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GYS 554

IV Semester M.Sc. Degree Examination, September/October 2022 **GEOGRAPHY**

Environmental Geography (Soft Core) (3 Credits)

Time: 3 Hours Max. Marks: 70 Instruction: Answer any four questions choosing one from each of the Part − I to IV, two questions in Part − V. PART – I 1. Discuss the nature and scope of environmental geography. 15 OR 2. Explain the ecological approaches in detail. PART - II 3. Explain the structure and functions of ecosystem in environmental geography. 15 OR 4. Discuss the relationship of man and environment. PART - III 5. Describe the economic significance of the forest. 15 OR 6. Explain the depletion of ozone layer and its consequences. PART - IV 15 7. Explain the major biomes and their importance. OR 8. Describe the causes and consequences of environmental pollution.

PART - V

9. Answer **any two** of the following.

 $(2 \times 5 = 10)$

- a) Biodiversity
- b) Ecological imbalance
- c) National Parks
- d) Landslides in Western Ghats.