

**POST GRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN
PATENT PRACTICE**

Term-End Examination

June, 2015

**MIR-022 : INTERNATIONAL FRAMEWORK OF
PATENT PRACTICE**

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 100

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- 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.*
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PART - A

1. Answer in brief : **10x2=20**
- (a) Describe the effects of the right of priority.
- (b) Explain the concept of 'industrial property'.
- (c) Discuss the objective of PCT (Patent Co-operation Treaty).
- (d) What are the four organs of World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO) ?
- (e) Explain the term "mediation".
- (f) Explain the term Exclusive Marketing Rights (EMR).

- (g) Explain World Customs Organization (WCO).
- (h) Can a computer software be protected under copyright law ? Explain.
- (i) What do you mean by 'Farmer's Rights' ?
- (j) Discuss the role of WIPO in protecting IPRs.

PART - B

2. Answer any five questions : 5x10=50

- (a) What do you understand by the national treatment with reference to the Paris convention ?
- (b) Discuss the advantages of Patent Law Treaty (PLT).
- (c) Critically examine the structure of World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO).
- (d) Define World Trade Organization (WTO). How is it different from General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade (GATT) ?
- (e) The TRIPS agreement provides tough but fair enforcement measure. Comment.
- (f) What is meant by Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR) ? Discuss the role of WIPO in disputes settlement relating to IPRs.
- (g) Write a note on WIPO internet domain name dispute resolution.
- (h) Can the IP system be a useful tool to prevent unethical practices ?

PART - C

3. Answer **any two** questions : **15x2=30**

- (a) What is the mission of WIPO ? How have WIPO activities expanded over years ? Discuss the present activities of WIPO.
 - (b) Discuss the dispute settled mechanism and procedure at the World Trade Organization (WTO).
 - (c) What are the general obligations for the enforcement procedure of intellectual property rights ? Discuss the civil and administrative remedies available for the enforcement of IPRs.
 - (d) How do the provisions in Convention on Biological Diversity (CBD) and International Undertaking (IU) on Plant Genetic Resources for Food and Agriculture differ from those in biotechnology related intellectual properties ?
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