



Third Semester LL.M. Examination, June 2013
LAW OF DESIGNS, INTEGRATED CIRCUITS, GEOGRAPHICAL
INDICATIONS, CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION AND
TRADITIONAL KNOWLEDGE

Duration : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

- Instructions:** 1. Answer **all** questions.
2. Answer **one** essay type and **one** short question from **each** Unit.
3. Figures to the **right** indicate **marks**.

- Q. No. 1. (a) What is geographical indication ? Trace historical, conceptual and legal basis of protection at international level. Marks : 10
- OR
- Discuss the impact of technological and industrial growth in development of design law in U.K. and India
- (b) Write short notes on : Marks : 6
Conceptual basis for protection of confidential information.
- OR
- Basis of IPR protection to integrated circuits.
- Q. No. 2. (a) Explain the legal protection accorded to confidential information in U.K. and European union countries. Marks :10
- OR
- Explain the nature and extent of legal protection accorded to geographical indications in India and U.K.
- (b) Write short notes on : Marks : 6
Salient features of Designs Act 2000.
- OR
- Legal requirements fro protection of integrated circuits.

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Q. No. 3. (a) Discuss the procedure for registration of geographical indications in India.

Marks : 10

OR

Grounds for opposition to register designs in India and U.K.

(b) Write short notes on :

Marks : 6

Powers of controller under the geographical indication Act 1999.

OR

How to keep secrecy of information and legal basis of protection ?

Q. No. 4. (a) Critically evaluate the circumstances in which acts of defendant amount to infringement of a design.

Marks : 10

OR

What constitute breach of confidence ? Remedies for unauthorised use of trade secretes.

(b) Write short notes on :

Marks : 6

Modes of transfer of registered design.

OR

Remedies for infringement of geographical indications.

Q. No. 5. (a) Discuss in detail Locarno agreement establishing an international classification for industrial design.

Marks : 10

OR

Elucidate provisions of TRIPS in respect of confidential information and integrated circuits.

(b) Write short notes on :

Marks : 6

Salient features of Paris convention.

OR

State the provisions of Madrid agreement 1896 in respect of Repression of False or Deceptive Indications.