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THIRD SEMESTER M.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2023

(CBCSS - PG)

(Regular/Supplementary/Improvement)

CC19P GEL3 E02b - QUATERNARY GEOLOGY

(Applied Geology)

(2019 Admission onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum : 30 Weightage

Part-A

Answer any *four* questions. Each question carries 2 weightage.

- 1. Define Peat deposits.
- 2. Extrapolate Biostratigrahy.
- 3. Sequence major glaciations with age.
- 4. Mention Hot desert and Cold Desert on the globe.
- 5. Give an example for Mediterranean environments.
- 6. State Formation of Himalaya.
- 7. Define organic matter.

$(4 \times 2 = 8$ Weightage)

Part-B

Answer any *four* questions. Each question carries 3 weightage.

- 8. Explain the soil profile.
- 9. Describe uses of Flaura and Fauna in Chronology.
- 10. Explain how a radio active dating method helps in Chronology.
- 11. Summarize about the Late Holocene solar cycles.
- 12. Discuss the relation ship between diatom growth and Ph.
- 13. Discuss about the emergence of hominids.
- 14. Explain the significance of Post-glacial Period.

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

Part-C

Answer any *two* questions. Each question carries 5 weightage.

- 15. Explain about the magnetic polarity of Earth.
- 16. Explain Dendrochronology with case studies.
- 17. Illustrate about the causes for Quaternary climate change.
- 18. Summarize the relevence of prediction of climate change.

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