B.A., LL.B. (Hons.) DEGREE SIXTH SEMESTER EXAMINATION, JANUARY 2021 ENVIRONMENTAL LAW

Duration: 10.00am - 12.30 pm

Maximum Marks: 30

Answer All questions. Each question carry Six marks (5*6 = 30 Marks)

Question 1 (Time 10 a.m-10.30 a.m (20 minutes for writing and 10 minutes for uploading)

1. a) Trace the major initiatives taken at the international level for the protection and conservation of the environment. Examine their impact on the Indian environmental law?

OR

b) What is sustainable development? Explain the salient principles of sustainable development. **Question 2 Time 10.30 a.m-11.00 a.m (20 minutes for writing and 10 minutes for uploading)**

a) Critically evaluate the constitutional provisions related to environmental protection in India?
OR

b) What is meant by Public Interest Litigation? Evaluate its role in the current Indian social sector as a vehicle for the delivery of social justice in environmental issues. Refer to decided cases?

Question 3(Time 11.00 a.m-11.30 a.m (20 minutes for writing and 10 minutes for uploading)

3. a) What is noise pollution? Examine the contribution of the judiciary in regulating noise pollution in India?

OR

b) Examine important sources of water pollution? Critically evaluate the role of Pollution Control Board for the prevention and control of water pollution?

Question 4((Time 11.30 a.m-12.00 p.m (20 minutes for writing and 10 minutes for uploading)

4. a) Discuss the law relating to conservation of forests under the Forest Conservation Act 1980. Examine the attitude of the judiciary towards environmental protection after the enactment of this law?

OR

b) Examine the objectives of Wildlife Protection Act 1972. How far this Act is effective to ensure ecological and environmental security of the country?

Question 5(Time 12.00 p.m-12.30 p.m (20 minutes for writing and 10 minutes for uploading)

5. a) Jeeyam Municipal Corporation has decided to transfer a large green stretch of land used as park by locals to an organisation for construction of a hospital. The Federation of Residents Association wants to oppose this move . Can they succeed? Discuss with reasons?

OR

b) Write notes on <u>any two</u>

- ____
- i)Global warming
- ii)Polluter pays principle
- iii) E- Waste management
- iv) Interlinking of rivers
