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# B.Sc.(IT) (2015 & Onwards)/BCA (2013 & Onward) (Sem.-2) ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE

Subject Code: EVSC-101 M.Code: 10056

Time: 3 Hrs. Max. Marks: 60

### **INSTRUCTION TO CANDIDATES:**

- SECTION-A is COMPULSORY consisting of TEN questions carrying TWO marks each.
- SECTION-B contains SIX questions carrying TEN marks each and a student has to attempt any FOUR questions.

#### SECTION-A

## 1. Answer all parts of the question:

- a) Why is environmental studies considered multidisciplinary?
- b) What are the components of ecosystem?
- c) List any four problems of overexploitation of forest resources.
- d) What is meant by biodiversity? Why is it important to protect biodiversity?
- e) Differentiate (with examples) between primary and secondary air pollutants.
- List any four effects of Noise Pollution.
- g) What is a natural disaster? List two disaster management measures for earthquake.
- h) What is meant by Global warming? List any four causative agents of global warming in the order of warming potential.
- How does acid rain occur?
- j) How is information technology useful in environmental management and human health?

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#### SECTION-B

- Discuss various environmental consequences of the Agricultural Revolution.
- Discuss the concept of ecological pyramid and indicate the energy flow through ecosystem.
- Explain causes and effects of :
  - a) Marine pollution
  - b) Thermal pollution
- 5. Consider water as a natural resource and explain the importance of rainwater harvesting.
- Discuss the importance of awareness and value education in environmental management.
- 7. Discuss the major environmental issues dealt in any four major environmental laws/acts enacted in India.

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