LAW
AND PROTECTION OF TCE**

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 100

***Note :** This question paper is divided into **three** Parts—Part A, Part B and Part C. All Parts are compulsory.*

Part—A

***Note :** Write notes on any **four** of the following in about **150** words each. Each question carries **5** marks.*

1. National Competition Policy
2. Raghavan Committee Report
3. Horizontal agreement
4. Nagoya Protocol
5. Comparative advertising

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Part—B

Note : Attempt any five questions in about 300 words each. Each question carries 10 marks.

6. Analyse linkages between the protection of traditional cultural expressions and human rights issues.
7. Discuss the main features of the Convention on Biological Diversity, 1992.
8. Define unfair competition. How is it dealt with under Indian law ?
9. Discuss the rationale for the protection of test data.
10. Discuss the modes of protection of trade secrets.
11. Discuss the provisions of the Contract Act, 1972 which deal with the protection of confidential information.
12. Explain with examples the concept of compulsory licencing.

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Part—C

*Note : Attempt any **two** questions in about **450** words each. Each question carries 15 marks.*

13. What are the anti-competitive agreements under the Competition Act, 2002 ? How far the intellectual property agreements are covered under the Act ?
14. Critically analyse the effect of globalization and technological advancement on the protection of traditional cultural expressions [TCEs].
15. Analyse the provisions of TRIPS agreement relating to the trade secrets.
16. Critically analyse the main provisions of the Competition Act, 2022.