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Fourth Semester 2 Year LL.M. (IPR) Examination, August 2026
Spl. Paper – 7 : LAW OF INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY AND BIODIVERSITY

Duration : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

Instructions : 1. Answer any five of the following.
2. Answers should be written in English only.

Q. No. 1. "The tension between IPR and biodiversity conservation highlights a deep conflict between private commercial gain and public resource conservation." Analyse.

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Q. No. 2. Analyse the meaning and significance of biodiversity. Narrate the causes for biodiversity depletion.

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Q. No. 3. The convention on Biological Diversity 1992 marked a paradigm shift from "common heritage of mankind" to "permanent sovereignty of natural resources". Critically analyse the statement.

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Q. No. 4. What are the challenges posed by IPR in protecting Indian Traditional knowledge ? Explain.

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Q. No. 5. Critically examine the three tier regulatory framework established under the Biological Diversity Act, 2002.

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Q. No. 6. Explain the powers, functions and obligations of the Central and State Governments under the Biological Diversity Act, 2002.

Marks : 16

Q. No. 7. Write a note on **any two** of the following.

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(a) Benefit sharing under the Biodiversity Law

(b) ITPGRFA

(c) Features of Biological Diversity (Amendment) Act, 2023

(d) Biopiracy.

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