

CDOE
DIPLOMA IN INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY LAW (CBCS-2018 COURSE)
D.I.P.L. : SUMMER : 2025
SUBJECT: INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY -EVOLUTION, CONCEPT & KIND

Day : Tuesday
Date : 27/05/2025

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Time : 02:00 PM-05:00 PM
Max. Marks : 80

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- 1) Attempt **ANY SIX** questions including **Q.No.1** which is **COMPULSORY**.
 - 2) **Q.No.1** carries **20** marks and all other questions carry **12** marks each.
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Q.1 Write short notes on **ANY FOUR** of the following.

- a) Voluntary Licenses
- b) Passing off
- c) Locarno Agreement
- d) Fair Use
- e) Inventive step
- f) Advantages of creating intellectual property rights

Q.2 Discuss the basic features of Industrial designs and how it differs from trademarks.

Q.3 Explain the objectives and key provisions of the Patent Cooperation Treaty (PCT).

Q.4 Discuss the concept of patents as a legal mechanism for protecting innovation. Explain the difference between utility patents and design patents, with appropriate illustrations.

Q.5 Explain the key functions of WIPO. Discuss its role in administering IP laws globally, especially in coordination with other international treaties.

Q.6 What is Intellectual Property? Explain its evolution, nature and importance in the modern legal and commercial framework.

Q.7 Explain Copyrights. Discuss the types of works protected and the duration of protection in Indian Laws.

Q.8 Explain Plant Variety Protection rights under Intellectual Property. Discuss with reference to UPOV.

Q.9 Explain the purpose and significance of granting Geographical Indications (GIs) to products under the Geographical Indications of Goods (Registration and Protection) Act, 1999. Illustrate your answer with suitable examples.

Q.10 Discuss the relevance of protecting Traditional Knowledge under the Intellectual Property framework. Explain with reference to notable cases involving Neem, Haldi, and Basmati, highlighting the challenges faced by India in asserting rights over indigenous knowledge.

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