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**Third Semester LL.M. Examination, December 2012**  
**LAW OF INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY AND PLANT VARIETIES**  
**(Spl. Paper – 6)**

Duration : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

- Instructions:** 1. Answer **all** questions.  
2. **All** questions carry **equal** marks.

Q. No. 1. (a) Discuss the salient features of Plant Breeder's Rights. Marks : 10

OR

Trace the evolution of Plant Breeder's Rights.

(b) Write a note on New Plant Variety. Marks : 6

OR

Write a note on propagating material.

Q. No. 2. (a) Discuss the salient features of Plant Variety and Farmer's Right Act 2001. Marks : 10

OR

Explain the basic principles underlying the plant variety protection law in India by comparing with U.K. and U.S.A.

(b) Write a note on Indian Aspects of PBR. Marks : 6

OR

Write a note on Plant Variety Protection Appellate Tribunal.

Q. No. 3. (a) Examine the matters to be included in the National Register of Plant Varieties. Marks : 10

OR

Discuss the procedure for registration of plant variety.

(b) Write a note on farmer's rights. Marks : 6

OR

Write a note on benefit sharing.

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Q. No. 4. (a) Discuss the duties of the registrar under plant protection. Marks : 10

OR

Briefly discuss the Plant Variety and Farmer's Rights Protection Authority.

(b) Write a note on Denomination to a plant variety. Marks : 6

OR

Write a note on criterion for registration of extant variety.

Q. No. 5. (a) Explain the salient features of international legal instruments on patents reflecting the idea of plant variety protection. Marks : 10

OR

Discuss the inter-governmental convention for the protection of new varieties of plants.

(b) Write a note on the UPOV. Marks : 6

OR

Write a note on the TRIPS guidelines on plant varieties.

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