

**POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN
INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS (PGDIPR)**

01375

Term-End Examination

December, 2010

**MIP-005 : PROTECTION OF INDUSTRIAL
PROPERTY AT THE NATIONAL LEVEL**

Time : 2 hours

Maximum Marks : 50

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1. Attempt *any five* questions. 2x5=10
- (a) What are patentable inventions? 2
 - (b) What amounts to infringement of a patent? 2
 - (c) What is the meaning of 'design'? 2
 - (d) What is a trademark? 2
 - (e) What is a Geographical Indication? 2
 - (f) What is biopiracy? 2
 - (g) What is a 'Variety' under the Protection of Plant varieties and Farmers Rights Act, 2001? 2
2. Answer *any two* questions. 2x5=10
- (a) Describe the procedure for grant of compulsory licenses. 5
 - (b) Discuss the absolute grounds for refusal of registration of a trademark. 5
 - (c) Explain the relationship between IPRs and Biodiversity. 5

3. Answer *any two* questions. 2x5=10
- (a) What is the difference between infringement and passing off of trademarks ? 5
 - (b) What are the salient features of the Competition Act, 2002 ? 5
 - (c) What are the criteria for registration of plant variety ? 5
4. Answer *any two* questions. 2x5=10
- (a) Explain the grounds that are available to oppose the grant of patents. 5
 - (b) Outline the powers of the controller of patents. 5
 - (c) Describe the procedure to register a Geographical Indications. 5
5. Answer *any two* questions. 2x5=10
- (a) What are the issues that need consideration to enforce IPRs abroad? 5
 - (b) What is a lay-out design? How does one register it? 5
 - (c) What is a patent specification? Discuss various kinds of specifications. 5
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