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UNIVERSITY OF PETROLEUM & ENERGY STUDIES DEHRADUN End Semester Examination- Dec 2019			
Program/course : MA in Energy Economics (MAEE)		Semester : III	
Subject : Energy Sector Law, Regulations and Governance		Max. Marks : 100	
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Section A (attempt all)			
Q1. Answer all the questions:			
i.	Explain NELP, OALP.	[2]	CO1
ii.	Explain authorization under the PNGRB Act and role of PNGRB as a regulator	[2]	CO1
iii.	Explain APR, ARR, True Up	[2]	CO1
iv.	Is force majeure a major reason for cost overruns and time overruns. Explain how.	[2]	CO1
v.	Explain Subsidy in power sector. How is it a regulated concept according to electricity Act 2003.	[2]	CO1
vi.	Explain cross subsidy and its impact on industrial consumers. The Act talks about reduction in cost subsidy annually. What is its impact.	[2]	CO1
vii.	Explain APTELS role in energy sector. Why is APTEL a separate court when we have high court, supreme court.	[2]	CO1
viii.	How is DGH and PNGRB important to the oil and gas sector.	[2]	CO1
ix.	Explain the concept of regulators and regulated entities.	[2]	CO1
x.	Why were SEBs unbundled and how regulatory setup helped the power sector to evolve.	[2]	CO1
SECTION B			
Answer any four questions			
Q2.	Explain Universal service obligation that a DISCOM has and how consumer awareness can be generated. Which is the dispute settlement body for the consumer.	[5]	CO3, CO4
Q3	Explain the role of SLDC, RLDC and NLDC. Licences are required for distribution and transmission and trading. Who gives these licenses and why is it important.	[5]	CO3, CO4

Q4.	Explain the evolution of power sector from the SEBs to the modern day regulatory framework.	[5]	CO3, CO4
Q5.	Explain power banking. Why and how is it done.	[5]	CO3, CO4
Q6.	Why is APTEL a separate Court in Energy Sector. How is it advantageous for the sector.	[5]	CO3, CO4
SECTION C			
Answer any two questions			
Q7.	Explain the tariff procedure with the financial principles involved. Explain fixed charge and energy charge. Who are continuous supply consumers.	[15]	CO3, CO4
Q8.	Explain the role, functions and importance of CERC and SERCs. Explain time of day tariff. Explain load shedding and rostrering.	[15]	CO3, CO4
Q9.	Renewable energy sector is evolving at an exponential rate with targets to achieve solar and wind energy. Explain RPO, REC and the need to make RPO(solar and Non Solar) mandatory in the country..	[15]	CO3, CO4
Section D			
Answer any one question			
Q10	Explain the role of law for economists in energy sector while explaining the economic impact of any decided case (power sector) with its facts, issues and decisions(ratio-decidendi and obiter dicta).	[30]	CO2, CO3, CO4
Q 11.	Explain the role of law for economists in energy sector while explaining the economic impact of any decided case (oil and gas) with its facts, issues and decisions(ratio-decidendi and obiter dicta).	[30]	