

The Assam Royal Global University, Guwahati
Royal School of Law and Administration
B.A. LL.B.(Hons), 5th Semester
Semester End Examination, 2022
Course Title: Introduction to Intellectual Property Rights-I
Course Code: LAW122D504

Time: 3 Hours

Maximum Marks:70

Note: Attempt all questions as per instructions given.

The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks

SECTION – A

1. Attempt all questions. **2 x 8 =16**
- a. Is intellectual property transferable?
- b. State the reasons for the growth of Intellectual Property Rights.
- c. What are the categories of works which fall under the category of ‘artistic work’ as per section 2(c) of the Copyright Act 1957?
- d. How are ‘musical works’ defined under the Copyright Act of 1957?
- e. Explain the meaning of “Inventive Step”.
- f. What is meant by publication and examination of a patent application?
- g. Explain the dilution of trademarks.
- h. What is a trade mark search and why is it conducted?

SECTION – B

2. Attempt **any one** of the following: **12 x 1=12**
- a. Explain theories of protection of intellectual protection rights.
- b. Discuss types of intellectual protection under WTO-TRIPS.
3. Attempt **any two** of the following: **7 x 2=14**
- a. Who is the ‘owner’ of a copyrighted work? Discuss in detail the economic ownership rights of a copyright owner with examples wherever possible.

b. Discuss and analyze the *Eastern Book Company v. DB Modak* case with respect to the concept of 'idea – expression' dichotomy in copyright laws in India.

c. What do you mean by copyright? Why should copyright be protected ? Define the different categories of works for which copyright protection is available in India?

4. Attempt **any two** of the following:

7 x 2=14

a. Explain various rights of patentees.

b. Discuss various Patentable Inventions.

c. Discuss special provisions for compulsory licenses under sections 92 and 92 A of the Patents Act, 1970.

5. Attempt **any one** of the following:

14 x1=14

a. Explain the stages involved in registration of a trademark

b. What is meant by 'rectification of register' under trademark law in India? Explain the provisions with respect to it in the Trade Mark Act
