B. A. DEGREE END SEMESTER EXAMINATION - MARCH 2025 SEMESTER 4 : SOCIOLOGY

COURSE: 19U4CRSOC6: ENVIRONMENT AND SOCIETY

(For Regular 2023 Admission and Improvement/Supplementary 2022/2021/2020/2019 Admissions)

Time: Three Hours Max. Marks: 75

PART A Answer any 10 (3 marks each)

- 1. What is environmental health?
- 2. Define Mining
- 3. What is Social action?
- 4. Elaborate the formula I=PAT
- 5. Explain desertification.
- 6. Write on Environmental damage as a human consequence.
- 7. Discuss the need of biodiversity.
- 8. Assess Demodernisation.
- 9. Define Green radicalism.
- 10. What is Man-made pollution?
- 11. What are Abiotic factors?
- 12. What is Treadmill of production?
- 13. Comment on Micro environment.
- 14. List out the major outcomes of Vienna convention.
- 15. What is the difference between nature and environment?

 $(3 \times 10 = 30)$

PART B Answer any 5 (5 marks each)

- 16. Discuss economic dimensions of environment.
- 17. How does social waste management pose as a socio- environment concern in your locality?
- 18. Examine various sources of water pollution.
- 19. Discuss the institutionalisation of Environmental Sociology.
- 20. Explain the major objectives of the Silent Valley movement.
- 21. Critically examine the need for environmental movements.
- 22. Examine the approach of Marx in understanding the environment.

 $(5 \times 5 = 25)$

PART C Answer any 2 (10 marks each)

- 23. Examine the relationship between environment and society and the importance of environmental sociobiology.
- 24. What are some global issues that are posing a threat to environment and what are the ways to address it?
- 25. Illustrate the classical approaches to the study of environment.
- 26. Examine the trans-national nature of many environmental problems and need of international co-operation

 $(10 \times 2 = 20)$

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