

NATIONAL LAW UNIVERSITY, DELHI

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

End Semester Online Examinations, January-2021

Paper: International Environmental Law and Policy

Time: 48 hours

Total Marks: 50

Instructions:

1. Mail your assignments only to **submissions.llm@nludelhi.ac.in**
 2. All questions are compulsory.
 3. This is an open book exam. Students are free to consult their class notes as well as assigned reading materials.
 4. No clarification shall be sought on the question paper.
 5. Mention ONLY Name, Roll No. and Subject Paper on the Cover/First page. Start writing your answers from the next/second page only. **Do not** mention your name and roll no on any other page.
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Q.1 Explain the key features and legal sanctity of the Precautionary Principle, Prevention Principle, Polluter Pays Principle and further, their correlation. **(12 Marks)**

Q.2 What is the conglomeration of elements of the Convention on Ozone Depletion and its Protocol that resulted in its success, particularly in contrast to the Convention on Climate Change and its Protocol?

How is the principle of CBDR conducted in both? **(9+3=12 Marks)**

Q.3 Highlight the critical elements of the Convention on Biodiversity and its concurrence or otherwise of the Indian law on biodiversity.

Critically evaluate the treatment of traditional knowledge under the Protocol, with specific reference to Indian case study. **(9+3=12 Marks)**

Q.4 Write on **ANY 2** of the following:

- A) Elaborate and contrast the differences including the difference in top-down approach and bottom-up approach in relation to the legal frameworks on climate change.
- B) Discuss the different legal narratives of 'Rights' in relation to environment.
- C) Critical analysis of environmental issues pertaining to energy domain.

(7+7=14 Marks)