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SEMESTER – III CBCS (w.e.f. 2018-2019)

DURATION: 2 HOURS

GE1: ECONOMICS OF RESOURCES

MAX MARKS: 80

Instructions:

1. *Q.I to Q.VI are compulsory.*
 2. *However, there is an internal choice.*
 3. *Start each main question on a fresh page.*
 4. *Figures to the right indicate maximum marks.*
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Q. I. Write short notes on **any four** of the following. **(4x4=16 Marks)**

- a) Define environmental economics.
- b) Linkages between economy and environment.
- c) Positive externality
- d) Economic Efficiency
- e) Properties of resources.
- f) Concept of Sustainable Development.

Q. II. Write short notes on **any four** of the following. **(4x4=16 Marks)**

- a) Critically of energy as a resource.
- b) Energy Audit.
- c) Importance of water
- d) Mortality rate.
- e) Role of education in Human Resource Development.
- f) Link between health and economic growth.

Q. III. a) Explain pollution charges, environmental subsidies, and carbon credits as market-based instruments to environmental problems. **(12 Marks)**

OR

- b) With the help of an example explain how open access resources are overexploited.

Q. IV. a) Explain in detail the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) along with its benefit. (12 Marks)

OR

b) Highlight and explain in detail the major conclusions of the Optimist and pessimist model.

Q. V. a) Explain the relationship between energy and economic growth. (12 Marks)

OR

b) Mention the different challenges in the water sector in India.

Q.VI. a) Bring out the various direct and indirect benefits of education. (12 Marks)

OR

b) Explain the role of health in economic development.

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