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B. A. DEGREE (C.B.C.S.S.) EXAMINATION, MARCH 2017
SEMESTER IV – CORE COURSE (SOCIOLOGY)
SO4B06B – ENVIRONMENT AND SOCIETY

Time: Three Hours

Maximum Marks: 80

PART A

I. Write short notes on all questions. Each question carries 1 mark.

1. Environment
2. CFC
3. World Environment day
4. Eco system
5. Pollution
6. Leaders of Narmada Bachao Andolan Movement

(6x1=6)

PART B

II. Answer any seven questions. Each question carries 2 marks.

7. Distinguish between environment and Eco-system.
8. What do you mean by sustainable development?
9. What is biodiversity?
10. What is Global warming?
11. What do you mean by noise pollution?
12. What are the causes of acid rain?
13. Describe aquatic ecosystem
14. Explain Green House Effect.
15. Define Deforestation.
16. Explain the importance of recycling of waste materials.

(7x2=14)

PART C

III. Answer any five questions. Each question carries 6 marks.

17. What is environment? Discuss the nature and scope of Environmental sociology.
18. Discuss the Western and Indian concept of environment.
19. Critically evaluate contribution of Karl Marx on environment.
20. Briefly discuss the theory of Treadmill of Production.
21. What are the ill effects of global warming and climatic changes?
22. Define water pollution. Explain the major sources of water pollution
23. Briefly discuss the environmental laws and state policies in India.
24. Write a short note on “Save Silent Valley movement”.

(5x6=30)

PART D

IV. Answer any two questions. Each question carries 15 marks.

25. Explain the origin and development of Environmental sociology.
26. Briefly discuss major theoretical perspectives on environmental sociology.
27. Identify the major environmental pollutions in Kerala. Discuss the effects and possible measures to resolve them.
28. Do you think environmental movement is necessary? Discuss various environmental movements in India.

(2x15=30)