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## Eighth Semester B.E. Degree Examination, June/July 2019 **Environmental Impact Assessment**

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks:100

Note: Answer any FIVE full questions, selecting atleast TWO questions from each part.

## PART - A

- What are the criterias to be considered among Ecological Factors for development activity? 1 (12 Marks)
  - What is EIS? Explain its various types briefly.

(08 Marks)

- 2 Briefly explain the step – by – step procedure for conducting an EIA. (12 Marks)
  - List the limitations of EIA and briefly explain them.

(08 Marks)

- Draw neatly the framework of EIA in the form of a flowchart. (10 Marks)
  - List the 8 techniques of EIA and explain any one of them briefly. b.

(10 Marks)

- Explain with a flowchart, Assessment and Prediction of impacts on Air. (12 Marks)
  - b. Briefly explain the '4' project categories in regards to socio economic impact. (08 Marks)

5 Distinguish between REIA and CEIA.

(08 Marks)

Discuss the role of NEPA and CEQ in Impact studies.

(12 Marks)

Highlight the merits and demerits of Public Participation' in EIA.

(10 Marks) b. What are the practical considerations in "Public Hearing" conducting an EIA and while

- drafting an EIS; in the context of Public Participation? (10 Marks)
- a. Depict a CHECKLIST representing Relationship between Developmental Activity and Environmental Parameters (10 Marks)
  - Elucidate EIA guidelines for Thermal Power Plant. (10 Marks)
- Extract the Environmental Impacts of a Coal Mining Project.

(10 Marks)

b. List the environmental attributes in EIA for Highway Project.

(10 Marks)

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2. Any revealing of identification, appeal to evaluator and l or equations written eg, 42+8=50, will be treated as malpractice. Important Note: 1. On completing your answers, compulsorily draw diagonal cross lines on the remaining blank pages