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Course: Law of Copyright and Related Rights

Semester : II

Time : 03 hrs.

Program: LL.M (IPR)
Course Code: CLIR7001

Max. Marks: 100

Instructions: All questions are compulsory. Kindly attempt all parts of a question together.

SECTION A (5Qx2M=10Marks)

S. No.		Marks	СО
Q 1.	Define Utilitarianism in the context of copyright.	2	CO1
Q 2.	Define Author as per copyright Act.	2	CO1
Q 3.	State Idea Expression Dichotomy.	2	CO1
Q 4.	State Broadcasting Reproduction Rights under copyright law?	2	CO1
Q 5.	List all copyright societies in the administration of different copyright works in India.	2	CO1

SECTION B (4Qx5M= 20 Marks) Short answer type questions

Q 6.	Explain what special rights have been granted to broadcasting organizations under the Copyright Act? Discuss the situations when special rights are deemed to have been infringed.	5	CO2
Q 7.	Explain 'assignment' and 'licensing' including 'compulsory licensing of 'copyright?	5	CO2
Q 8.	Discuss the copyright issues that can arise out of P2P sharing, linking, inlining and framing on the internet. Discuss in reference to Indian Copyright Law.	5	CO2
Q 9.	Explain the recent developments on moral rights provisions in the Indian Copyright Act, 1957?	5	CO2

	SECTION-C (2Qx10M=20 Marks)		
Q 10.	TRIPS is, by far, the most wide-ranging and far-reaching international treaty about intellectual property to date and marks the most important milestone in the development of International Law in this area." Analyse whether TRIPS, in your analysis, in consonance with the aspirations of developing countries like India? Give reasons in support of your view with the help of leading cases.	10	CO3
Q 11.	"There must be some minimal degree of creativity and what should be protected by copyright are the fruits of intellectual labor and not just sweat of the brow". Analyse the concept of 'originality' in the context of the aforesaid statement. Also, explain whether ideas play a role in determining originality.	10	CO3
	SECTION-D (2Qx25M=50 Marks) Case study-based questions		
Q 12.	"The expression copyright conventionally refers to economic rights vested in the owner of the work. The most problematic things about copyright law are the expression 'copyright' itself. It is a misnomer, even though there is unison that it refers to exclusive economic rights granted to owner in respect of the work." Analyse in reference to right to make cinematograph film and sound recording including the right of rental and remixing of songs with the help of leading cases.	25	CO4
Q 13.	A software developer named Anjali, while working at a private tech firm, develops an AI-based music composition software. The employment contract is silent about IP rights. Anjali later claims copyright over the software. Evaluate the ownership of copyright in this situation under the Copyright Act, 1957. Who is the rightful owner of the work, and how would Indian courts likely interpret this dispute?	25	CO4