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**Semester**: 2023-24

**Course Code**: LAW 303

**Course Name**: IPR -I

**Program & Sem**: SOL

**Date**: 12-08-2024

**Time**: 9:30 AM-12:30PM

**Max Marks**: 100

**Weightage**: 50 %

 **Instructions:**

1. *Read the all questions carefully and answer accordingly.*
2. *Do not write any matter on the question paper other than roll number.*
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**Part A**

**Answer any 4 Questions. Each question carries 5 marks. (4Qx 5M= 20M)**

1. Define Intellectual Property Rights (IPR) and explain their significance in modern commerce.

2. What are the different types of trademarks? Provide examples for each type.

3. Discuss the concept of "Fair Use" in copyright law.

4. Describe the term "Geographical Indications" and give two examples.

5. Write a note on Basmati Rice case.

6. What is the role of the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO)?

 **Part B**

**Answer any 4 Questions. Each question carries 10 marks. (4Qx10M=40M)**

7. Discuss the features of Madrid Convention for the international registration of marks.

8. 'X' an authorized user holding a right in a registered geographical indication dies. On whom does his right devolve?

9. Briefly discuss the salient features of Geographical lndication of Goods (Registration and Protection) Act, 1999.

10. What are the grounds on which the registration of trademark may be refused. Examine.

11. What is trade secret? Give any famous example of trade secret. Why are trade secrets so

significant and what is the negative aspect of trade secret?

12.Describe Copyright and the works protected under copyright act. Briefly explain the process

of obtaining copyright. Differentiate between Copyright infringement and Trademark

infringement.

**Part C**

**Answer any 2 Questions. Each question carries 20 marks. (2Qx20M=40M)**

13. Critically analyze the challenges and opportunities presented by the digital age for the protection of intellectual property rights.

14. The petitioner challenges the grant of Geographical lndication to 'Tirupati Laddus' to Tirumala Tirupati Devasthanam, a single entity neglecting community interest of other people living in Tirupati and further causing prejudice to Article 25 of the Constitution of India. Decide.

15.Hypothetically, you are setting a new cold drink manufacturing company with new and innovative machineries and recipes. You plan to use your knowledge of IPR to safeguard your new company from old bigshot companies as well as new budding companies. Describe in details, what all rights you will register and how you will benefit out of it.