## NATIONAL LAW UNIVERSITY, DELHI

LL.M. (Professional), Semester-I (Batch of 2020-21)

End -Term (Online) Assessment- 2020

**Paper: International Environmental Law** 

Time: 6:00 Hours Total Marks: 100

## **Instructions:**

- 1. Attempt any five questions.
- 2. No clarification shall be sought on the question paper.
- 3. All questions carry equal marks. In case of sub-parts, the total marks for each question would get equally divided.
- 1. Critically analyze the role of treaties *vis-à-vis* other sources of law and their relative contribution to the development of International Environmental Law.
- 2. Discuss the significance of *any three* Environmental Law Principles and their Legal Status
  - i) Precautionary Principle
  - ii) Polluter Pays Principle
  - iii) Sustainable Development
  - iv) Common but Differentiated Responsibilities
- 3. Distinguish between anthropocentric and eco-centric views of rights in relation to environment. Also highlight the challenges in relation to them.
- 4. Explain the transboundary movement of hazardous waste in the context of the related Convention. Discuss its interconnectedness to human right to life and health.
  - Protection of global commons and areas of common concern of mankind reflect upon environmental issues that need to be tackled at global level.
- 5. Discuss the significance of the above statement and the adequacy of the legal frameworks.
- 6. Ozone depletion and climate change are global environmental issues having both similar and distinctive characteristics in the respective Conventions.
  - Elucidate a critical comparative analysis between the two themes.