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Time : 2 Hrs.

Max. Marks : 60

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES :

- 1. Attempt any FIVE question(s), each question carries 12 marks.
- 1. Discuss the strategies for natural resource consumption from a sustainable development perspective. Take the case study of groundwater use for irrigation.
- 2. a) Identify any three water pollutants of concern in your region. identify their sources and suggest control measures.
 - b) *"Pesticides are necessary evil in modern agricultural practice"*. Comment, highlighting the environmental problems arising out of pesticides use.
- 3. a) Why is biodiversity important in any Ecosystem? Identify at least 4 trees species in your area and comment on their uses.
 - b) Discuss four ecological benefits of Coral Reefs.
- 4. Consider any four UN sustainable development goals (SDG) and comment on the relevance and achievability.
- 5. a) Is population an environmental issue? Critically examine.
 - b) Why gender imbalance considered an environmental issue?
- 6. a) Consider recent cyclones and extreme climatic events in the light of global climate change.
 - b) Suggest any four personal habit changes which can contribute to climate change mitigation. Explain.
- 7. a) Identify any three Man-made disasters and suggest remedial measures.
 - b) Discuss the causes of any three natural disasters.
- 8. Write short notes and contrast :
 - a) Renewable and non-renewable energy sources,
 - b) Thermal and nuclear pollution,

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