



IV Semester LL.M. Examination, June 2013
LAW OF INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS, HUMAN RIGHTS AND ENVIRONMENT

Duration : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

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

Q. No. 1. (a) Define Environment. Examine the extent to which the existing national laws relating to environment maintain a balance between environment, human rights and development. Marks : 10

OR

International trade should not be clubbed with intellectual property rights. This is because international trade can never respect and protect human rights.

(b) Write a note on sustainable development. Marks : 6

OR

Comment on right to health and climate change.

Q. No. 2. (a) Explain the basic objective of Protection of Plant Varieties and Farmer's Rights (PVFR) Act, 2001. Enumerate its salient features and justify why it is considered as an unique piece of legislation in the world. Marks : 10

OR

Highlight the salient features of Biological Diversity Act, 2002. Do you think that Biological Diversity Act, 2002 follows the Convention on Biological Diversity.

(b) Right to clean environment as a fundamental right. Marks : 6

OR

Write a short comment on the drawbacks of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980.

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- Q. No. 3. (a) Explain the extent to which Patent Act of 1970 balances human rights and patent monopoly.

Marks : 10

OR

Examine in detail the relationship between environment and rights of indigenous people.

- (b) Comment on Right of indigenous people over their traditional knowledge.

Marks : 6

OR

Comment on Benefit Sharing.

- Q. No. 4. (a) By referring to international documents narrate the relationship between IPR and human rights.

Marks : 10

OR

Trace out the relationship of intellectual property rights and right to health with specific reference to access to medicine.

- (b) Comment on Intellectual Property and Right to food.

Marks : 6

OR

Comment on Intellectual Property and Pollution free environment.

- Q. No. 5. (a) Examine the salient features of UPOV convention.

Marks : 10

OR

Explain the role played by United Nations High Commissioner towards dangerous attitude of human right violation.

- (b) Write a note on Compulsory Licensing.

Marks : 6

OR

Comment on most favoured Nation Treatment.