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[19-HRPGKOW-M3S(N) 20M]

MA 3rd Semester (New) Exam., 2019 (W)

SOCIOLOGY

[PGSO S3–01]

(Environmental Sociology)

Full Marks : 80

Time : 3 hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

1. *(a)* Answer the following questions : 1×8=8

(i) State the meaning of Environment.

(ii) Name an environmental movement in India.

(iii) What is meant by environmentalism?

(iv) State the meaning of sustainable development.

(v) What is meant by natural resource?

(vi) Name any two environmental problems.

(vii) State the meaning of global warming.

(viii) State the meaning of slum.

(b) Choose the correct option : 1×4=4

(i) Who among the following focused on inequalities embedded in capitalism regarding political ecology?

1. Marx
2. Durkheim
3. T. Parsons
4. None of them

(ii) The First World Climate Conference was held in
1. India
2. Bangladesh
3. Geneva
4. None of the above

(iii) NEEPCO stands for
1. North-Eastern Electric Power Company
2. North-Eastern Electric Power Corporation
3. North-East Electronic Power Company
4. None of the above

(iv) Save the Narmada Movement began in
1. 1930s
2. 1950s
3. 1980s
4. 2000

(c) Fill in the blanks : 1×4=4

(i) _____ is a type of urban waste.

(ii) The author of the book, *Politics of Climate Change* is _____.

(iii) _____ is an example of non-renewable resource.

(iv) _____ talks about the interrelationship between ecology and feminism.

2. Answer any *five* of the following questions (each in around *50* words) : 2×5=10

(a) State the meaning of ecosystem.

(b) What is meant by metabolic rift?

(c) Name any two types of pollution.

(d) State the meaning of deforestation.

(e) What is meant by biodiversity?

(f) What is Jhola Andolan?

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3. Answer any *four* of the following questions (each in around *150* words) : 3×4=12

(a) Write a short note on Silent Valley Movement.

(b) Describe the normative principles of environmental ethics.

(c) Write a short note on environmental sociology in India.

(d) Write a short note on the Kyoto Protocol.

(e) Describe why many species are endangered today. Mention three causes.

4. Answer any *three* of the following questions (each in around *250* words) : 6×3=18

(a) Write a note on the components that make an ecosystem.

(b) Write a note on anthropocentrism.

(c) Write about the consequences of forest loss.

(d) Explain why environment is a sociological issue.

5. Answer any *three* of the following questions (each in around *300* words) : 8×3=24

(a) Explain a few environmental problems of North-East India.

(b) Explain the New Ecological Paradigm.

(c) Explain the requirements for sustainable development.

(d) Discuss technological waste as an environmental problem.

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