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**Ninth Semester B.A. LL.B./B.B.A. LL.B/B.Com. LL.B (5 Year Integrated)
Degree Examination, December 2019**

Paper II : ENVIRONMENTAL LAW

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

PART – A

Answer **any five**. Answers should not exceed 50 words. Each question carries 2 marks.

1. Ecotourism.
2. CRZ 1.
3. Stockholm conference.
4. Hazardous substance.
5. Eco mark.
6. Project Tiger.
7. Precautionary Principle.

(5 × 2 = 10 Marks)

PART – B

Write notes on any **four** in not more than **120** words. Each question carries **4** marks.

8. Municipal Council, Ratlam V. Vardhichand.
9. CITES.

10. Reserved forest.
11. National Green Tribunal.
12. Cognizance of offences under the Water Act.

(4 × 4 = 16 Marks)

PART – C

Answer **any four** of the following. Each question carries **6** marks.

13. R1 and R2 own a tourist home near River A. They diverted a channel of the river for the purpose of attracting tourists. P files a writ petition alleging destruction of environment. Decide.
14. Municipal Corporation of Kollam published a plan for constructing a bus depot. Later on it changed the plan to include a commercial complex with the purpose of funding employees housing scheme. P wants to challenge the alteration of the designated plan as contrary to public purpose. Can he succeed?
15. D owns a sugar factory in Palakkad. Molasses of the factory were stored in large earthen tanks, which were dug into by rats. The molasses escaped to the paddy fields of P, which suffered the damage. On what common law principle, if any, can P recover damages for the loss? Advise him.
16. The government announces mining in a sanctuary which is well known for conserving elephants. A voluntary association of citizens seek your legal opinion as to whether the mining activities could be stopped or whether it would be legally upheld as a developmental activity? Advise.
17. The Karnataka Government announces a scheme for constructing open space for park for dwellers of city C. Later on, the government declared that instead of a park a hospital would be built. Can it be challenged as legally invalid?

(4 × 6 = 24 Marks)

PART – D

Answer **any three** of the following. Each question carries **10** marks.

18. Critically examine the principle of absolute liability for the protection of environment.
19. Critically examine how far the objectives of forest conservation and the right of forest dwellers and tribal people are achieved in India.
20. What is meant by Environment Impact Assessment? Discuss its merits and demerits.
21. Examine how far the Judiciary has contributed to control and prevent air pollution in India.

(3 × 10 = 30 Marks)
