

**POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN  
ENVIRONMENT AND SUSTAINABLE  
DEVELOPMENT (PGDESD)**

**Term-End Examination**

00308

**June, 2015**

**MED-004 : TOWARDS PARTICIPATORY  
MANAGEMENT**

*Time : 2 hours*

*Maximum Marks : 50*

**Note :** Attempt *all* questions. Marks are indicated against each question. Answer 10 marks questions in about 500 words each.

1. Attempt any *three* of the following questions in about 150 words each : 3×5=15
- (a) Discuss the role of women in movements for the protection of environment, giving suitable examples.
  - (b) Explain the fragility of mountain ecosystem and discuss the ecological role of mountains in the context of South Asia.
  - (c) What role, in your opinion, can youth play in the development of India ?
  - (d) Why is there a need for empowerment of women ?

2. Attempt any *three* from the following questions in about 150 words each : 3×5=15

- (a) Write a brief note on 'Downstreaming' and 'Upstreaming' participation in organizational changes.
- (b) Discuss briefly the models of participatory management in South Asia, which are the most suitable in your view.
- (c) What, in your view, are the primary threats to community organisations ?
- (d) Write a brief note on Participatory Irrigation Management.

3. Discuss the initiatives taken by South Asian Cooperative Environment Programme with reference to trans-boundary environmental issues. 10

**OR**

Discuss the Participatory Forest Management in relation to gender issues, equity and socio-economic development. 10

4. What is Integrated Coastal Management (ICM) ? Discuss the essential elements of ICM. 10

**OR**

What is a wetland ? Discuss the various reasons for wetland loss. 10