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FOURTH SEMESTER M.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2022

(CBCSS - PG)

(Regular/Supplementary/Improvement)

CC19P ESC4 E23 - ENVIRONMENTAL ECONOMICS

(Environmental Science - Elective Course)

(2019 Admission onwards)

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 30 Weightage

- I. Answer any *four* questions. Each question carries 2 weightage.
 - 1. What are the principles of environmental economics?
 - 2. How does environment affect the economic growth?
 - 3. What is meant by sustainable development?
 - 4. What are the characteristics of pure public goods?
 - 5. Comment on the characteristics of mixed collective goods.
 - 6. Explain the importance of marginal analysis.
 - 7. What are Externalities?

$(4 \times 2 = 8 \text{ Weightage})$

II. Write a short essay on any *four* of the following. Each question carries 3 weightage.

- 8. Explain Environmental Economic Strategies.
- 9. How does economic growth depend on the environment and natural resources?
- 10. Explain Simon Kuznets's inverted 'U' shaped curve.
- 11. Explain the major steps in a cost-benefit analysis.
- 12. Differentiate Social CBA and Economic CBA
- 13. Explain the Scales of Measurement of ecological foot print.
- 14. Briefly describe the advantages and disadvantages of exhaustible resources.

$(4 \times 3 = 12 \text{ Weightage})$

III. Write a long essay on any *two* of the following. Each question carries 5 weightage.

- 15. Briefly describe the effect of population growth on the sustainability environment.
- 16. Explain the effectiveness and implications of Common Property Resource Management.
- 17. Explain the economics of pollution control.
- 18. Explain the characteristics of Environmental goods.

$(2 \times 5 = 10 \text{ Weightage})$

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