IPR QUESTION BANK FOR OBE 2020

Instructions to the students:

Your semester end theory exam will be open book examination which will be of 75 marks.

Each exam will be of **2 hours**. You will be provided with 1 extra hour to scan your answersheets and upload it.

Every question paper will comprise of 6 questions of equal marks i.e. 18.75 marks; out of which you have to perform any four.

Questions can be analytical whose straight answer you won't get in any book. That is why the answers are expected to be simple, to the point and non lengthy.

Disclaimer: This is a question bank, not an actual question paper. It has been created just to show you what kind of questions can be expected in your exam. I do not take any responsibility if you find or do not find same questions in your final theory exam. It is just a pattern to show you how to prepare for your finals. **All the best.**

- Q1. What is Intellectual Property Rights (IPR)? What are the different types of IPR, explain who is benefitted from each type of IPR and how?
- Q2. What is Trademark? Explain the different types of trademarks with examples. Differentiate between Trademark and design. What is the process of registering a trademark?
- Q3. What is the role of IPR in electronics industry? Explain in terms of circuit boards and integrated chips, how IPR can be used to protect them.
- Q4. 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? Explain in brief the historical perspective of trade secret.
- Q5. 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.
- Q6. What is a Geographical Indication (GI) and what is its function? Name the legislation for its protection in India and briefly outline the procedure of registration. What are the rights of a Registered Proprietor of a GI? Explain how Registered GIs benefit local populations.
- Q7. Define Industrial Design and discuss the need to protect it as an intellectual property. Explain the grounds for registration of designs and the rights of a design holder? Discuss infringement of Industrial Designs.
- Q8. Describe Copyright and the works protected under copyright act. Briefly explain the process of obtaining copyright. Differentiate between Copyright infringement and Trademark infringement.
- Q9. Comment on the Patent Act 1970 and its amendment. Explain in brief the Patent filing procedure. What are the differences between Product Patents and Process Patents?