## B.A. I SEMESTER END EXAMINATION, MAY 2019 ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES

## **Duration: 2 Hours** Marks: 80 **INSTRUCTIONS**: 1] All questions are Compulsory. 2] Answer the sub- questions in QI and QII in 100 words each 3] Draw sketch and diagrams wherever applicable. 4 X 4 = 16Q.I Answer any <u>Four</u> of the following: i. Mining scenario in Goa ii. Biodiversity hotspots iii. National parks in India iv. Chipko Andolan v. Watershed management vi. Nuclear disaster Q.II Answer any <u>Four</u> of the following: 4 X 4 = 16i. Wildlife Sanctuaries in India ii. Sources of air pollution iii. Biosphere reserves iv. Forest act v. Depletion of ozone layer vi. Thermal pollution **Q.III A** Explain grassland ecosystem. 6 Marks OR **Q.III** A Describe the various bio-geographic zones of India. 6 Marks **Q. III B** Elaborate on the effects of Noise pollution. 6 Marks Q.IV A Analyze the ex- situ conservation strategies of biodiversity. 6 Marks OR Q.IV A Enumerate the strategies for conservation of mineral resources. 6 Marks Elaborate on the various women and child welfare programmes O.IV B 6 Marks implemented in India. Explain in detail 'Disaster management for floods, earthquakes and Q.V A 6 Marks volcanoes. OR Q.V A Discuss in detail on 'HIV and AIDS' 6 Marks **Q.V B** Explain the structure of an Ecosystem. 6 Marks Q.VI A Explain global warming and greenhouse effect. 6 Marks OR Analyze the economic Factors affecting spatial distribution of Q.VI A 6 Marks population.

**Q.VI B** Elaborate in detail the different types of human rights. **6 Marks**