K24U 0823 Reg. No.:.... Name : IV Semester B.Com. Degree (C.B.C.S.S.-O.B.E.-Regular/Supplementary/ Improvement) Examination, April 2024 (2019 to 2022 Admissions) **GENERAL AWARENESS COURSE 4A14COM**: Environmental Studies and Disaster Management Time: 3 Hours Max. Marks: 40 PART - A Answer **any six** questions from the following. **Each** question carries **one** mark. 1. Define Environment in terms of Environment Protection Act. 2. What is meant by renewable resources? Give an example. 3. What is Acid Rain? 4. What is a Hazard? 5. Give two examples for man made disasters. 6. What is soil erosion?

7. Define Earthquake.

8. What is Fog ? (6×1=6)

PART - B

Answer any six questions from the following. Each question carries three marks.

- 9. Establish the relevance of environment legislations to business enterprises.
- 10. Discuss the impacts of Global warming.
- 11. Describe the community involvement in Disaster management.
- 12. Suggest alternate energy sources for a sustainable future.

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- 13. Enumerate the scope of Environmental Studies.
- 14. Explain the concept and need for sustainable development.
- 15. What are the causes of environmental pollution?
- 16. Give an account on cyclones and its consequences.

 $(6 \times 3 = 18)$

PART - C

Answer any two questions from the following. Each question carries eight marks.

- 17. Find out the different types of disasters with examples. Suggest measures to mitigate each disaster.
- 18. Explain Pollution. What are the social issues related to environmental pollution?
- 19. What is climate change? Explain causes, mitigation and adaptation strategies to climate change. (2×8=16)

