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SEMESTER V - CORE COURSE (English Literature and Communication Studies) CE5B15B18 - Environmental Science and Human Rights

Time: 3 Hours Maximum Marks: 80

Part A

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

(10x2=20)

- 1. State a difference between surface water and groundwater.
- 2. What are non renewable resources? Give examples.
- 3. Define biodiversity.
- 4. What do you mean by a 'dam'?
- 5. How has the land been classified?
- 6. What is the theme mainly discussed by Jean Giono in "The Man Who Planted Trees"?
- 7. What message does the poem "Hiroshima Remembered" leave to the peasants?
- 8. Why was Galethebege excommunicated from the Church?
- 9. Mention a Setswana custom, as mentioned in Bessie Head's "Heaven Is Not Closed".
- 10. Expand WHO.
- 11. List two causes of industrial pollution.
- 12. What is the definition of human rights according to the UN?

Part B

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

(6x5=30)

- 13. Explain the classification of natural resources.
- 14. What are the changes caused by agriculture and overgrazing?
- 15. Describe the productive values of biodiversity.
- 16. Explain the consumptive use values of biodiversity.
- 17. Explain the significant causes of nuclear pollution.
- 18. The poem "Hiroshima Remembered" uses a lot of images that show a stunting of daily activities. Comment upon these images and their significance.
- 19. Discuss the major themes of "Machine".
- 20. Explain about the people responsible for protecting human rights.
- 21. Explain the ways to monitor and control industrial pollution.

Part C

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

(2x15=30)

- 22. Environmental pollution cannot be prevented by laws alone. Explain in detail,
- Discuss biodiversity. Strengthen your discussion with notes on the values and conservation of biodiversity. Also, mention the various threats to biodiversity.
- 24. Attempt a critical analysis of the poem "Hiroshima Remembered". Why do you think it has been involved in your syllabus?
- 25. Human rights are the basic rights and freedom to which everyone is entitled on the basis of their common humanity. Discuss.