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# **ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE**

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### **INSTRUCTION TO CANDIDATES:**

- SECTION-A is COMPULSORY consisting of TEN questions carrying TWO marks each.
- 2. SECTION-B contains FIVE questions carrying FIVE marks each and students have to attempt any FOUR questions.
- 3. SECTION-C contains THREE questions carrying TEN marks each and students have to attempt any TWO questions.

#### **SECTION-A**

# Q1 Answer briefly:

- a) Why is environmental studies considered multidisciplinary?
- b) Define ecological succession.
- c) What is meant by bio-fuel? How is it important in environmental conservation?
- d) What is acid rain? What are the causes and effects of acid rain?
- e) What are major water pollutants arising out of agricultural practices?
- f) What is biodiversity?
- g) Name any two methods of wasteland reclamation.
- h) What are the causes of noise pollution? How is noise pollution measured?
- i) List the mitigation measures of natural disasters.
- j) What are GHGs? Name any four in the descending order of their effects.



# **SECTION-B**

- Q2 Though population growth shows a global decline, there is still cause for worry, why?
- Q3 What are various renewable energy options? Explain why their use is important.
- Q4 What is meant by sustainable development? What are the global strategies to achieve sustainable development goals?
- Q5 Suggest possible role of World Wide Web (www) and GIS in environmental management.
- Q6 What are chlorofluorocarbons (CFC)? What are its major uses? Explain its significance in global atmospheric change.

# **SECTION-C**

- Q7 a) What is the necessity for a rational land use policy as part of the environmental policy?
  - b) Critically examine the unequal consumption patterns of the developed and developing countries.
- Q8 Write notes on:
  - a) Public participation and NGO initiatives in India for environmental protection.
  - b) Global warming and policy initiatives.
- Q9 Explain the salient features of Solid waste management rules 2016. Highlight the new provisions compared to similar rules in the past.

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