

Third Semester LL.B. (Three Years Course) (Credit Based System) Examination

ENVIRONMENTAL LAW

Compulsory Paper—3

Time : Three Hours]

[Maximum Marks : 80

N.B. :— (1) **ALL** Sections are compulsory.

(2) Section A carries **10** marks. Section B carries **30** marks. Section C carries **40** marks.

(3) Follow the instructions given in each section.

SECTION—A

(Multiple Choice Questions)

Note :— This Section consists of *one* question having sub-questions, each carrying **1** mark.

1. Answer any *ten* out of the following :

(i) The term 'Environment' originated from the word :

(a) Envirom

(b) Enviro

(c) Anviro

(d) Environ

(ii) Which are the kinds of pollution ?

(a) Noise Pollution

(b) Air Pollution

(c) Water Pollution

(d) All of the above

(iii) Kyoto Protocol was adopted in the year _____.

(a) 1996

(b) 1997

(c) 1998

(d) 1999

(iv) Which one of the following is the correct title of the Air Act ?

(a) Air Pollution Act, 1981

(b) Air (Pollution and Control) Act, 1981

(c) Air (Control of Pollution) Act, 1981

(d) Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981

- (v) The earth is unique in having a life-bearing layer which is popularly known as _____.
 (a) Atmosphere (b) Hydrosphere
 (c) Lithosphere (d) Biosphere
- (vi) The Eco System consists of _____ components.
 (a) Living/biotic (b) Non-living/abiotic
 (c) Both (a) and (b) (d) None of the above
- (vii) According to WHO optimum noise level is :
 (a) 45 dB by day and 35 by night (b) 35 dB by day and 45 by night
 (c) 25 dB by day and 15 by night (d) 15 dB by day and 25 by night
- (viii) The World Environment Day is celebrated every year on :
 (a) 5th March (b) 5th April
 (c) 5th June (d) 5th July
- (ix) The Indian Parliament enacted the Environment Protection Act in the year _____.
 (a) 1981 (b) 1986
 (c) 1984 (d) 1982
- (x) Ozone depletion causes _____.
 (a) Global Warming (b) Melting of ice on polar
 (c) Green House Effect (d) All the above
- (xi) “No religious practices should disturb peace of society” was held in the case of _____.
 (a) Vellore Citizen Forum Case
 (b) Ganga Pollution Case
 (c) Church of God (Gospel) in India-Vs.-K.K.R. Majestic
 (d) Taj Trapezium Case.
- (xii) In Rylands-vs-Fletcher Case, rule of _____ was propounded.
 (a) Absolute Liability
 (b) Strict Liability
 (c) Vicarious Liability
 (d) None of the above

- (xiii) _____ has authority to declare National Parks and Sanctuaries under Wildlife Act, 1972.
- (a) Government
 - (b) Public Companies
 - (c) Non-Governmental Organisation
 - (d) Religious Institution
- (xiv) Article 48A of the Indian Constitution is specially inserted for _____.
- (a) Protection and improvement of environment
 - (b) Organization of agriculture
 - (c) Protection of monument
 - (d) Raising the level of nutrition.
- (xv) Supreme Court pronounced the principle of 'Polluter Pays' in case of :
- (a) M.C. Mehta-Vs.-UOI (Oleum gas leak case)
 - (b) M.C. Mehta-Vs.-Kamalnath
 - (c) Murli S. Deora-Vs.-UOI
 - (d) Krishna Gopal-Vs.-State of MP

1×10=10

SECTION—B

(Short Answer Questions)

Note :— Both the questions in this section are compulsory.

2. Answer the following (any **three**) :

- (a) What is Global Warming ?
- (b) Write a note on Noise Pollution.
- (c) Describe in brief duties relating to Environment Protection.
- (d) What is the role of UNEP in Protection of Environment ?

5×3=15

3. Write short notes on (any **three**) :

- (a) Doctrine of Public Trust
- (b) Ozone Depletion
- (c) Water Pollution
- (d) Ramsar Convention.

5×3=15

SECTION—C

(Long Answer Questions)

Note :— Attempt any *five* questions. Each question carries **8** marks.

4. What is Environment ? State the role of judiciary in the development of Environmental Jurisprudence.
5. What is degradation and pollution of Environment ? State the causes and effects of air pollution.
6. Discuss the concept of Absolute Liability in the context of Environmental Protection. Support your answer with latest case laws.
7. Discuss in short, law relating to the preservation, conservation and protection of Forest.
8. State the provisions relating to National Environmental Tribunal and National Environmental Appellate Authority.
9. Write short notes on :
 - (a) Sustainable Development
 - (b) Agenda 21.
10. Write detailed note on Biodiversity Convention (Earth Summit) 1992.
11. Discuss in detail, relevant provisions of I.P.C. and Cr.P.C. for the abatement of Public nuisance in pollution cases. 8×5=40