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SOCIOLOGY

(Discipline Specific Elective)

(For Honours)

Paper : DSE-3

(**Environmental Sociology**)

Full Marks : 80

Pass Marks : 32

Time : 3 hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks
for the questions*

1. Choose the correct answer from the following : 1×8=8

(a) Environmental Sociology has established since the early ____ in Japan and Korea.

(i) 1970

(ii) 1980

(iii) 1990

(iv) 2000

- (b) The word 'environment' is derived from the _____ word 'environner'.
- (i) Latin
 - (ii) French
 - (iii) Greek
 - (iv) German
- (c) Ecological modernization is known as
- (i) eco-development
 - (ii) eco-restructuring
 - (iii) eco-growth
 - (iv) eco-structure
- (d) The book, *Economy and Society* was written by
- (i) Weber
 - (ii) Marx
 - (iii) Parsons
 - (iv) Durkheim
- (e) According to eco-Marxism, the on going environmental degradation is the result of
- (i) climate change
 - (ii) a destructive economic and political system
 - (iii) air pollution
 - (iv) soil erosion

- (f) Which is the main basis for the growth of eco-feminism?
- (i) Deforestation in industrial society
 - (ii) Women's lives and their relation with the nature
 - (iii) Pollution and environmental degradation
 - (iv) Global warming
- (g) Chipko Movement was started in which of the following States?
- (i) Uttar Pradesh
 - (ii) Madhya Pradesh
 - (iii) Uttarakhand
 - (iv) Punjab
- (h) The Environment (Protection) Act was passed in the year
- (i) 1986
 - (ii) 1974
 - (iii) 1972
 - (iv) 1947
2. Write briefly on any *four* of the following (**within 150 words** each) 4×4=16
- (a) Basic elements of environment
 - (b) Importance of environmental sociology
 - (c) Human economic desire and environmental problems

- (d) Causes of sound pollution and its impacts
- (e) Big river dam and its impacts on environment

3. Answer any *four* of the following (**within 500 words** each) $14 \times 4 = 56$

- (a) Define Environmental Sociology. Discuss its emergence and development. $4 + 10 = 14$
- (b) What is environmental risk? Write about the major causes of environmental risk. $2 + 12 = 14$
- (c) What is air pollution? Write about the causes and impacts of air pollution on human being and society. $2 + (6 + 6) = 14$
- (d) What is globalization? Critically discuss about the impacts of globalization on environment. $4 + 10 = 14$
- (e) Discuss about flood as major natural cause of environmental risk. 14
- (f) Critically discuss about the environmental and social impacts of the Subansiri Lower Hydroelectric Project of Assam as stated by the scientists and social activists. 14
- (g) What is land-based movement? Discuss about the causes and consequences of the major anti-mining movement took place in India. $3 + 11 = 14$
