

**POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN
ENVIRONMENTAL LAW (PGDENLW)**

Term-End Examination

June, 2015

**MLE-024 : NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL LAW
AND POLICY**

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 100

Note : This question paper has been divided into 3 parts.

Part A, Part B and Part C. All parts are compulsory.

PART - A

All questions are compulsory. Each question carries 2 marks. $10 \times 2 = 20$

Explain in brief :

1. Private property.
2. Common pool of resource.
3. 'Wild Animal'.
4. Slow - onset changes.
5. The Customary Rights.
6. Environmental Refugee.
7. Tiger Conservation plan.
8. Ecosystem.
9. The term 'Seizure' under the Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972.
10. Is Decentralisation pro-poor ?

PART - B

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

11. How is land tenure an effective tool for development ? Explain.
12. Discuss the salient features of the Panchayats Extention to Scheduled Areas (PESA) Act, 1996.
13. Write a note on the Ownership Rights.
14. What do you understand by Community Reserves and Conservation Reserves ? Discuss.
15. What are the various issues relating to trade in wild animals, animal articles and trophies ? Discuss.
16. What are the salient features of the Scheduled Tribes and other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act, 2006 ?
17. What is the role and responsibility of the Gram Sabha ? Discuss.
18. Whether the Forest Conservation Act is regulatory or prohibitory in its scope ? Discuss.

PART - C

Answer any two questions from this part. 2x15=30

19. 'Environmental Refugee: A growing phenomenon of 21st century'. Discuss.
 20. What are the different authorities under the Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972 ? Discuss their functions.
 21. Is it Justiciable to say that displacement and rehabilitation are two sides of the same coin ? Why should Rehabilitation be considered ? Discuss.
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