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POST GRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN PATENT PRACTICE

Term-End Examination

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MIR-023 : INDIAN PATENT LAW AND PROCEDURES

Time : 3 hoursMaximum Marks : 100Note : (i)Answer all the questions from Part-A.
Each question carries 2 marks.(ii)Answer any five questions from Part-B.
Each question carries 10 marks.(iii)Answer any two questions from Part-C.
Each question carries 15 marks.

PART-A

1. What do you mean by the term patent ? 10x2=20

2. Define "Inventive Step".

3. What are cognate inventions ?

4. Name the types of patent searches available.

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- 5. Explain client based market valuation of patent.
- 6. What do you mean by indirect Infringement of patent ?
- 7. List any two grounds for revocation of Patents.
- 8. What do you mean by interlocutory injunction ?
- 9. What is termination gene ?
- **10.** Where the International Patent application can be filed ?

PART-B

- 5x10=50 11. What is complete Specification ? How it is different from provisional specification ? Discuss.
- **12.** Critically examine the provisions relating to benefit sharing under the Biological Diversity Act.
- 13. Discuss briefly post-grant opposition of patent.
- **14.** Discuss the powers of the Controller General under the Patents Act.
- **15.** Write a note on Budapest Treaty.
- 16. What are the sources of Patent information ?
- 17. What basic factors should be taken in to consideration while formulating Patent licensing Strategy ?

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PART-C

- 2x15=3018. Discuss the Patent Strategies followed by applicants for PCT filings. What are the benefits of using PCT System ?
- **19.** Explain the key factors that make marketing of patent technologies different from marketing products.
- **20.** Discuss the procedure for filing patent application in India.
- 21. Explain the defences available under the provisions of the Patents Act 1970 against any suit for infringement.