

ASSIGNMENT SET - I

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[INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY AND ITS MANAGEMENT]

Answer all the questions

- 1 What is the fundamental concept of property, and how does it differ from intellectual property?
- 2 Can you explain the Lockean theory of property and how it relates to the concept of property rights?
- 3 How do utilitarian theories of property differ from natural rights theories, and what are their implications for intellectual property rights?
- 4 Why is there a need for protecting intellectual property, and what potential consequences can arise if it is not protected?
- 5 What constitutes patent infringement, and what remedies are available to patent holders under Indian patent law?
- 6 How does the Biological Diversity Act of 2002 in India intersect with patent law, and what are the relevant provisions for protecting biodiversity?

- 7 Can you provide examples or case studies that illustrate the application of these concepts in Indian patent law?
- 8 What types of works are eligible for copyright protection, and how is ownership determined in Indian copyright law?
- 9 Explain the principles of transfer and duration of copyright protection in India.
- 10 What is the process for renewing and terminating copyright protection under the Indian Copyright Act?
- 11 What are neighboring rights in the context of copyright, and how do they relate to the protection of creators and performers?
- 12 In cases of copyright infringement, what legal remedies are available to copyright holders in India?
- 13 What is the fundamental concept of trademarks, and why is there a need for their protection in the business world?
- 14 Can you explain the various kinds of trademarks, including distinctive, non-distinctive, and well-known trademarks?
- 15 What are the key differences between the Trade and Merchandise Marks Act, 1958, and the Trademarks Act, 1999, in India?
- 16 What are the procedural requirements for the protection of trademarks under Indian trademark law?
- 17 What are geographical indications, and how do they differ from other forms of intellectual property like trademarks and patents?
- 18 Explain the concept of appellations of origin and how they are related to geographical indications.
- 19 Differentiate between the terms "indication of source" and "geographical indication" and provide examples to illustrate the distinctions.

- 20 Explain the concept of benefit sharing in the context of this Act and the mechanisms for its implementation.
- 21 What are the conditions and procedures for surrendering and revoking a certificate for a registered plant variety?
- 22 Can you elaborate on the concept of "Farmers' Rights" as stipulated in the Act and how it is designed to protect the rights of farmers?
- 23 What constitutes infringement under the Protection of Plant Varieties and Farmers' Rights Act, and what are the potential penalties for infringement?
- 24 Walk me through the procedures involved in addressing offenses related to plant varieties and farmers' rights under this Act.