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B. A DEGREE END SEMESTER EXAMINATION : OCTOBER 2022 SEMESTER 5 : ECONOMICS

COURSE: 19U5CRECO9: ENVIRONMENTAL ECONOMICS

(For Regular - 2020 Admission and Supplementary - 2019 Admission)

Time : Three Hours Max. Marks: 75

PART A

Answer All (1 mark each)

- 1. What is Social Cost Benefit Analysis?
- 2. What was the main aim of the Kyoto Protocol?
- 3. Define UNIDO Analysis
- 4. What is the natural Rights Theory?
- 5. What was the primary objective of the Rio Earth Summit?
- 6. What is meant by incineration?
- 7. What is meant by ecosystem?
- 8. What is marine pollution?
- 9. What is the 3Rs principle in waste management?
- 10. What are the environmental problems related to mining?

 $(1 \times 10 = 10)$

PART B Answer any 8 (2 marks each)

- 11. What is CVM in Economics?
- 12. What is the importance of Montreal Protocol?
- 13. What is meant by surrogate market approach?
- 14. What are the causes of marine pollution?
- 15. What is afforestation?
- 16. What is meant by Green House Effect?
- 17. Define material balance model
- 18. What were the objectives of The Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act?
- 19. What is meant by civil and political rights?
- 20. What are the indirect benefits of forests?

 $(2 \times 8 = 16)$

PART C Answer any 5 (5 marks each)

- 21. Explain the concept of market failure for environmental goods.
- 22. Write a brief note on the Contingent Valuation Method (CVM)
- 23. Discuss the main objectives and functions of ILO
- 24. Comment on the major recommendations of Montreal Protocol
- 25. Write a note on the biogeographic classification of India

- 26. Comment on the biotic and abiotic components of the ecosystem
- 27. Discuss the characteristics of India as a mega diversity nation

 $(5 \times 5 = 25)$

PART D Answer any 2 (12 marks each)

- 28. What is the relevance of environmental cost-benefit analysis? Discuss various approaches of social cost-benefit analysis.
- 29. Discuss the need for water conservation. What are the advantages of rain water harvesting?
- 30. Comment on the various strategies of waste minimization. Discuss the various waste treatment and disposal methods.
- 31. Write an essay on environmental issues and global concerns.

 $(12 \times 2 = 24)$