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***M.A. (Animal Protection Laws) &
Advanced Diploma in Animal Protection Laws***

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Take Home Examination (July 1-4, 2022)

**Paper II – 1.2.5. Laws relating to Prevention of
Cruelty to Animals – 2**

TOTAL MARKS: 70

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- a) Read the instructions for Take Home Examination carefully and adhere to the same.
 - b) *Please mention your name, ID No., subject name and total number of pages on the Answer Sheet.*
 - c) *Clearly indicate the question numbers while answering them.*
 - d) *Since this is a take home exam, we expect your answers to be analytical rather than straight answers.*
 - e) Copying from any source including from other students is strictly prohibited. Plagiarism is considered as a serious academic mis-conduct and the University will take action as it deems fit.
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- f) The word limits listed is the upper limit. Negative marking of 0.5 will be applied for every extra 100 words. Students will not be penalized for writing less than the word limit, as long as the requisite points have been covered.
 - g) You are required to answer the questions in your own words. Copy-pasting from either the material sent by the DDE, faculty, ALC or any online source will be considered plagiarism and you will receive a zero for the answer.
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1. The Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act, 1960 is a combination of an anti-cruelty as well as a welfare-oriented legislation. Do you agree? Elaborate on the above statement with examples, and analysis of the provisions under the Act. Also define “Cruelty” under the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act, 1960 with relevant legal provisions from the Act and allied laws, along with case laws, if applicable.
(15+15=30 marks) (1500 words)

2. In light of the National Green Tribunal's decision in *Gauri Maulekhi v. Union of India and Ors.*, bearing OA No.320/2021 [Environmental Guidelines for Poultry Farms], write a note on the environmental impacts of intensive animal agriculture relating to poultry birds in India? **(30 marks) (1500 words)**

3. "The Hon'ble Supreme Court formulated the constitution and functioning of a slaughterhouse monitoring committee for the regulation of slaughterhouses to prevent animal cruelty and pollution."

In light of the above statement, answer ANY TWO of the following questions (Word limit 500 words each)

- a. Identify the case law discussed in the above statement and discuss its relevance. **(5 marks)**
- b. Identify the issues and relevant laws and provisions discussed in the above judgment. **(5 marks)**
- c. Examine and analyse the decision rendered by the Supreme Court, by outlining the rationale and recommendations given by the Bench. **(5 marks)**