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**Instructions for Candidates**

1. Write your Roll No. on the top immediately on receipt of this question paper.
2. Attempt any **four** questions. **All** questions carry equal marks.

1. (a) Write short notes on the following : (2×5=10)

- (i) Article 48A
- (ii) Article 51-A(g)
- (iii) Legal definition of Forests
- (iv) Role of NGOs
- (v) Agenda 21

- (b) True or False : (1×5=5)

- (i) The constitution of India was amended for the protection of Environment. (T/F)
- (ii) The Fundamental Duties of the citizen of India, has no clause for the protection of environment. (T/F)
- (iii) The subject of water exists in the concurrent list. (T/F)
- (iv) According to the constitution of India, citizens of India can exercise six fundamental rights. (T/F)
- (v) The number of Ramsar sites in a country is always fixed. (T/F)

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2. Write short notes on any **three** of the following : (5×3=15)
- (i) Kyoto Protocol, 1997
  - (ii) Ramsar Convention
  - (iii) Swachh Bharat Abhiyan
  - (iv) National Green Tribunal
  - (v) Namami Gange Programme, 2014.
3. (a) Briefly describe the importance of the Stockholm Conference, 1972 in the formulation of international environmental law. (8)
- (b) What are Sustainable Development Goals, 2015, discuss the important features. (7)
4. (a) Discuss the important features of the case of Environmental education: M.C. Mehta Vs Union of India. WP 860/1991. (10)
- (b) What are the important features of the Convention on Biological Diversity? (5)
5. (a) What are the legislative instruments of India for the protection of environment? Briefly describe any four. (10)
- (b) What is the role of the Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change in the protection of the Environment? (5)
6. Describe the evolution of Indian legislation through historical references. (15)

