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INTERNATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL LAW

Paper: 10.3 (OP₅)

Full Marks : 80

Time: Three hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions.

- 1. Choose the correct option: 1×10=10
 - (i) The United Nations Conference on the Human Environment was held at Stockholm, Sweden in the year 1972 from 5th to 16th June/15th to 26th June.
 - "(ii) The Convention on Biological Diversity (CBO) was adopted in the Johannesburg Summit 2002/Earth Summit 1992.
 - (iii) The term sustainable development' was defined by the World Commission on Environment and Development (WCED) in its report submitted in the year 1977/1987.

- (iv) In the United Nations Conference on Environment and Development held at Rio de Janeiro, Brazil in the year 1992, the Indian delegation was led by then Prime Minister of India Mrs. Indira Gandhi/Mr. Narasimha Rao.
- (v) The Montreal Protocol on the substances that deplete ozolone layer was signed in the year 1987/1997.
- (vi) The World Commission on Environment and Development (WCED) was headed by Mrs. G. H. Brundtland/Mrs. Indira Gandhi.
- (vii) The Ramsar Convention 1971 on Wetlands of International Importance was held in Iraq/Iran.
- (viii) Agenda 21 was adopted in the year 1982/
- (ix) Article 252/253 of the Constitution of India Provides for implementation of International Commitments.
- (x) Stockholm Declaration/Rio Declaration is known as the Magna Carta of Environmental protection.

2.. Write short notes on:

 $2 \times 5 = 10$

- (i) Global warming
- (ii) Vienna Convention
- (iii) Human Rights and Environment
- (iv) Ozone hole
- (v) Brundtland Commission.
- 3. Write a jurisprudential account on 'Sustainable Development' giving reference to cases as decided by the Supreme Court of India.

Or

What are the international mandates for Polluter pays principle and Precautionary principle? Discuss, giving suitable references to cases as resolved by the Apex Court in India.

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4. Explain the principles of Stockholm Declaration 1972.

Or

Write short notes on:

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- (i) Acid rain and Tajmahal case
- (ii) Global Environmental Facility.
- 5. Write a brief account on the Convention on Climate Change 1992.

Write an essay on the nexus between Article 21 of the Constitution of India and Environmental protection.

6. Discuss the role of the International NGOs in the field of Environmental protection with special reforms to the day to day activities of "Green Peace" as a connecting link between Human Rights and Environment.

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Write an exhaustive note on the Rio Declaration 1992

7. Distinguish between In-situ-Conservation and Ex-situ-Conservation giving suitable examples in the India's context.

Or -

Write notes on:

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- (i) Climate Justice Programme
- (ii) Basel Convention.