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HRM 2.3.2: SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT AND CORPORATE SOCIAL
RESPONSIBILITY (CSR)
(2014 Admission Onwards)

Time: 3 Hours Max. Marks: 75

PART-I

Answer all questions. Each answer not to exceed 50 words. All questions carry equal marks. (2×10=20 Marks)

- 1. Write a note on ecology and environment.
- 2. Briefly discuss 2015 United Nations Climate Change Conference, COP 21.
- 3. Briefly point out the interconnected nature of living and non-living.
- 4. Describe the concept of carbon footprint.
- 5. Briefly explain ozone depletion and its causes.
- 6. Discuss the logic of Environmental Corporate Social Responsibility.
- 7. Describe the natural Water, Carbon and Nitrogen cycle.
- 8. List out the most feasible renewable sources of energy.
- Describe the concept of lifecycle analysis.

What is environmental friendly business?



PART-II

Answer any five. Each answer not to exceed 500 words. All questions carry equal marks. (5x5=25 Marks)

- 11. Write a note on the environmental impact assessment for any industry of your choice.
- 12. How can water pollution be countered?
- 13. Explain the need for balancing economy, environment and society in all business activities.
- 14. What are the essentials of environmental management?
- 15. Discuss integrated farming as an ecological approach.
- 16. Weigh the pros and cons of wind energy.
- 17. Explain 'reduce, recycle and reuse'.
- 18. Explain climate change.

PART-III

Answer any two. Each answer not to exceed 1200 words. All questions carry equal marks. (2x15=30 Marks)

- 19. Briefly discuss the opportunities that the environmental issue brings to businesses.
- 20. What are the considerations for an impact assessment of a nuclear facility?
- 21. 'A more sustainable industry would mean switching to alternate fuels'. Discuss the pros and cons.
- 22. 'Population growth by itself is not an issue until consumption patterns are factored in'. Comment.