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Economics of Resources-CEG101

Duration: 2hrs**Max Marks: 80****Instructions:**

- 1) Start each question on a fresh page.
- 2) All questions are compulsory.
- 3) Figures to the right indicate maximum marks.
- 4) Answer sub-questions in question number 1 and 2 each in not more than 100 words.
- 5) Answer question number 3 to 6 each in not more than 400 words.

Q.1) Answer **ANY FOUR** of the following.

(4x4=16)

- (a) Explain the meaning of environmental economics.
- (b) Discuss the reason for trade-off?
- (c) Explain the importance of environmental economics to business.
- (d) Describe the features of resources (any four).
- (e) Explain any four goals of sustainable development as given by the United Nation.
- (f) Explain the importance of energy security.

Q.2) Answer **ANY FOUR** of the following.

(4x4=16)

- (a) Differentiate between renewable and non-renewable sources of energy (four points).
- (b) Explain the concept of energy audit?
- (c) Discuss the economic importance of water.
- (d) Explain the need for Human Resource Development.
- (e) Explain any four indicators of health status in India.
- (f) Explain any four types of health insurance.

Q.3 a) Explain the concept and benefits of Environmental Impact Assessment of Projects? (12)

OR

Q.3 b) Explain the market approach to environmental problems with respect to Environmental subsidies and Pollution charge. (12)

Q.4 a) Analyze the Optimist model of resource use with its major conclusions. (12)

OR

Q.4 b) Classify and explain different types of natural resources. (12)

Q.5 a) Discuss the solutions to deal with the problem of water scarcity. (12)

OR

Q.5 b) Explain the criticality of energy as a resource. (12)

Q.6 a) Analyze the features of health care in India. (12)

OR

Q.6 b) Explain the social benefits of education. (12)