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#### **Environmental Physics and Chemistry**

M.Sc. Environmental Science (MSCES-21)

2nd Semester Examination, 2022 (June)

#### Time : 2 Hours]

### Max. Marks : 80

**Note :** This paper is of Eighty (80) marks divided into two (02) Sections A and B. Attempt the questions contained in these sections according to the detailed instructions given therein.

## SECTION–A (Long Answer Type Questions)

Note : Section 'A' contains Five (05) long answer type questions of Twenty (20) marks each. Learners are required to answer any Two (02) questions only.

 $(2 \times 20 = 40)$ 

1. What is light? Discuss the various sources of light and the effects of light on plants and animals.

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- **2.** Describe in detail about the temperature and its effects on living organisms.
- **3.** What do you understand by the humidity? Describe in detail the various effects of humidity.
- **4.** Explain the fire and its sources. What are the impacts of fire on soil?
- **5.** What do you understand by the topography? Describe the role of topography in ecosystem.

## SECTION-B (Short Answer Type Questions)

- **Note :** Section 'B' contains Eight (08) short answer type questions of Ten (10) marks each. Learners are required to answer any Four (04) questions only. (4×10=40)
- **1.** What is precipitation ? Explain in detail about the types of precipitation.
- 2. Describe in detail about the wind and its influences on plants.
- **3.** What do you understand by the latitude and longitude? Explain in detail.
- 4. Write a brief account on landform and kinds of landforms.

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- 5. What is photochemical smog? Explain in detail.
- 6. Write a brief account on air pollution and its effects on human health.
- 7. Describe the physical and chemical characteristics of water in detail.
- 8. What is acid rain ? Discuss the various effects of acid rain.