

2021

LAW

(Environmental Law)

Course No. 6:3

Full Marks : 100

Time : 3 hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks
for the questions*

Answer question no. 1 and any five questions from the rest.

1. Write notes on *any four* of the followings- 4x5
 - a) Ozone layer depletion
 - b) National Green Tribunal
 - c) Rule of absolute liability
 - d) Stockholm Declaration 1972
 - e) Effects of climate change
 - f) Agenda 21

2. Explain the term 'environment'. Discuss the factors which contribute to environment pollution and degradation. 16

3. Examine the meaning and importance of biodiversity. What are the direct threats to biodiversity? Discuss the salient features/goals of the Convention on Biological Diversity. 16

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4. Explain the salient features of Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974. Cite case laws 16
5. Discuss in detail the various outcome of the Earth Summit, 1992. 16
6. Discuss the objectives of Environmental Protection Act, 1986. Elaborate the powers to take sample and procedure to be followed for the purpose of analysis under the Act. 8+8
7. Analyse the Constitution of Advisory Committee under the Forest Conservation Act, 1980. Discuss the offences by Authorities and Government departments under the Act. 8+8
8. Write notes on: 8+8
 - a) Qualification for appointment of Vice-chairperson of National Environmental Tribunal.
 - b) Procedure and powers of National Environmental Tribunal.
9. Discuss the composition, powers and functions of the State Board under AIR (prevention and control of pollution) Act, 1981. 16
10. Discuss the principles of law laid down in-

MC Mehta
Vs
Union of India
AIR 1987 SC 1086

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