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M.A. (Maritime Laws)

Academic Year: 2023-2024

Fourth Semester Examination (June, 2024)

Paper II – 2.4.12. Marine Environmental Laws

Duration of the Examination: 2 ½ hours

Total Marks: 70 marks

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- a) Read the instructions carefully and adhere to the same.
 - b) Please mention your DDE ID No., date of the exam, name of the programme & subject on the Answer Sheet and the Additional Answer Sheets, if any.
 - c) The questions to be interpreted as given and no clarification can be sought from the Invigilator.
 - d) Clearly indicate the question numbers while answering them. Answers without question numbers / wrong question numbers will not be evaluated.
 - e) Write the answers clearly and neatly. Answers in illegible handwriting will not be taken into consideration.
 - f) Candidates are prohibited to carry phones or any other electronic devices, books, material etc. in the Examination Hall.
 - g) Copying is strictly prohibited and is considered as a serious academic misconduct and the University will take action as it deems fit.
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Section – A

**Answer FIVE questions out of SEVEN questions and each question carries 10 marks.
(5 x 10 marks = 50 marks)**

- 1. What are the sources of International Environmental Law and what is the process of enforcement?
- 2. What is marine environment and what are the different categories of marine environment?
- 3. Critically evaluate the UN's role in protecting marine environment.
- 4. What is anti-fouling system? Discuss the evolution of the regulatory regime of anti-fouling system.

5. What are the different types of marine pollution and their causes?
6. What is land based marine pollution? Evaluate the success / failure of the legal / regulatory regime to curb such pollution.
7. Explain in what manner Contracting and State parties to conventions on protection of marine environment are better placed than the rest? Substantiate your answer with appropriate instances / examples.

Section – B

Answer FOUR questions out of SIX questions and each question carries 05 marks. (4 x 5 marks = 20 marks)

- A. Principles of State Jurisdiction for protecting environment.
- B. Effect of oil spills on marine environment.
- C. Agenda 21 and protection of marine environment.
- D. Regulation of Nitrogen Oxides as marine environment pollutant.
- E. Operational and Incidental pollution from ships.
- F. Bonn Agreement