

**NALSAR PROXIMATE EDUCATION
NALSAR UNIVERSITY OF LAW, HYDERABAD
P.G.DIPLOMA IN PATENTS LAW**

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PAPER I - Introduction to IPR & Patents / American and European Patent Regimes

Time: 2 ½ hours.

TOTAL MARKS: 90

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- 1. The questions to be interpreted as given and no clarification can be sought from the invigilator.**
- 2. No printed or handwritten materials / mobile phone / electronic devices will be allowed in the hall.**
- 3. All questions carry equal marks (15 each).**
- 4. Answer any six questions, only the first six questions will be marked.**
- 5. Answers without Question numbers will not be marked.**
- 6. Short notes not to exceed 75 words, Long answers not to exceed 250 words.**
- 7. Imaginary case laws used in the answer will result in striking of the answers in total.**

ANSWER ANY SIX OF THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS ONLY

1. Write Short Notes on:
 - a. Sound Recording
 - b. Moral Rights of Copyright Owner
 - c. Patent Family
2. Write Short Notes on:
 - a. Appellation of origin
 - b. Divisional Patent
 - c. Domain Name
3. Discuss the salient features of the Indian Copyright Law.
4. Discuss the types of Infringement under Patents regime with two case laws.
5. How new varieties of plants can be registered in India? What are the special rights for Farmers under the PPVFR Act?
6. Discuss the procedure involved in registering GI under the Indian Act.
7. Discuss the various features of the Drug Price Competition and Patent Term Restoration Act of USA.
8. What is the importance of NDA in IPR and illustrate with two suitable case Laws.