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VALUES & ETHICS IN PROFESSION

Time Allotted: 3 Hours Full Marks: 70

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

GROUP - A

(Multiple Choice Type Questions)

1. Choose the correct alternatives for any ten of the following:

 $10 \times 1 = 10$

- i) Bio-ethics is the field of
 - a) Normative ethics
 - b) Applied ethics
 - c) Metaethic
 - d) None of these.

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- ii) The famous Silver Bridge Disaster is dated to
 - a) December 15, 1967
 - b) December 27, 1884
 - c) August 26, 1927
 - d) August 26, 1976.
- iii) 'APCTT' stands for
 - a) Asian and Pacific Centre for Transfer of Technology
 - b) American Planning Center for Transfer of Technology
 - c) American Planning Center for Technology Transfer
 - d) Asian and Pacific Centre for Technology Transfer.
- iv) The authors of Limits to Growth are
 - a) Donella H. Meadows, Dennis L. Meadows, Jorgen Randers, William W. Behrens III
 - b) Aurelio Peccei and Alexander King
 - c) Aurelio Peccei and Alexander King, Dr. Ashok Khosla and Dr. Eberhard von Koerber
 - d) Dr. Ashok Khosla and Dr. Eberhard von Koerber.

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- v) Roboethics deals with
 - a) the behaviour of humans, how humans design,
 construct, use and treat robots and other
 artificially intelligent beings
 - b) with the behaviour of artificial moral agents $(\ AMAs\)$
 - c) some cultural values and social conventions of Robots
 - d) Anthropomorphization of the machines.
- vi) The Environment Protection Act was introduced in
 - a) 1986

b) 1989

c) 1996

- d) 1990.
- vii) According to Indian Constitution, India is
 - a) Capitalist, non-secular, sovereign country
 - b) Socialist, secular, sovereign, democratic, republic country
 - c) Non-socialist, non-republic, secular country
 - d) None of these.

- viii) The first and foremost professional ethics is
 - a) to strive for excellence
 - b) to take due care to the environment
 - c) to serve the needy and poor of the society
 - d) none of these.
- ix) Eco-friendly technologies include in production of chemical
 - a) using CFC
 - b) using petroleum fraction
 - c) using natural gas
 - d) none of these.
- x) Which of the following should be treated as terminal value?
 - a) Obedience
 - b) Peace and harmony
 - c) Truthfulness
 - d) None of these.

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- xi) Three ideals of human life are
 - a) truth, beauty and good
 - b) lie, ugly and bad
 - c) lie, beauty and good
 - d) truth, ugly and good.
- xii) The major green house gases are
 - a) carbon dioxide, methane etc.
 - b) oxygen, nitrogen etc.
 - c) water vapour, nitrogen dioxide, sulphur dioxide etc.
 - d) none of these.

GROUP - B

(Short Answer Type Questions)

Answer any *three* of the following.

 $3 \times 5 = 15$

- 2. Discuss briefly about the importance of technology transfer in a developing economy? Explain appropriate technology in such application? 3+2
- 3. What is the importance of man machine interface? State how a system can be improved and can be made an work efficient one. 2+3



4. Describe the nature of global energy crisis? Explain trends in deterioration of oil and other energy materials?

2 + 3

- Describe the fundamental cannons of professional ethics ?How does cannons of ethics differ from code of ethics. 3 + 2
- 6. Discuss how our environment is contaminated with pollution and reduction of immunity due to chemicals and radiation effects.

GROUP - C

(Long Answer Type Questions)

Answer any *three* of the following. $3 \times 15 = 45$

- 7. a) What is the relationship between science, technology and ethics? How are the economy and the prosperity of a nation influenced by its technological development? 5 + 5
 - b) Explain 'Bio-Ethics' and 'Information Ethics'. 5
- 8. a) What is 'Value Crisis'? What has led to value crisis in the contemporary society? 1+2
 - b) What are the different types of value crisis? Give a way out and to explain what is a 'good life'.

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- 9. What do you mean by 'Whistle Blowing'? How do you rate whistle blowing as an organizational practice? Do you feel a need for legal protection of whistle blowers? Briefly discuss a case where the whistle was not blown and the
- 10. a) Critically judge E.F. Schumacher's Idea of 'Small is Beautiful'. Do you think Appropriate Technology will bring depletion to a lesser intensity. Give examples and explain how these can save some of the resources.
 - b) How does IT and computers serve society? What may happen if the technical experts do not abide by their code of ethics? 8+4+3
- 11. Write short notes on any *three* of the following : 3×5
 - a) Intellectual Property Rights

consequences of the same.

- b) Aesthetic values
- c) Corporate Social Responsibility
- d) Sustainable Development
- e) Club of Rome.

2 + 5 + 3 + 5