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BACHELOR'S DEGREE (C.B.C.S.) EXAMINATION, FEBRUARY 2024

2021 ADMISSIONS REGULAR

SEMESTER V - CORE COURSE (ECONOMICS)

EC5B07B18 - Environmental Economics

Time: 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 80

Part A

I. Answer any Ten questions. Each question carries 2 marks

(10x2=20)

- 1. Explain how ocean tides can be used as a source of energy?
- 2. What is Geo thermal energy?
- 3. What are cyclones?
- 4. What is environmental ethics?
- 5. What is the greenhouse effect?
- 6. What is public trust doctrine?
- 7. What is intra-generational equity?
- 8. What is shadow wage rate?
- 9. Mention indirect methods of valuing environment.
- 10. Distinguish between FOB price and CIF price.
- 11. "Right to Clean Environment is a basic human right" Comment.
- 12. Explain international Human rights law.

Part B

II. Answer any Six questions. Each question carries 5 marks

(6x5=30)

- 13. Briefly explain the structure and function of an ecosystem.
- 14. Comment on the Chipko Movement.
- 15. 3. Briefly discuss the threats to biodiversity.
- 16. 4. Explain the concept of the Red Data Book?
- 17. Explain the major principles in the Rio declaration.
- 18. Explain the structure of the Ecosystem.
- 19. Explain Contingent Valuation Method.
- 20. Describe the issue of over-exploitation of groundwater resources.
- 21. Describe the importance of the World Health Organisation.

Part C

III. Answer any Two questions. Each question carries 15 marks

(2x15=30)

- 22. Explain the effects of noise pollution and its remedial measures.
- 23. Explain the environmental issues and global concerns for the conservation of nature.
- 24. How should a project's social benefit and costs be measured. Explain with Little-Mirrlees approach.
- 25. Explain the significance of various international agencies in the field of health, education, children, and labour?

