POST GRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN PATENT PRACTICE

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Term-End Examination

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MIR-022 : INTERNATIONAL FRAMEWORK OF PATENT PRACTICE

Time: 3 hours

Maximum Marks: 100

Note: (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

Explain the following questions briefly:

10x2 = 20

- 1. Uniform Domain Name Dispute Resolution.
- 2. What are Intellectual Property Rights?
- 3. Free Trade.
- 4. What do you mean by 'Single Communication'?
- 5. Advantages of PCT system.
- 6. Most favoured Nation treatment.

- 7. Compulsory licensing
- 8. What does Patent Law Treaty (PLT) deal with?
- 9. Right of priority
- 10. World Customs Organisation

PART - B

Answer any five questions from this part. 5x10=50

- 1. Discuss the minimum standards as provided under TRIPs Agreement concerning the availability scope and use of patent rights.
- 2. Discuss the role of WIPO in Domain Name Dispute Resolution.
- 3. Discuss the exceptions to patent rights as provided under Article 30 of TRIPs Agreement.
- **4.** Discuss the role of Indian police in combating IPR crime.
- 5. Explain the 'Trading Principles' laid down under WTO framework.
- 6. Discuss the main objectives and functioning of Patent Cooperation Treaty.
- 7. Write a note on working of WIPO Arbitration and Mediation Centre.

8. Discuss the criteria required to be fulfilled for patentable subject matter.

PART - C

Answer any two of the following questions. 2x15=30

- 1. Discuss the law laid down under TRIPs Agreement for the grant of compulsory licenses.
- 2. What are the arrangements for biotechnology invention disclosure? Explain some of the exclusions from patentability with reference to biotechnology patents.
- 3. Discuss the advantages available under the Patent Cooperation Treaty (PCT) to the patent office, the applicant, and the National economy and industry.