

H.P. Board of Departmental Examination

Forest Department
Paper-3 (Rules and Acts)

DEC-2018

Time Allowed: 3 hours

Maximum Marks: 100

NOTE:

1. Attempt any **five** questions.
2. Quote relevant rule, Section of Law wherever applicable.
3. Bare Acts, Rule, Forest manual, Reference books are allowed.

Q. 1 Discuss the salient features of H.P. Forest Sector Policy 2005. How does it address the issues related to various related sectors? How much area can be brought under forest cover as per this policy and why?

20 Marks

Q. 2 Write short notes on **any four (4)** of the following:

- i. Powers of authorized officer under section 52A and 52B. Describe the procedure in brief;
- ii. Catchment Area Treatment Plan
- iii. H.P. Eco-tourism Policy (Latest)
- iv. Biosphere reserve
- v. Procedure to declare a National Park

4x5 = 20 Marks

Q. 3 Under what circumstances Major penalty can be imposed on a Government servant. Describe the procedure in brief.

20 Marks

Q. 4 Differential between the following **(Any Four) (4)**:

- i. Capital and Revenue expenditure
- ii. Cognizable and non-cognizable offences
- iii. National Park and Zoo
- iv. Public Accounts Committee (PAC) and Public undertakings Committee (PUC)
- v. Reserve Forest (RF) and Demarcated Protected Forest (DPF)

4x5 = 20 marks

Q. 5 What are the salient features of FCA-1980? Discuss in brief the procedure to divert Forest land for mining purpose.

20 Marks

Q. 6 Write short notes on any four (4) of the following:-

- i. Plan and Non-Plan expenditure
- ii. H.P. Land Preservation Act, 1978
- iii. Leave encashment
- iv. Powers of collector under H.P. Public Premises Act, 1971
- v. FRA (Forest Right Act) 2006

4x5 = 20 Marks

Q. 7 Describe the following:

- a) Functions of Central Zoo Authority
- b) Procedure for setting up a Zoo
- c) Management Plan with reference to a Protected Area Network.
- d) Scope of Biodiversity, Act to curb illegal trade in Wildlife (Flora & fauna)

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