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Final Semester Examination, Third Semester, 2012
School of Environment & Natural Resources

M.Sc. (Environmental Studies)

Course: EGC – 571: Environmental Law & Policy

Time Allowed: 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 50

Note: Attempt All Questions from Sections A, B, and C.

SECTION: A (Short Answer Type Questions) .Write the Answers (Marks=1x5=5)

1. On which date U.N. Conference at Stockholm on Human Population was held?
2. How many Principles were recognised in Stockholm Declaration?
3. Full form of CrPc is?
4. The provision of Fundamental Duties was incorporated in the Constitution of India by which Constitutional Amendment?
5. In which year the Wild Life Act enacted in India?

Answer the following:

(Marks=2x5=10)

1. What do you understand by Principle of Precaution?
2. What do you understand by "Noise Pollution" and how it can be prevented?
3. Discuss the Disqualification of a member under Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981.
4. What type of Remedies is available on Protection of the Environment?
5. What is Doctrine of Public Trust?

SECTION: B (Short Answer Type Questions to be answered in about 250 words.)

(Marks=4x5=20)

1. How far Environmental Protection in India is a Constitutional obligation of both the Government as well as of the citizens? Discuss.
2. Write a short note on "Our Common Future" and explain its effects.
3. Briefly discuss Drawbacks of Pollution Related Acts.
4. How do you define Pollution as per Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974? What are the silent features of the Act?
5. Explain any case study related to Environment (Protection) Act.

SECTION: C (Long Answer Type Questions to be answered in about 750 words. Attempt any THREE Questions.)

(Marks=5x3=15)

1. Explain Wild Life (Protection) Act and the Amendments done by the Government.

OR

What do you understand by the term Biodiversity? Explain the salient features of Biodiversity Act, 2002?

2. What is the Law of Torts? Discuss Tort of nuisance and negligence in environment cases.

OR

Write an essay on Public Interest Litigation relating to Environment.

3. What is Value Education and what is the strategy of Value Education? Give salient features of the Environmental based Value Education.

OR

In your opinion, do the Section 133 of CrPc helps preventing the Environmental in India. Give reasons to support your answer.